# New Jersey

## Cancer Surveillance System

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<td>STATUTE: NJPS Title 26, Chapter 2</td>
<td><strong>26:2-105 Establishment, maintenance of State cancer registry.</strong></td>
<td><strong>26:2-106 Reports; rules, regulations; enforcement.</strong> &lt;br&gt;3. a. The Commissioner of Health and Senior Services, in consultation with the Public Health Council, shall require the reporting of cases of cancer and other specified tumors and precancerous diseases, and the submission of such specified additional information on reported cases or control populations as he deems necessary and appropriate for the recognition, prevention, cure or control of such diseases…&lt;br&gt;c. All abstracting work performed by a health care facility in accordance with this section shall be performed by a certified tumor registrar.&lt;br&gt;d. (1) The Department of Health and Senior Services shall contract out its registry services to health care facilities which lack adequate internal capabilities to report cases on a timely basis, as provided in the regulations adopted pursuant to this</td>
<td><strong>26:2-105</strong> …The Department of Health and Senior Services…shall include a record of cases of cancer and specified cases of tumorous or precancerous disease that occur in New Jersey, and such information concerning these cases as it shall deem necessary and appropriate in order to conduct thorough</td>
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and complete epidemiologic surveys of cancer and cancer-related diseases in this State and to apply appropriate preventive and control measures.

### 26:2-109. Inapplicability of act to compel individual to submit to medical or health department examination or supervision.

Nothing in this act shall be construed to compel any individual to submit to medical or health department examination or supervision.

### § 8:57A-1.10 Access to information and record...

(b) Every health care facility, independent clinical laboratory, physician, dentist, or other health care provider who diagnoses or provides treatment for cancer patients and health care insurers and other third party health care payers providing benefit plans to residents of the State shall permit representatives of the access to information or provide necessary information on specified cancer patients and other patients specified by characteristics for research studies related to cancer etiology, prevention, and control which are conducted by the Department.
§ 8:57A-1.9 Supplemental information

(a) Every New Jersey health care facility, physician, dentist, other health care provider and independent clinical laboratory shall supply information necessary to clarify medical or demographic data upon request of the Department.

1. This supplemental information shall include, but not be limited to: copies of pathology and/or hematology reports, operative reports, treatment information, history and physical sections of the medical records and discharge summaries.

(1.) The Department's designated Institutional Review Board shall:

(i.) Review the studies to assure protection of human subjects; and

(ii.) Approve or disapprove the studies, as appropriate, based on the outcome of the review.

(2.) This access or provision of information shall include patients who came under the care of the health care facility, physician, dentist or other health care provider prior to November 18, 1977.