

De-duplicating (Merging) Hepatitis B Reports in MDSS

- Patient is:
 - **Female 10 – 60 years of age, OR**
 - **Female of unknown age**
 - Merge the patient, but Do NOT merge the case
 - Create a NEW case
 - **Determine pregnancy status**
 - (NOTE: *Document pregnancy status for this lab on the reporting form under Clinical Information & Patient History*)
- **If pregnant:**
 - **Notify** the Perinatal Hepatitis B Prevention Program (PHBPP)
 - By electronic fax at 517-763-0470
 - Marcy Smith at Smithm7@michigan.gov or 517-388-4815
 - Naomi Scherman-Siver at schermansivern@michigan.gov or 517-897-3236
 - Pat Fineis at fineisp@michigan.gov or 517-242-8319
 - If newly reported,
 - Determine case status and mark investigation status as completed
 - If previously reported,
 - Merge the patient, but Do NOT merge the case
 - Create a NEW CASE and mark the investigation status as superceded
- Patient is:
 - Male, OR
 - Female < 10 years of age or > 60 years of age
 - Have they been previously reported as a chronic hepatitis B
 - No – Investigate as a newly reported case
 - Determine appropriate case status
 - Yes – Merge the patient and case as appropriate

For more information go to: www.michigan.gov/hepatitisB