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**FOR AGENCIES USING THE STATE (IMAGETREND Elite) ePCR SYSTEM ONLY**

New Jersey is transitioning from NEMSIS v3.4.0 to NEMSIS v3.5.0 starting on March 1, 2023.

To be prepared, all agencies utilizing the state ImageTrend Elite system should utilize the checklist below.  
**All agencies must complete the steps below by March 31, 2023.**

For a smooth transition, please make sure you complete the required steps **BEFORE March 31, 2023.**

If you have any questions or issues, please contact ImageTrend Support at 1-888-730-3255

Step	Task
1	<p>Copy/create new form templates for v3.5 <b>(Required)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If you would like to continue using your existing (v3.4) run form, you may do so by going into your existing forms and copying the form into v3.5. (Tools &gt; Form Manager &gt; Copy &gt; Copy into version &gt; select 3.5)</li> <li>• After copying the form into v3.5, you will need to refer to the v3.5 New Elements &amp; Adjustments document (attached) to add new elements.</li> </ul> <p>Add/adjust the new v3.5 elements (listed on the attached form) to your v3.5 run form <b>(Required)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Make sure to update any connected visibility rules, preset values, preset value buttons, and auto narratives associated with the form</li> <li>• If your auto narrative templates do not have any fields specific to v3.4 or v3.5, you do not need to do anything.</li> </ul> <p><b><u>IMPORTANT NOTE</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• eDisposition.12 (Incident/patient Disposition) is no longer a NEMSIS element in v3.5.</li> <li>• Administrators <u>must delete</u> eDisposition.12 <b>(Required)</b></li> <li>• This element has been replaced by eDisposition.27 &amp; eDisposition.30</li> </ul> <p><b>Alternatively, if you do not wish to use your current form, you may copy and use the “New v3.5 State Template Run Form”. All required elements have been added to this template.</b></p>

2	Review your vehicles and personnel list to make sure they are up to date <b>(Required)</b>
3	<p>Update your Print Reports / CQI process if utilized <i>(Recommended)</i></p> <p>You can use the same print reports and CQI forms for v3.4 and v3.5, but we recommend updating your forms to ensure they will include the correct fields for both versions. We recommend using the same report layouts for both v3.4 and v3.5.</p>
4	<p><b>Review Validation Rules</b> (Recommended)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• State level validation rules are automatically updated.</li> </ul> <p><b>Agency-level validation is now available to all agencies</b> (Tools &gt; Validation)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• If your agency is using this feature, you may need to adjust your agency-level validation rules to accommodate new elements.</li> <li>• Remember to pay attention to the NEMSIS version(s) for each rule when making updates.</li> </ul>
5	Review any power tools and/or situation tools to make any necessary configuration adjustments. (Recommended)

## NEMESIS VERSION 3.5.0 New Elements & Adjustments

What has changed:	V3.5 Status	V3.5 Element Number	V3.5 Element Name	Definition
Added and modified values	Upgraded	<b>eArrest.09</b>	Type of CPR Provided	Documentation of the type/technique of CPR used by EMS.
Added in V3.5 to replace eArrest.06	Added – Replace V3.4	<b>eArrest.20</b>	Who First Initiated CPR	Who first initiated CPR for this EMS event.
Added in V3.5 to split eArrest.08	Added – Replace V3.4	<b>eArrest.21</b>	Who First Applied the AED	Documentation of who first applied the AED for this EMS event.
Added in V3.5 to split eArrest.08	Added - Replace V3.4	<b>eArrest.22</b>	Who First Defibrillated the Patient	Documentation of who first defibrillated the patient.
Added in V3.5 to replace eDisposition.12	Added - Replace V3.4	<b>eDisposition.27</b>	Unit Disposition	The patient disposition for an EMS event identifying whether patient contact was made.
Added in V3.5 to replace eDisposition.12	Added - Replace V3.4	<b>eDisposition.28</b>	Patient Evaluation/Care	The patient disposition for an EMS event identifying whether a patient was evaluated and care or services were provided.
Added in V3.5 to replace eDisposition.12	Added - Replace V3.4	<b>eDisposition.29</b>	Crew Disposition	The crew disposition for this EMS event identifying which crew provided primary patient care or whether support services were required.
Added in V3.5 to replace eDisposition.12	Added - Replace V3.4	<b>eDisposition.30</b>	Transport Disposition	The transport disposition for an EMS event identifying whether a transport occurred and by which unit.
Added in V3.5 to replace eResponse.15	Added - Replace V3.4	<b>eDisposition.32</b>	Level of Care Provided per Protocol	The general level of care provided to this patient as defined per provider level in local EMS protocols or clinical guidelines.
Upgraded National Usage	Upgraded	<b>eMedications.04</b>	Medication Administered Route	The route medication was administered to the patient.
Upgraded National Usage	Upgraded	<b>eSituation.18</b>	Date/Time Last Known Well	The estimated date and time the patient was last known to be well or in their usual state of health. This is described or estimated by the patient, family, and/or bystanders.

**\*Agencies MUST REMOVE “eDisposition.12” (Incident/patient Disposition) as this is no longer used in v3.5 and has been replaced by the above elements**