

# Patient Information Sharing

Starting in April 2021, Stanford Children's Health and Stanford Health Care will share more data and information with patients. We believe that when patients have more information they better understand care and treatment, know what questions to ask the care team, and are better prepared to make health care decisions

**Starting in April patients will have more access to:**

- **Lab Results**  
This includes blood draws, and tissue or urine samples. These labs help to determine your diagnosis or to track your condition.
- **Imaging (Radiology) Results**  
Imaging tests provide an image of the human body. They can help your doctor diagnose, monitor, or treat a medical condition. Imaging tests may include x-rays, fluoroscopy, computed tomography (CT) scans, or magnetic resonance imaging (MRI).
- **Visit (clinic) Notes**  
The care team writes notes that describe your condition and plan of care.

Summary of Change to MyChart	
Lab Results	You will receive lab results on the same day results are released
Imaging (radiology) Results	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• You will receive imaging results on the same day final results are released</li> <li>• Oncology/hematology/stem cell patients will have their imaging results in MyChart seven days after the final result.</li> </ul>
Visit (clinical) notes	You will receive doctor notes as well as notes from other providers.

## Frequently Asked Questions

**What if there is something that is incorrect in the electronic medical record or clinical notes?**

If you think something is missing or incorrect you can request a change by contacting the Stanford Health Information Management Systems (HIMS) Department at (650) 497-8079.

**I have questions about the health information – how can I get help?**

If you have questions, don't hesitate to call the medical team, message through MyChart or write up your questions for the next clinic visit. Providers will answer your questions or provide other resources if needed.

**If I shared my account should I make changes?**

If you have shared your MyChart account with a family member or loved one (proxy access) now is a good time to review your choices. Review the new information available in MyChart and decide if you would like to change or delete people who have access to your expanded health information.