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MassHealth is conducting a Technical Refresh of the MassHealth Medicaid Management Information System (MMIS) to replace its HIPAA compliance and translator tool. This technical refresh will be phased in through March 2020. The tool is used to validate HIPAA compliance and translate the HIPAA compliant transactions to an XML format so that they can be processed within MassHealth's MMIS. All HIPAA transactions (inbound/outbound) processed through MassHealth's MMIS will be affected by this technical refresh. All trading partners who submit or receive HIPAA transactions directly to/from MassHealth will be affected by this change. For more information, please see the following links:

[MassHealth All Provider Bulletin 284 \(March 2019\)](#)

[MassHealth Technical Refresh - Key Concepts FAQ](#)