MAI XIONG, PRIMARY REGISTRY USER

Health for All, Las Palmas is a small clinic located in Sacramento. The clinic serves low-income families. Medical assistant Mai Xiong proudly uses the title Primary Registry User at the clinic.

As Mai explains it, a problem they run into on a daily basis is that “parents lose their shot records.” Fortunately, the immunization registry remedies this problem.

According to Mai, they no longer have to go through the process of pulling charts and entering shot histories on the patient’s yellow card all over again. “It’s really quick for clinic staff to print out a shot record from the registry.”

Mai also likes the registry’s inventory feature—especially to help with ordering. “Now clinic staff can look at the inventory and know which vaccine is expired or almost gone and order as needed.”

Mai feels lucky to have the registry at her clinic and has mastered the system. When asked if she’d recommend it to others, “sure!” she smiles.