



# IMPORTANT MESSAGE

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## Additional Doses of VFC Influenza Vaccine is Shipping Next Week!

Dear VFC Provider,

The VFC Program will be processing additional influenza vaccine shipments by the end of this week. Please ensure your clinic staff is alerted and prepared to receive vaccine shipments. These are expected to arrive **the week of October 2, 2017**. The specific percentage for each product is listed below; please refer to your clinic's VFC Flu Final Confirmation email for products confirmed for your practice.

California's VFC Program projects completion of the remaining balance of provider orders around mid-October 2017. These doses will be automatically processed; an advance notification prior to doses shipping will be sent to each practice.

<b><u>Product</u></b>	<b><u>Age Group</u></b>	<b><u>Supply</u></b>
<b>Fluzone® Quadrivalent Preservative Free Pediatric Formulation</b> 0.25mL, Single-Dose Syringes, Sanofi Pasteur	6-35 months	Orders of 100 doses or less were shipped in full. Orders over 100 doses: An additional 40% of confirmed doses will be shipped the week of <u>October 2<sup>nd</sup></u> .
<b>FluLaval® Quadrivalent Preservative Free Pediatric*</b> 0.5mL, Single-Dose Syringes, GSK	6-35 months	Orders of 100 doses or less were shipped in full. Orders over 100 doses: An additional 40% of confirmed doses will be shipped the week of <u>October 2<sup>nd</sup></u> .
<b>Fluzone® Quadrivalent Multi-Dose Vial</b> 5mL, 10 Dose-Vial, Sanofi Pasteur	3-18 years	Orders of 100 doses or less were shipped in full. Orders over 100 doses: An additional 40% of confirmed doses will be shipped the week of <u>October 2<sup>nd</sup></u> .

<b>FluLaval® Quadrivalent Preservative Free</b> 0.5mL, Single-Dose Syringes, GSK	3-18 years	Orders of 100 doses or less were shipped in full. Orders over 100 doses: An additional 40% of confirmed doses will be shipped the week of <u>October 2<sup>nd</sup></u> .
<b>Flucelvax® Quadrivalent Preservative Free</b> 0.5mL, Single-Dose Syringes, Seqirus	4-18 years	Orders of 100 doses or less will be shipped in full <u>this week</u> . Orders over 100 doses: 30% of confirmed doses are shipping <u>this week</u> . An additional 10% will be shipped the week of <u>October 2<sup>nd</sup></u> .

*\*There is no separate Pediatric FluLaval formulation. This is an internal VFC ordering designation for order confirmation purposes for each age group.*

**IMPORTANT:**

- Log-in to your [MyVFCVaccines](#) account to verify that your clinic's hours of operation are updated. This ensures a timely delivery of your vaccine shipments and prevents undeliverable shipment attempts which may lead to vaccine being spoiled.
- The [VFC Program's Annual Influenza Program letter](#) detailing information about this season's ACIP influenza vaccination recommendations, product dosage and administration, storage and handling, and other important information has been e-mailed to VFC Providers and is posted on [EZIZ.org](#).

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**Are you not receiving VFC's emailed program letters and communications?**

Visit our website at [www.eziz.org](http://www.eziz.org) and log into MyVFCVaccines to check your email address. Also be sure to check your spam folder