



IMPORTANT MESSAGE

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2017 Recertification Coming Soon!

Dear VFC Provider,

The California Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program will open 2017 Recertification in mid-December 2016.

Information will be posted on EZIZ.org and will be emailed to you. Annual Recertification is a federal requirement to remain enrolled in the VFC Program. Please check your email for communications regarding 2017 VFC Recertification.

In the meantime, you may now begin taking most of the required lessons to receive credit for 2017 Recertification; the VFC Program Requirements lesson will be available soon.

Legend: ✓ = Required Lesson		Start Date	Key Practice Staff			
			Vaccine Coordinator	Backup Vaccine Coordinator	Provider of Record	Provider of Record Designee
Lessons	VFC Program Requirements	Coming Soon	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Storing Vaccines	December 2016	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Monitoring Storage Unit Temperatures	December 2016	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Conducting a Vaccine Inventory	December 2016	✓	✓	Encouraged	Encouraged
Review & Acknowledge	Refrigerator and Freezer Temperature Log	December 2016	✓	✓	✓	✓
	Vaccine Management Plan (NEW)	December 2016	✓	✓	✓	✓

IMPORTANT: Lessons completed *before* December 2016 will not give you credit for 2017 Recertification. Before you begin your lessons, be sure to click the RESET button to reset your lesson history on the EZIZ Learning History Page so that you can receive credit for 2017 Recertification.

Are you not receiving VFC's emailed program letters and communications?
 Visit our website at www.eziz.org and log into MyVFCVaccines to check your email address. Also be sure to check your spam folder!