



VFC 2020-2021 Seasonal Influenza Vaccine Information

Dear VFC Provider,

Please read the attached letter “*VFC 2020-2021 Seasonal Influenza Vaccine Information*” for clinical information about this season’s influenza vaccine and VFC Program information.

Key takeaways from this letter:

- ✓ Annual influenza immunization with any licensed, age-appropriate influenza vaccine is recommended for all persons 6 months and older.
- ✓ Summary of Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices’ (ACIP) recommendations for the 2020-2021 influenza season.
- ✓ Although COVID-19 vaccines are not yet available, you should vaccinate against influenza to prevent comorbidities and to avoid putting a strain on the healthcare system. Resources included in the letter may help in your planning efforts.

Ensure Your Clinic Hours Are Up to Date

If your clinic will be closed due to COVID-19 or has limited hours, immediately notify the VFC Program and update your clinic hours to reflect any changes to prevent any unnecessary vaccine spoilage. If you expect to be closed for an indefinite period of time, review and complete the [Temporary Clinic Closure form](#) with your Provider of Record to inform us of this change.