## Welcome to California COVID-19 Vaccination Program Friday Provider Office Hours

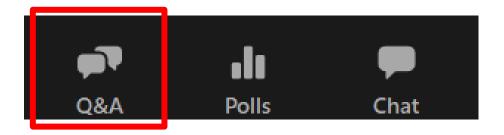


Friday, February 25, 2022



### **Provider Office Hours Q&A**

During today's session, please use the **Q&A panel** to ask your questions so our subject matter experts can respond directly.







## Housekeeping

#### **Reminder to Panelists:**

Please mute yourself when not speaking.

Please monitor the Q&A panel for questions you may be able to answer.

#### **Reminder to Attendees:**



Today's session is being recorded. Access today's slides and archived presentations at: <a href="https://eziz.org/covid/education/">https://eziz.org/covid/education/</a>



If you have technical difficulties, please contact Rachel.Jacobs@cdph.ca.gov



## Agenda: Friday, February 25, 2022

No.	Item	Speaker	Time (AM)
1	Welcome & Announcements	Leslie Amani (Moderator)	9:00 - 9:05
2	Vaccine Administration	Elizabeth Reosti (CDPH)	9:05 – 9:10
3	Therapeutics	John Openshaw, M.D. (CDPH)	9:10 – 9:15
4	Clinical Update	Caterina Liu, M.D. (CDPH)	9:15 – 9:20
	Q&A	N Contraction of the second	9:20 - 9:30
5	Storage & Handling	Kate McHugh (CDPH)	9:30 – 9:35
6	Vaccine Management	Eric Norton (My Turn) and Maria Volk (CDPH)	9:35 – 9:45
7	Wrap Up & Resources	Leslie Amani (Moderator)	9:45 – 10:00
	Q&A		
	Wrap Up & Resources	Leslie Amani (Moderator)	



## Announcements

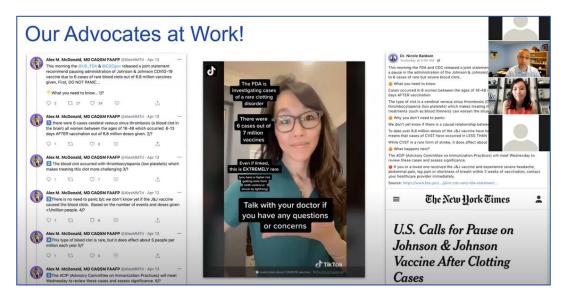
Leslie Amani, CDPH



# Using Social Media to Effectively Communicate about COVID-19 Vaccines: Small Group Training

#### **Peer-to-Peer Social Media Training**

- Attendees will participate in small breakout groups, each with a facilitator experienced in Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, or Tik Tok messaging.
- When: Wednesday, March 2 at 12:30PM
- Register here!

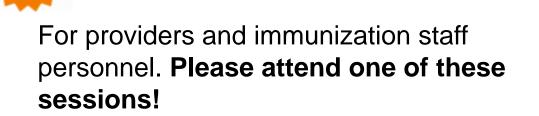






# Pfizer COVID-19 Vaccine Medical Updates & Training Sessions

Date & Time (linked)	Password			
<u>Tuesday, March 1 - 12PM</u>	svU8YkF58Qc			
Wednesday, March 2 - 9AM	3jJ2WJMgeb8			
<u>Thursday, March 3 - 9AM</u>	4UBrwQDva77			
<u>Tuesday, March 8 - 12PM</u>	yMMMMnf5U44			
Wednesday, March 9 - 9AM	2nWpjWa5H8B			
<u>Thursday, March 10 - 9AM</u>	YMeTxT4qf43			
More sessions listed! NOTE: All times listed here are P.S.T.				



Topics include:

NEW

- Introduction of new Controlant Temperature Monitoring Device
- Use of each vaccine presentation, including storage, handling, preparation, and administration for:
  - Ages 5 through 11 Years
  - Ages 12 Years and Older



## Take the VA58 Misinformation 101 Training!

The VA58 Trust & Safety Team is hosting a live training to help LHJs, MCEs, and Providers understand and respond to misinformation related to COVID-19 vaccines circulating within Californian communities.

#### WHAT IS IT?

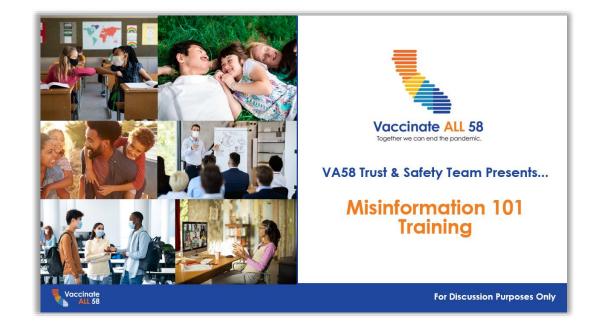
 This interactive, hour-long, live training will provide partners with a better understanding of what misinformation is, how it impacts people and the broader vaccination effort, and how to respond to it.

#### WHEN IS IT?

The training will take place on March 3<sup>rd</sup> from 12:30-1:30pm PST via Zoom.
 Please email rumors@cdph.ca.gov if you don't currently have the invite but would like to attend.

#### WHY TAKE IT?

 Conflicting information about the COVID-19 vaccines plays a big role in vaccine hesitancy, and the VA58 Campaign needs your support slowing its spread so that we can vaccinate all 58!





## VA58 Trust & Safety Team Updates

The VA58 Trust & Safety Team reports on trending narratives about COVID-19, delivers biweekly briefings, and develops comprehensive resources to increase awareness around mis-, dis-, and mal-information, as well as the State's capacity to counter it.

#### **BIWEEKLY BRIEFINGS**

Biweekly briefings provide partners with the top COVID-19 vaccine mis/dis topics and trends, and invitees receive a copy of the report post-briefing.

To be added to the invite, email rumors@cdph.ca.gov.

Agenda	For Discussion Purposes Only
Report Overview	This brief provides the top narratives from September 27 <sup>th</sup> to October 10 <sup>th</sup> that pose potential risks to public COVID-19 vaccine acceptance in California.
Recent Findings	Recent trends highlight emerging narratives and the latest tracking updates during the last two weeks.
Narrative Alerts	Please be on the lookout for statements, photos, and posts that pose potential risks to COVID-19 vaccine acceptance.
Additional Information	See something that seems amiss? Send it to <u>rumors@cdph.ca.aov</u> t
	November 5% 11 am PT Team or need tolow-up information® artain@caph.ca.gov) or Melanie Lerch ( <u>Melanie Jerch®caph.ca.gov</u> )
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#### **RUMORS INBOX**

The Rumors Inbox serves as a tip line for our partners to submit the COVID-19 rumors they're hearing online and within their communities to our team. We incorporate the submissions into our team's reporting.



Report COVID-19 Vaccine Rumors to:

rumors@cdph.ca.gov

#### **RECENT TOPICS & RESOURCES**

Mis/Dis/Mal-information example: Given California's repeal of mask mandates, COVID-19 vaccine mandates should also be repealed

 Trusted Resources: <u>CA Covid-19 School Readiness</u> <u>Hub</u>, <u>With COVID-19 Conditions Improving</u>, <u>State</u> <u>Public Health Leaders Modify Omicron Surge Policies</u> (ca.gov), <u>SMARTER Plan - Coronavirus COVID-19</u> <u>Response (ca.gov)</u>

Mis/Dis/Mal-information example: Plans to vaccinate children under five are motivated by profit and greed, not public health concerns.

 Trusted Resources: <u>CDC Information for Pediatric</u> <u>Healthcare Providers (cdc.gov)</u>, <u>AAP About the</u> <u>COVID-19 Vaccine: Frequently Asked Questions</u> (aap.org)



### **SMARTER Plan Resources**

#### California's COVID-19 Response

COVID-19 Home

Protect Your Health - Get Latest Guidance

See the Numbers - Learn More



#### The California SMARTER Plan

As we enter the next phase with COVID-19, which may include future surges and new variants, California will continue to be the nation's model for preparedness. We stand ready to build on what we have learned over the past two years to meet the COVID-19 challenges that lie ahead.

See the Plan

Read the Q&A



### **SMARTER Plan PDF**

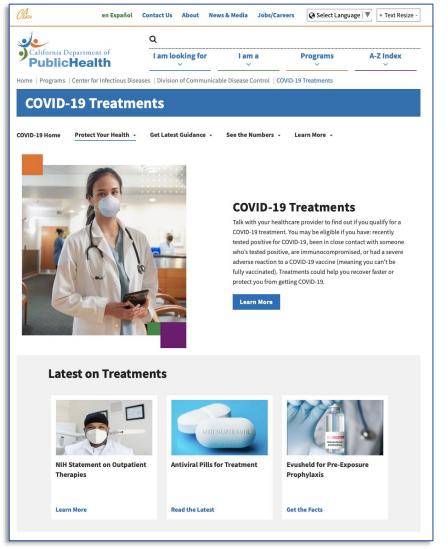
### **SMARTER Plan Toolkit**

### **SMARTER Plan on CA All**



## CDPH COVID-19 Treatments Webpage

- FAQs for general public and healthcare providers
- Information on allocation, distribution, and ordering
- Drug fact sheets
- Links to further resources
- Linked in the "Protect Your Health" section on the CDPH COVID-19 webpage



## Missed Vaccination Opportunities & Wastage Job Aid

- Avoid missed opportunities for vaccination
- Vaccinate family members or friends who accompany patients to medical visits, even if they are not established patients at the practice.
- Follow clinical best practices to maximize vaccination
  - Assess immunization status at every visit
  - Make a strong recommendation for immunization

#### **Missed Vaccination Opportunities &** Wastage California COVID-19 Vaccination Program Never miss a vaccination opportunity because of fear of vaccine wastage! Do your best to follow clinical and inventory management best practices for vaccination to maximize vaccinations and minimize dose wastage where possible. Kev Points Vaccine wastage is expected, may be unavoidable, and will even increase as vaccine rollout continues because more providers, including smaller provider sites, are now receiving vaccine; vaccine continues to be available only as multi-dose vials; and vials must often be punctured without using the full number of doses printed on the label Never Miss a Vaccination Opportunity CDC Guidance: Vaccinate every eligible person who presents at a Punctured vials must be used within: vaccination site-even if it means puncturing a vial at the end of the day 12 hours Several studies have shown eliminating missed opportunities Pfizer (5-11Y orange cap) could increase vaccination coverage by up to 20% (Pink Book, Pfizer Tris-Sucrose 12Y+ (gray cap) "System-Based Barriers"). Follow these tips: Moderna Vaccinate family members or friends who accompany 6 hours patients to medical visits even if they are not established Pfizer (12Y+ purple cap) patients at the vaccinating practice. Johnson & Johnson's Janssen (must be at Continue outreach to employers or other community 2-8 degrees Celsius) partners that have a large membership or network to arrange vaccination events for primary or booster doses. Follow both clinical and inventory management best Johnson & Johnson's Janssen (at room practices for vaccination to maximize vaccination and temperature) minimize dose wastage. Tips to Reduce Wastage Follow guidance in <u>CDC Toolkit</u> and <u>CDC summarized guidance</u> to reduce waste in COVID-19 vaccine storage, transport, handling, and administration in accordance with the CDC and manufacturer's guidance. If there are a substantial number of expiring vials, contact your local health department and other partners to discuss redistribution of vaccine to areas of need. Work with your local health department in advance to determine thresholds for the number of vials in danger of being wasted that would trigger a call for guidance. Make every effort to coordinate the number of vials needed with the anticipated number of patients when preparing for daily clinics to help reduce over-thawing of vaccine. California COVID-19 Vaccination Program IMM-1379 (2/16/22)

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### Stay informed! Provider Resources on eziz.org/covid

#### Frequent Content Updates:

- Alerts
- Program Enrollment
- My Turn Onboarding
- Reporting Requirements
- Patient Resources
- Archived Communications
- Education & Support Materials
- More to explore!

Vaccinate All 58	California COVID-19 Vaccination Program				
Program Updates	Updates for Providers				
Program Enrollment					
My Turn Onboarding					
Vaccine Management					
Vaccine Administration	FAQ Provider Training Training Office Hours Calendar				
Reporting Requirements					
Archived Communications	Alerts:				
Patient Resources	Updated Vaccination Schedule				
Provider Support	<ul> <li>Interim Clinical Considerations: Intervals for mRNA Vaccine</li> <li>COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age (Eligibility Chart) update coming soon</li> </ul>				
COVID Call Center	Now Enrolling Providers of Pediatric Services				
Email: Program Info Phone: (833) 502-1245 Hours: Mon-Fri, 8AM-6PM	<ul> <li>Make NO Mistake-COVID-19 Is A Childhood Illness</li> <li>Benefits for Primary Care Providers</li> <li>Find Information on How to Enroll</li> </ul>				
Contact us for questions about the program or help with accessing documents.	Children 6 Months to 4 Years – ON HOLD as of 2/11/22 • Pfizer 6M-4Y No Longer Available for Pre-Orders				
myCAvax and My Turn	Pfizer Training     Comparison Guide of COVID-19 Vaccine Products				
Email: myCAvax Technical Support MyTurn Onboarding, MyTurn Technical Support Phone: (833) 502-1245 Mon-Fri, 7AM-7PM Sat-Sun, 8AM-1PM	Featured Resources Tools to Avoid Vaccine Mix-Ups:				
My Turn Clinic Translation Line: (833) 980-3933 Mon-Fri: 8AM-8PM Sun-Sat: 8AM-5PM	<ul> <li>Comparison Guide of COVID-19 Vaccine Products</li> <li>COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age (Eligibility Chart)   Spanish</li> <li>Vaccine Administration Checklist</li> <li>Preventing Administration Errors</li> <li>Coadministration of COVID-19 Vaccine with Other Vaccines   Tips   Preteens</li> </ul>				
Vaccines	Vaccine Management:				
Manufacturer Contacts	<ul> <li>Upcoming Expiration Dates</li> <li>Reporting Doses Spoiled, Expired, or Wasted (including Moderna booster doses)</li> <li>Ordering Vaccines   Ordering &amp; Distribution Cadence</li> <li>Receiving Redistributed Small Orders</li> </ul>				



## **COVID-19 Vaccine Provider FAQs**

- Answers to provider questions
- Updated weekly: last updated 2/23/2022
- Currently in its 60<sup>th</sup> iteration!

Q: Where can COVID-19 vaccine Providers view a visual of COVID-19 vaccine timing by age?

A: CDPH created a new job aid that breaks down vaccine timing by age for both immunocompromised and immunocompetent individuals. Please view the COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age chart <u>here</u>.

> Perfect Q: By what date are all California health care workers required to receive COVID-19 vaccine booster doses?

A: On February 22, 2022, an updated <u>California Public Health Order</u> extended the date that all California health care workers are required to receive COVID-19 vaccine booster doses to March 1, 2022. This delay allows workers who have completed their primary vaccination series and recently had COVID-19 to delay their booster dose for up to 90 days from infection. For further information, please visit <u>Health Care Worker Vaccine Requirement</u> <u>Order</u>.

#### **California COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider FAQs**

For Prospective, Newly Enrolled, and Current California COVID-19 Vaccine Providers. Providers may also visit <u>California COVID-19 Vaccination Program</u> for information and updates.

#### Directions: Click on a category to be directed to related FAQs.

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#### Provider FAQs on EZIZ, Updated Weekly





#### **COVID-19 Vaccination Program Webinars and Training for Providers**

#### Week of February 28, 2022

#### Note: Calendar subject to change

	Monday 2/28	Tuesday 3/1	Wednesday 3/2	Thursday 3/3	Friday 3/4
myCAvax	myCAvax Vaccine Order Request with Q&A 10:00 am – 10:30 am				Provider Office Hours 9:00 am – 10:00 am PW: Immunize!
Combined Office Hours and Events	My Turn and myCAvax Office Hours 12 pm – 1 pm	Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Training & Education* 12:00 pm – 1:00 pm PW: svU8YkF58Qc What's New in myCAvax 12:30 pm – 1:00 pm	Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Training & Education* 9:00 am – 10:00 am PW: 3jJ2WJMgeb8	Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Training & Education* 9:00 am – 10:00 am PW: 4UBrwQDva77 Vaccinate 58 Misinformation 101 Training! 12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	

\* Pfizer BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Training & Education topics vary by day and include the latest information about vaccine storage, handling, preparation, and administration; recent medical updates, healthcare provider resources, and a Q&A session

View On	• What's New in myCAvax for	Provider 101 Account Enrollment: Section A:	<ul> <li><u>Recording a Transfer/Redistribution Report</u></li></ul>	• <u>Recording an Excursion Event</u>
Demand	Release 21 (v. 1/18/22)	Organization Application (v. 10/21/21)	(v. 12/20/21)	(v. 12/20/21)
	<ul> <li>Intro to My Turn Onboarding</li></ul>	Provider 101 Account Enrollment: Section B:	• Recording a Shipment Incident	• <u>Recording a Waste Event</u>
	(v. 1/4/22)	Location Application (v. 10/21/21)	(v. 12/20/21)	(v. 12/20/21)
	• Latest Features in My Turn (* Requires My Turn Login)	Provider Office Hours and MCE Office Hours Archived Sessions	<ul> <li>Using Multi-Line Ordering to Request Vaccine in myCAvax (v. 2/23/22)</li> </ul>	
Help	General email: <u>covidcallo</u> CDPH Provider Call Cen		/CAvax Help Desk Email: <u>myCAvax.HD@accen</u> one: (833) 502-1245	ture.com



## Vaccine Administration Data

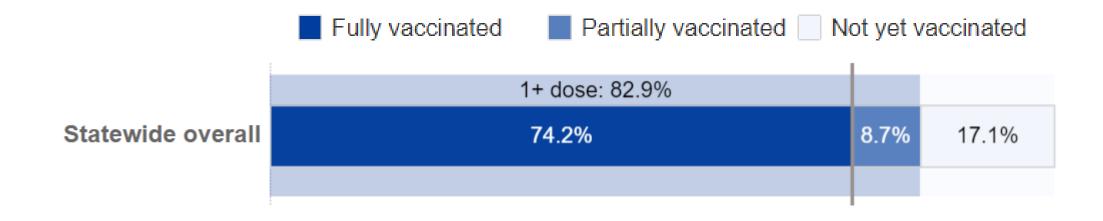
Elizabeth Reosti, CDPH



## Vaccine Administration Summary

as of February 24, 2022

## Total Doses Administered: 71,356,298

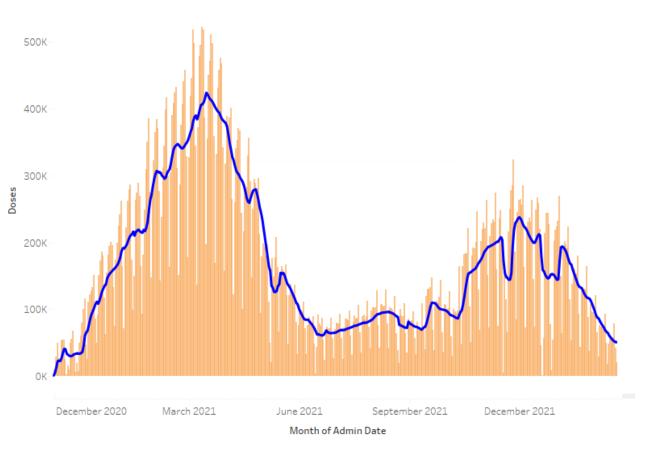




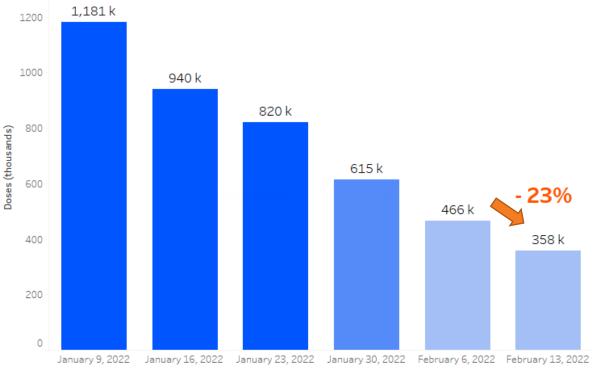
## **Trends in Vaccine Administration**

as of February 22, 2022

New Doses Administered



New Doses Administered (thousands)

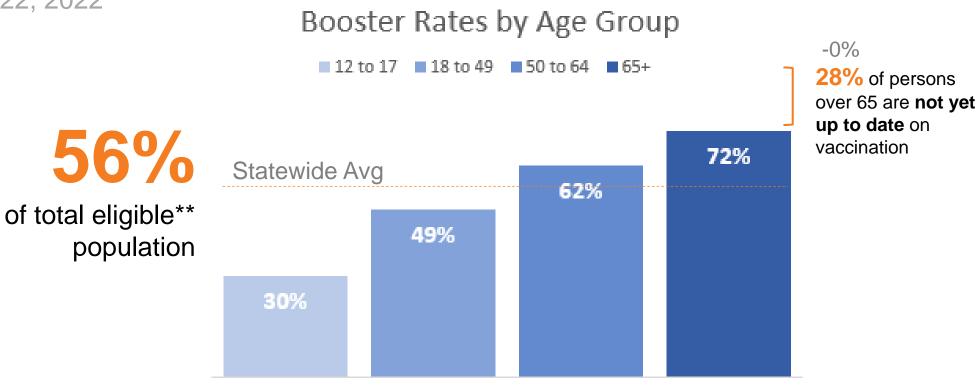


Week Start Date



## **Booster\* Vaccinations**

as of February 22, 2022



% Eligible, Has Received Booster

\*\*Note that 12-17 is the newest eligible age group for booster vaccination.

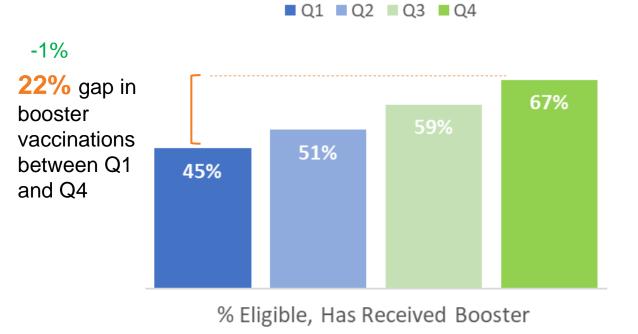
\*Includes Additional Doses

\*\*24,498,076 individuals, 12+ years of age, and J&J + 2 months or mRNA + 5 months

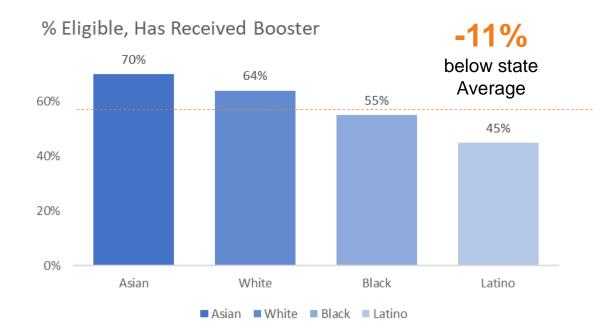


## **Booster\* Vaccinations**

as of February 22, 2022



Booster Rates by VEM/HPI Quartile



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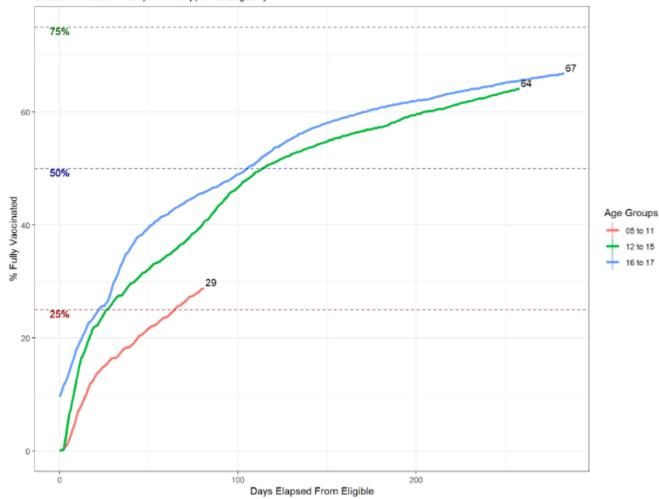
## Age Cohorts

as of February 14, 2022 (holiday reporting delay)

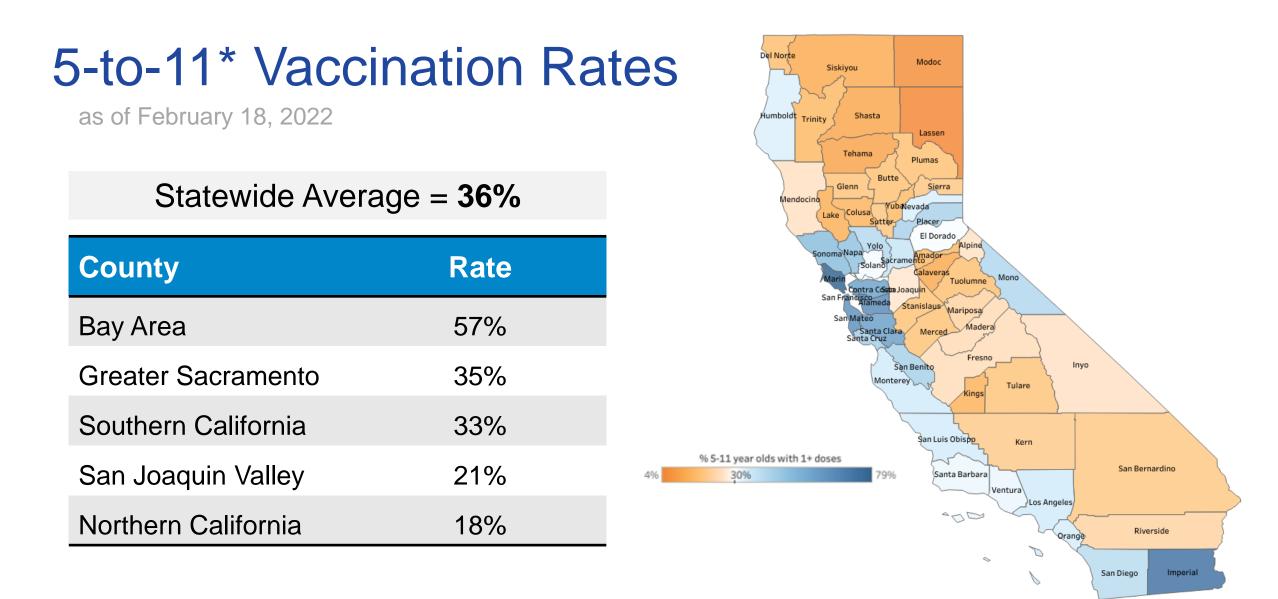
## Pediatric Vaccination Rates vary by Age

 5-to-11-year-olds took twice as long as 12-to-17-year-olds to reach 25% fully vaccinated rate Adolescent Age Cohorts

#### Percent Fully Vaccinated by Adolescent Age Groups Based on Number of Days Since Approved Eligibility









## **Data Summary**

as of February 22, 2022

**Statewide Trends** – modest increase, rates slowing

71.0 Million doses administered-23% change in new doses from the previous week

#### **Equity Metrics - no change**

22% gap between Q1 and Q4 boosters

33% gap between Q1 and Q4 5-to-11-year-olds

### **Ongoing Data Work**

Age-Race-County Rates

Improved Geographic Data (Region)

Promote Pediatric Access (VFC)

Race/Ethnicity Quality Improvement



## Therapeutics

John Openshaw, M.D., CDPH



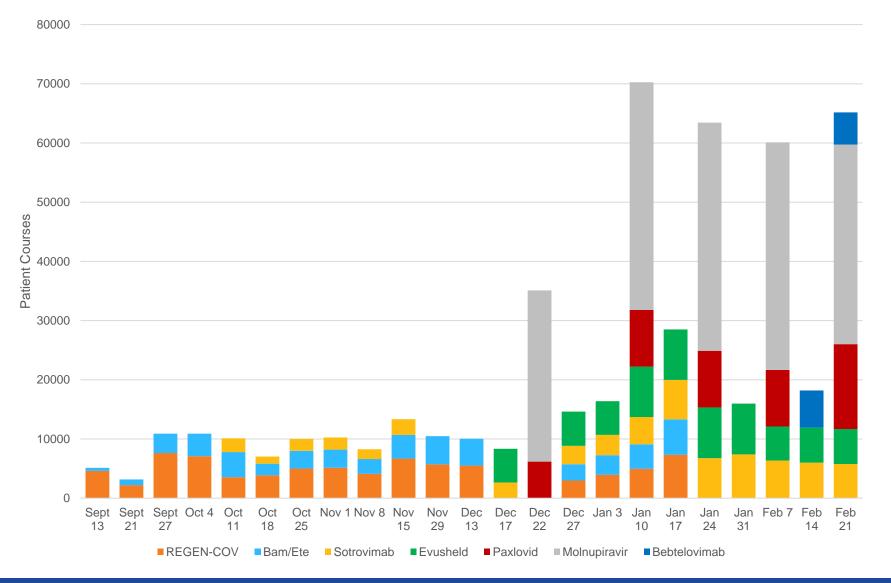
## Available Outpatient Therapies at Each Disease Stage

	SARS-CoV-2 Negative (-) Prophylaxis		SARS-CoV-2 Positive (+) Treatment	
	Not Exposed	Exposed	Mild Illness or Moderate Illness	
Treatment Options	Long-Acting Monoclonal Antibody Tixagevimab /cilgavimab (EVUSHELD)	Monoclonal Antibodies Bamlanivimab/ etesevimab Casirivimab/ imdevimab (REGEN-COV)	<ul> <li>Monoclonal Antibodies</li> <li>Bamlanivimab/etesevimab</li> <li>Casirivimab/imdevimab (REGEN-COV)</li> <li>Sotrovimab</li> <li>Bebtelovimab</li> <li>Bebtelovimab</li> <li>Mirmatrelvir/ritonavir (PAXLOVID)</li> <li>Molnupiravir (LAGEVRIO)</li> <li>Remdesivir (VEKLURY)</li> </ul>	

S Not effective against Omicron; as of January 24, **not** authorized for use in any USA state



### California Allocations by Product: Sept 13, 2021 – Feb 21, 2022





For the most up-to-date distribution numbers by cycle, see: US Dept of HHS Distribution by State & Territory 26

## **CDPH Allocation Strategies**

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Product	Authorized Indication	Distribution Point	Allocation Strategy
Sotrovimab & Bebtelovimab Anti-SARS-CoV-2 monoclonal antibodies	Treatment of mild to moderately ill outpatients with positive SARS-CoV-2 viral test	Facilities able to provide infusion services and monitor patients; number of courses for each site determined by Medical Health Operational Area Coordinators (MHOACs) at county level	Allocated to counties Based on new cases (7-day average) and new COVID-19 hospitalizations (7-day average). Weighted 25% to cases; 75% to hospitalizations.
Paxlovid Oral protease inhibitor & Molnupiravir Oral nucleoside analogue	Treatment of mild to moderately ill outpatients with positive SARS-CoV-2 viral test	Allocated to a limited number of providers and pharmacies that can dispense in each county, final list determined by local jurisdictions	Allocated to counties Based on new COVID-19 cases (7-day average) and <u>Healthy Places Index</u> (HPI); with 50% weighted to cases and 50% weighted to HPI. Within the 50% allocated by HPI, 40% to Q1 (most disadvantaged); 30% to Q2; 20% to Q3; 10% to Q4 (most advantaged).
Evusheld Anti-SARS-CoV-2 monoclonal antibody	Pre-exposure prophylaxis	Facilities able to provide infusion services and monitor patients; number of courses for each site determined by Medical Health Operational Area Coordinators (MHOACs) to determine number of courses for each site at county level,	Allocated to counties Based on share of the population in different HPI equity quartiles; 40% of state allocation to Q1 (most disadvantaged); 30% to Q2; 20% to Q3; 10% to Q4 (most advantaged).

For the most up-to-date allocation strategies, please see: <u>Distribution and Ordering of Anti-SARS-CoV-2</u> <u>Therapeutics (ca.gov)</u>

### New Monoclonal Antibody: Bebtelovimab

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has issued an Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) for the emergency use of Bebtelovimab for the treatment of mild-to-moderate coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19) in adults and pediatric patients (12 years of age and older weighing at least 40 kg):

- with positive results of direct SARS-CoV-2 viral testing, and
- who are at high risk for progression to severe COVID-19, including hospitalization or death, and
- for whom alternative COVID-19 treatment options approved or authorized by FDA are not accessible or clinically appropriate.

**Dosage**: 175 mg single <u>intravenous injection</u> over at least 30 seconds. Give as soon as possible after positive results of direct SARS-CoV-2 viral testing and <u>within 7 days of symptom onset.</u>

**Pharmacokinetics**: No expected drug interactions, renal or hepatic impairment concerns, or bodyweight dosing adjustments

Clinical Outcome Data: Still being studied; phase 1/2 studies suggest similar safety profile to other monoclonals



## Resources

Because COVID-19 therapeutics are such a rapidly changing area of pandemic response, we encourage all providers to regularly check for updates on variant resistance, eligible populations, and treatment guidelines

#### **Best resources for up-to-date information:**

- Therapeutic Locator (HHS): <u>COVID-19 Therapeutics Locator (arcgis.com)</u>
- NIH Treatment Guidelines: <u>COVID-19 Treatment Guidelines (nih.gov)</u>
- ASPR/HHS website: <u>COVID-19 Therapeutics | HHS/ASPR</u>
  - Side-by-side comparison table for specific drugs: <u>Side-by-Side Overview of Outpatient Therapies Authorized</u>

for Treatment of Mild-Moderate COVID-19 (hhs.gov)

- CDPH COVID-19 Treatments site (information for patients and providers): <u>COVID-19 Treatments (ca.gov)</u>
- Healthcare Provider Fact Sheets:
  - <u>Paxlovid</u>, <u>Sotrovimab</u>, <u>Bebtelovimab</u>, <u>Remdesivir</u> (here for patients <12 years of age), <u>Molnupiravir</u>, and <u>Evusheld</u>



## **Clinical Update**

Caterina Liu, M.D., CDPH



### CDC and WSSSRW: Considerations for Intervals for mRNA COVID-19 Vaccine Primary Series

TABLE 2. COVID-19 vaccination schedule for the primary series in the general population\*

Primary series vaccine manufacturer	Age group	Number of doses in primary series	Number of booster doses	Interval between 1st and 2nd dose	Interval between primary series and booster dose
Pfizer-BioNTech	5–11 years	2	NA	3 weeks	NA
Pfizer-BioNTech	≥12 years	2	1	3-8 weeks†	≥5 months
Moderna	≥18 years	2	1	4-8 weeks <sup>†</sup>	≥5 months
Janssen	≥18 years	1	1	NA	≥2 months

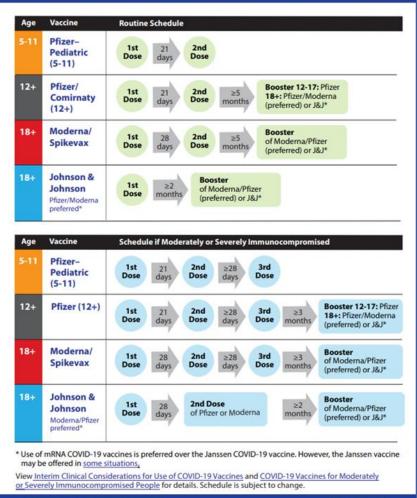
<sup>†</sup>An **8-week** interval may be optimal for some people ages 12 years and older, especially for males ages 12 to 39 years. A **shorter interval** (3 weeks for Pfizer-BioNTech; 4 weeks for Moderna) between the first and second doses remains the recommended interval for: people who are moderately to severely immunocompromised; adults ages 65 years and older; and others who need rapid protection due to increased concern about community transmission or risk of severe disease.



## Job Aid: COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age

- 1-page COVID-19 vaccine guidance schedule
- Breaks down schedule by age and vaccine type

#### COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age



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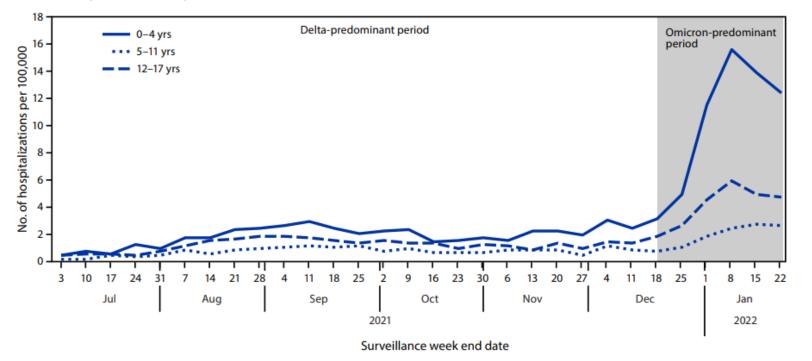
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## Hospitalizations of Children and Adolescents with Laboratory-Confirmed COVID-19 – COVID-NET, 14 States, July 2021-January 2022

FIGURE. Weekly COVID-19–associated hospitalization rates\* among children and adolescents aged 0–17 years, by age group — COVID-NET, 14 states,<sup>†</sup> July 3, 2021–January 22, 2022



Abbreviation: COVID-NET = Coronavirus Disease 2019–Associated Hospitalization Surveillance Network.

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\* Number of patients with laboratory-confirmed COVID-19–associated hospitalizations per 100,000 population; rates are subject to change as additional data are reported.
<sup>†</sup> COVID-NET sites are in the following 14 states: California, Colorado, Connecticut, Georgia, Iowa, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New Mexico, New York, Ohio, Oregon, Tennessee, and Utah. Starting the week ending December 4, 2021, Maryland data are removed from weekly rate calculations.

- Hospital and ICU admission rates higher during Omicron than during Delta
- Peak hospitalization rates during Omicron were 4 times the Delta-peak rate among children of all ages and almost 5 times higher among children aged 0-to-4 years
- During the Omicron period, the monthly hospitalization rate among unvaccinated adolescents was 6 times that of vaccinated.

Effectiveness of Maternal Vaccination with COVID-19 Vaccine During Pregnancy Against Infant Hospitalization, July 2021-January 2022

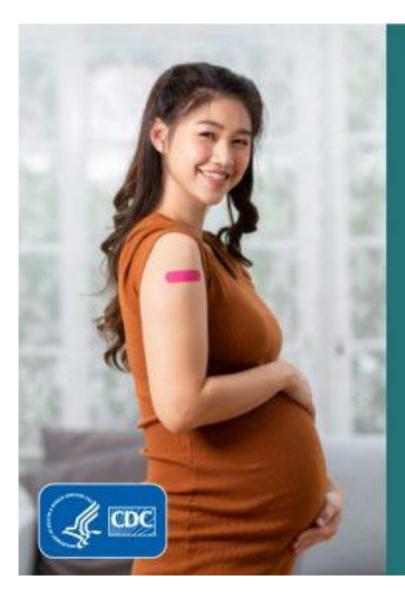
> TABLE 3. Effectiveness\* of maternal 2-dose primary mRNA COVID-19 vaccination against COVID-19-associated hospitalization in infants aged <6 months, by timing of maternal vaccination during pregnancy<sup>†</sup> — 20 pediatric hospitals, 17 states,<sup>§</sup> July 2021–January 2022

	No. vaccinated¶/Total (%)		Vaccine
Timing of maternal vaccination during pregnancy <sup>†</sup>	Case- infants	Control- infants	effectiveness,* % (95% Cl)
Any time Early (first 20 weeks)			61 (31 to 78) 32 (-43 to 68)
Late (21 weeks' gestation through 14 days before delivery)			80 (55 to 91)

Completion of vaccine primary series during pregnancy protects against infant COVID-19 hospitalization.



MMWR (2/18/2022): Halasa et al. Effectiveness of Maternal Vaccination with mRNA COVID-19 Vaccine During Pregnancy Against COVID-19– Associated Hospitalization in Infants Aged <6 Months



COVID-19 vaccination\* among pregnant people is associated with



about 60% reduced risk of COVID-19 hospitalization in babies younger than 6 months old

People who are pregnant, may become pregnant, or are breastfeeding should get vaccinated against COVID-19

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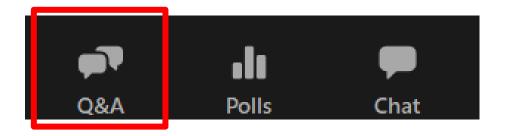


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# Storage & Handling

Kate McHugh, CDPH



## Provider Concern: Vaccine Wastage

Never miss a COVID-19 vaccination opportunity!

- <u>Concern</u>: Wasting vaccines, especially if a vial is punctured to vaccinate a single patient.
- <u>Response</u>: Vaccine wastage is expected, may be unavoidable, and will increase as vaccine rollout continues because
  - more providers, including smaller provider sites, are now receiving vaccine;
  - vaccine continues to be available only as multi-dose vials; and
  - vials must often be punctured without using the full number of doses printed on the label.

**<u>CDC Guidance</u>**: Vaccinate every eligible person who presents at a vaccination site—even if it means puncturing a vial at the end of the day.

- Avoid missed opportunities for vaccination
- Vaccinate family members or friends who accompany patients to medical visits even if they are not established patients at the practice.
- Follow clinical best practices to maximize vaccination
  - Assess immunization status at every visit
  - Make a strong recommendation for immunization

## Janssen Vaccine Shelf-Life Extension

- CDPH has not heard any updates yet, but the amendment was submitted to FDA and is waiting approval
- Extension would add an additional 1.5 to 5 months to the shelf life.
- For J&J vaccine expiring soon, please hold on to it!



## **Update: Moderna Smaller Vials**

- Moderna plans to make smaller vials!
- Will be 5 doses per vial
- They may start shipping in April
- Should reduce waste and help smaller providers



# Vaccine Management

Eric Norton, My Turn and Maria Volk, CDPH



## Immunocompromised Booster Timeline System Update

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To reflect the updated guidance, there was an additional question regarding immunocompromised status and a checkbox to confirm the timeline when accepting a Walk-In appointment that went live on February 23<sup>rd</sup>.

See the updated timeline for those moderately or severely immunocompromised below.

Vaccine	Vaccinat	ion Sc	hedule:								
Pfizer-	1 <sup>st</sup> dose		2 <sup>nd</sup>		3rd				Boos	ster	
BioNTech			dose		dose				dose	*	
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and older)			1 <sup>st</sup> dose)		after				after	3rd	
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Moderna	1 <sup>st</sup> dose		2 <sup>nd</sup>			3rd				Booster	·
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\*Any COVID-19 vaccine can be used for the booster dose in people ages 18 years and older, though mRNA vaccines are preferred. For people ages 12–17 years, only Pfizer-BioNTech can be used People ages 5–11 years should not receive a booster dose.

People ages 5–11 years should not receive a booster dose.
†Only Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine should be used

* Which dose is this?	
Booster	
* Which vaccine did the patient receive for their primary series?	
If the patient received a mix of international vaccine brands for their primary series, ple guidance for international vaccines.	ase reference the CDC
Johnson & Johnson	
Moderna	
O Pfizer	
WHO-EUL approved vaccine	
Non-WHO-EUL approved vaccine	
* Is the patient immunocompromised?	
Yes	
O No	
Additional doses have been prioritized for moderately to severely immunocomp includes people who have:	promised people. This
<ul> <li>Been receiving active cancer treatment for tumors or cancers of the blood</li> <li>Received an organ transplant and are taking medicine to suppress the immune</li> <li>Received a stem cell transplant within the last 2 years or are taking medicine immune system</li> </ul>	

- · Received CAR-T-cell therapy, hematocrit therapy (HCT)
- Moderate or severe primary immunodeficiency (such as DiGeorge syndrome, Wiskott-Aldrich syndrome)
- Advanced or untreated HIV infection
- Active treatment with high-dose corticosteroids or other drugs that may suppress your immune response
- Confirmed patient completed their primary series at least 3 months ago for immunocompromised patients.



## Moderna Doses for WHO EUL Approved Vaccine

The My Turn system was updated on February 23<sup>rd</sup> such that those who received a WHO EUL approved vaccine can receive Moderna

doses.

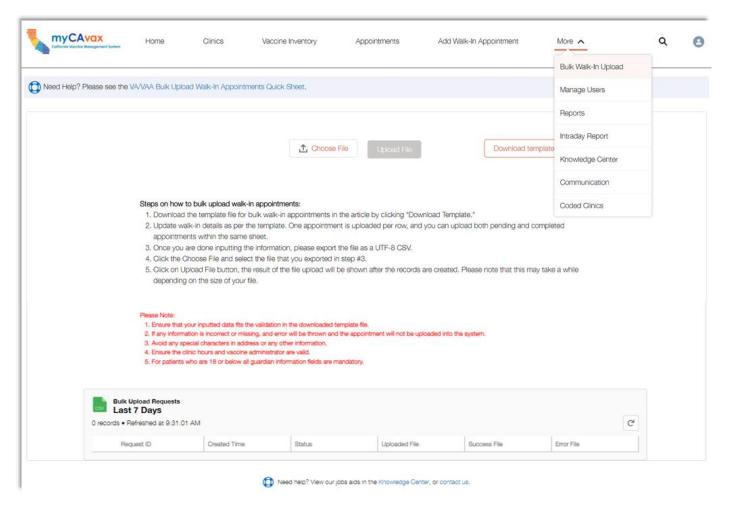
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Vaccine Brand			
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None			
Pfizer			
Moderna			



## **Uploading Mass Doses**

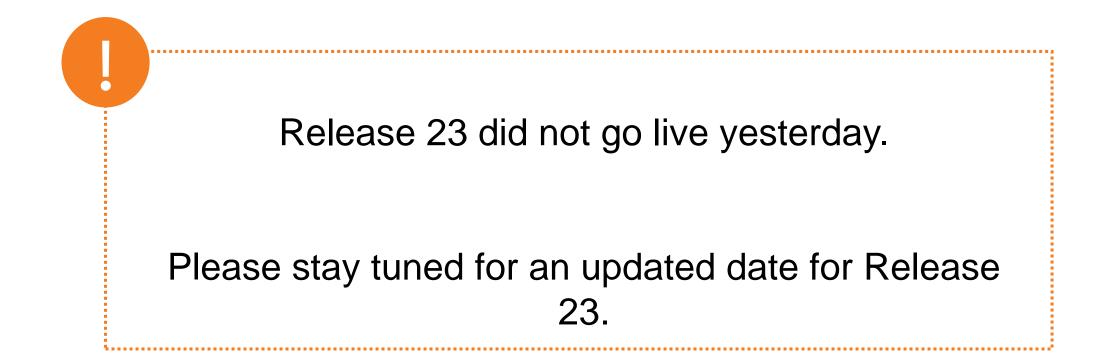


Reminder that the Bulk Upload feature in My Turn can only accept **50 appointments maximum** at one time in each file.





## Release 23 Update





## **Release 23:** Brand-New Vaccine Ordering Screen

With Release 23, Providers will notice updates to the Vaccine Order Screen to improve the Ordering process.





- Inventory information will start 
   populating from
   VaccineFinder. Remember
   to continue updating
   inventory information every 
   day!
- You will be able to request **multiple products** at once without distinguishing a Small or Standard Order.
  - Use the Order Increment values to guide you on how much product to order.



 Opt-Out of Ancillary Kits will be available for products in both Small and Standard Orders. Providers cannot Opt-Out of Ancillary Kits for Pfizer products.



## What's Next on myCAvax: Release 23\* Changes for Providers

There will be major updates to the Vaccine Order Review screen for all Providers.

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#### The new interface features...

- 1. Links to **updated product guides** and **job aids**.
- 2. Inventory information populating from VaccineFinder.

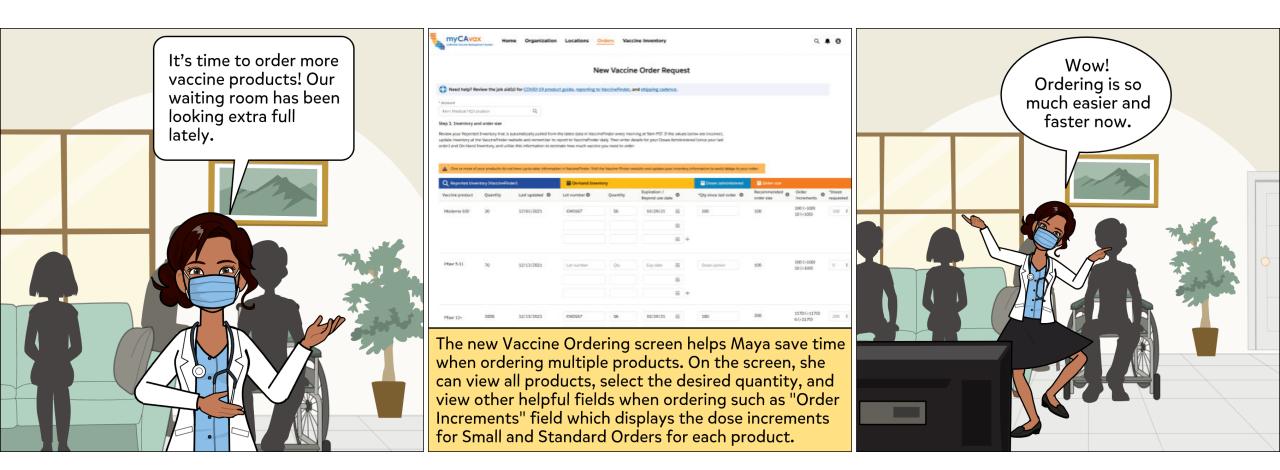
#### Providers can...

- 3. Request multiple products at once without distinguishing a Small or Standard Order.
- 4. Opt-out of ancillary kits for Standard and Small Orders (except Pfizer).



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## myCAvax Maya – The New Vaccine Order Request Screen





# Using VaccineFinder Data in myCAvax

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Providers should update vaccine inventory information once a day in **VaccineFinder**.



Inventory data from VaccineFinder populates on the Vaccine Order Review page in myCAvax.



VaccineFinder information refreshes in myCAvax at 9 am PST every day.



Your LHDs/MCEs will use this information when reviewing and approving orders to determine need.



\*For more information on how to input data into VaccineFinder, view this job aid or contact the VaccineFinder Help Desk at vaccinefinder@castlighthealth.com or call 855-886-4317.

## VaccineFinder Data Reporting

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When Reporting to VaccineFinder, always remember to use the correct NDC code. Incorrect NDC codes or NDC codes for outdated product will cause the data to not populate properly in myCAvax.



If you experience issues with your VaccineFinder data in myCAvax please reach out to CDPH <u>covidcallcenter@cdph.ca.gov</u>. We can work with Providers to see screenshots and ensure the data is updated properly.



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# APPENDIX



## What's Next on myCAvax: Release 23

#### **Multi-Line Ordering**

- A button will be added to bring a draft Order, with all products in that order, back to the Multiline interface for ease of submitting the full Order.
- The Order screen will dynamically display Order Increment values based on whether the product is available for Standard, Small, or both types of orders.
- New Ordering interface will give Providers the ability to Order multiple products in one transaction.

#### **Small/Standard Orders**

 Vaccine Order Review Screen will be updated to include the Most Recent Inventory field for reference for LHD/MCE users.

#### **Site Visits**

- LHDs/MCEs will be able to view a Site Visits tab with information regarding Quality Assurance Site Visits conducted by CDPH for their Providers.
- LHDs/MCEs will have a shell created for entry of their own Site Visits.

#### Reports

- Tiles for several reports will be added to the LHD dashboard.
- Vaccine Finder Inventory fields will be added to Order reports.



## myCAvax – Known Issues - Updated 2/17

### ▶\_<sup>™</sup> Known Issues

# Changing the Status of a Transfer in 'Rejected'/'Accepted' Status

 We will implement a process that allows for Rejected/Accepted transfers to be re-reviewed to a different status.

#### Org Coordinators Missing from Related Contacts on a Provider Location

 We will address an issue that allows for some Community Users to not be able to see all of their Location's Waste Events and Shipments

## Workaround/Next Steps

#### ✓ Fix: 2/24/2022

 Providers will need to contact the CDPH Helpdesk at <u>COVIDCallCenter@cdph.ca.gov</u> or by calling (833) 502-1245, if they would like to change the status on their previously-reviewed transfer.

Fix: 2/24/2022







# **Additional Support**

Type of Support	Description	Updated 12.29.21				
COVID-19 Provider Call Center	The COVID-19 Call Center for Providers and Local Health Departments is dedicated to medical provide their COVID-19 response, specifically addressing questions about State program requirements, enrolling distribution, including the Vaccine Marketplace.					
	Email: <u>covidcallcenter@cdph.ca.gov</u>					
	Phone: (833) 502-1245, Monday through Friday from 8AM–6PM					
Enrollment Support	For Provider enrollment support, please contact myCAvax Clinic Operations at					
	Email: myCAvaxinfo@cdph.ca.gov					
	Dedicated staff provide up-to-date information and technical support on the myCAvax system.					
myCAvax Help Desk	Email: myCAvax.HD@Accenture.com					
$\Box$	<ul> <li>Phone: (833)-502-1245, option 3, Monday through Friday 7AM–7PM, Saturday and Sunday 8AM-1PM</li> </ul>					
	For training opportunities: https://eziz.org/covid/education/					
My Turn Clinic Help Desk	For <b>onboarding support</b> (those in the process of onboarding): <u>myturnonboarding@cdph.ca.gov</u>					
	For <b>technical support</b> with My Turn Clinic for COVID-19 and flu vaccines: <u>MyTurn.Clinic.HD@Accentu</u> (833) 502-1245, option 4: Monday through Friday 7AM–7PM, Saturday and Sunday 8AM–1PM.	<u>ire.com</u> or				
	For job aids, demos, and training opportunities: flu at <u>https://eziz.org/covid/myturn/flu/</u> and COVID at <u>htt</u>	ps://eziz.org/covid/myturn/				
Archived Communications	For archived communications from the COVID-19 Provider Call Center about the California COVID-19 visit	Vaccination Program				
<b>T</b>	Website: EZIZ Archived Communications					



## Hear it? Clear It.

If you see or hear of any vaccine-related rumors within the communities you serve, share them with our Trust and Safety team via the CDPH Rumors Inbox.



#### **Trust and Safety Team**

Our shared mission is to reduce COVID-19 vaccine hesitancy and increase vaccination across the State of California.



#### How You Can Help

You are critical in our effort to provide Californians accurate and timely information around COVID-19 vaccination.



Monitor online media and what you hear in your local communities for potential rumors and inaccurate information.

## If found, report it to rumors@cdph.ca.gov





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Thank you!



## Monday: My Turn myCAvax Office Hours Zoom Link

Next session: Monday, February 28, at 12:00 PM

### Friday: Provider Office Hours

Next session: Friday, March 4 at 9AM

Audio Conference: Register to access

Session Password: Immunize!

Thank you to Provider Office Hours' Planning Team: Leslie Amani, Rachel Jacobs, Hailey Ahmed, Blanca Corona, and Reva Anderson.

