## CA Vaccines for Adults (VFA) Program
### Eligibility Based on Insurance Status

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<td><strong>Uninsured/No Insurance</strong> (includes those who receive primary care through county safety net programs; these are <strong>NOT</strong> considered health insurance)</td>
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| **Medi-Cal Fee-For-Service/ Medi-Cal Managed Care**  
[bit.do/healthplandirectory](bit.do/healthplandirectory) | **NOT** Eligible for VFA vaccines¹                                      |
| **Medicare Part B (medical benefit)**²  
**AND Part D (prescription drug benefit)** | **NOT** Eligible for VFA vaccines                                        |
| **Medicare Part B Alone**² | Eligible for these routine VFA vaccines:  
• Zoster  
• Tdap  
• Td if patient does **NOT** have a wound  
• Hep B if patient **NOT** high or intermediate risk |
| **Medicare Part D Alone**³ | Eligible for these routine VFA vaccines:  
• PPSV23  
• PCV13  
• Hep B |
| **Insurance NOT through Medi-Cal or Medicare** | Only eligible for VFA vaccines that are **NOT** covered by patient’s private insurance plan⁴ |

¹Full scope Medi-Cal covers all ACIP-recommended vaccines.

²Medicare Part B covers medical services including: influenza, pneumococcal (PPSV23 and PCV13), and other vaccines (such as Td, Hep B, Hep A, and Rabies vaccines) directly related to the treatment of an injury or direct exposure to a disease or condition. As such, Medicare Part B will cover Td as preventative care for tetanus when patient has a wound. Similarly, Hep B vaccine is only available to low-risk patients through VFA because Medicare Part B will cover Hep B vaccine when a patient is considered high or intermediate risk for contracting Hepatitis B:

- End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) patients;
- Hemophiliacs who receive Factor VIII or IX concentrates;
- Clients of institutions for the mentally disabled;
- Persons who live in the same household as a Hepatitis B Virus (HBV) carrier;
- Men who have sex with men;
- Illicit injectable drug users;
- Persons diagnosed with diabetes mellitus;
- Staff in institutions for the mentally disabled; and
- Workers in health care professions who have frequent contact with blood or blood-derived body fluids during routine work.

³Except for vaccines covered under Part B, Medicare Part D covers all commercially available vaccines as long as the vaccine is reasonable and necessary to prevent illness. Contact your patient’s plan to find out about coverage.

⁴Fully insured adults whose insurance covers the cost of the vaccine(s) are **NOT** eligible for VFA vaccine(s), even if the insurance includes a high deductible or co-pay, the plan’s deductible has not been met, or the insurance has cost sharing.