



# REMINDER: Complete Survey for COVID-19 Vaccine Brand Preference for California VFC Providers by Tomorrow, July 18

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Dear VFC Provider,

The Department of Health and Human Services has begun preparations for sunsetting the US Government COVID-19 Vaccination Program, and transitioning vaccine purchasing, distribution, and payments to traditional pathways as currently in place for non-COVID vaccines. It is anticipated that this transition of COVID-19 vaccines availability in traditional commercial markets will occur early Fall 2023. When this transition occurs, the Vaccines for Children Program will make COVID-19 vaccines available through MyVFCVaccines for continued immunization of eligible VFC populations, under 19 years of age.

In order to plan for a national VFC COVID-19 vaccine supply this fall, CDC is conducting a needs assessment to guide COVID-19 vaccine products and presentations. Please take a few minutes to complete a [brief survey](#) to assist us in assessing what is needed for an overall California VFC COVID-19 vaccine supply. Only one survey for each VFC Provider location is needed and should be completed in consultation with clinic staff responsible for COVID-19 vaccine related activities (i.e., vaccine planning, ordering, administration, etc.).

VFC providers must order and stock routine vaccines in accordance with populations served as indicated in the [VFC Provider Agreement](#). Providers

will have to plan and prepare for purchasing COVID-19 vaccine supply for non-VFC eligible patients served by the practice. Please consider your practice's procedures for product and brand preference selection for VFC and privately purchased vaccines when responding to this survey. The information submitted on the survey is for planning purposes only, as specific brands and packaging for Fall 2023 COVID-19 products will be finalized upon FDA authorization.

Please complete this [survey](#) by **COB, July 18, 2023**.