
VFA Program Updates and Year 7 Requirements

Immunization Branch

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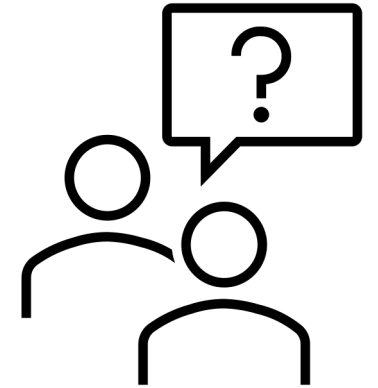
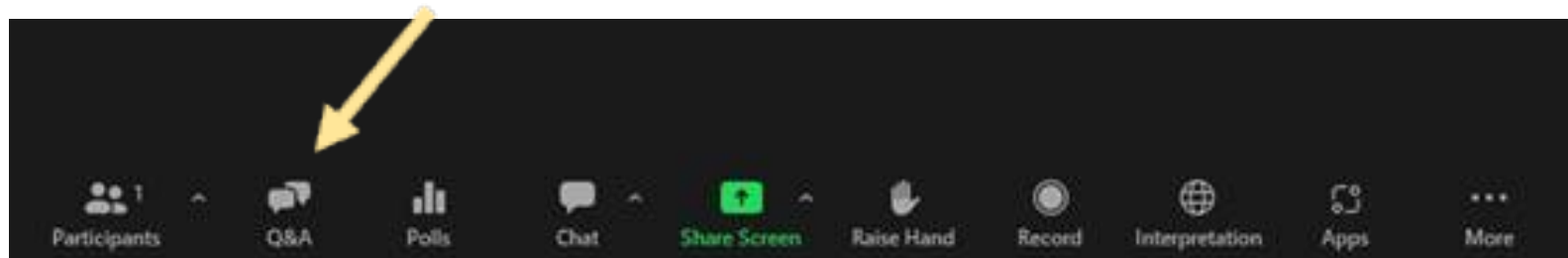
The webinar is being recorded. Today's slides and the recording will be posted shortly after the event at <https://eziz.org/vfa-317/vfa-resources/>.



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Questions

During the webinar, open the **Double Bubble Q&A** to submit written comments or questions.



Webinar Objectives

At the end of this webinar, participants will be able to...

1. Identify ways to integrate PCV20 usage into clinical practices.
2. Explain new pneumococcal vaccine recommendations.
3. Identify provider and patient education resources.

Agenda

- **Guest Speaker** – Danicia Ormonde (Community Health Centers of the Central Coast)
- **Program Updates** – Nisha Gandhi
- **IZ Updates** – Dr. Caterina Liu
- **Resources** – Terisha Gamboa
- **Q&A Session**



GUEST PRESENTER

Danicia Ormonde

Immunization Coordinator at Community Health Centers of the Central Coast



Danicia Ormonde

Immunization Coordinator

I have had the pleasure of leading our Immunization Department here at CHC for the last near 9 years. My role includes overseeing the vaccination programs, onboarding training for Nursing/Medical Assistants, Meet and Greet with all new providers. I am the lead VFC designee assisting in all our 17 VFC Provider locations. I have planned and conducted numerous outreach events across the Central Coast. From Back-to-School Vaccinations, Influenza Vaccination, and our newest but not so new COVID Vaccinations. In the last couple of years, I have increased our collaboration with our local Public Health for Santa Barbara and San Luis Obispo Counties with vaccination efforts.

Working together and making a difference in our communities.

Utilize CAIR Daily

- ▶ **Pre-Visit Planning:**
- ▶ Our Care Teams are conducting pre visit planning by scrubbing the charts prior to the scheduled office visit.
- ▶ Care Teams are reconciling with CAIR and the EMR system to highlight the vaccines due for the upcoming visit along with identifying quality measures that still need to be met.
- ▶ **Day of the Visit:**
- ▶ Receptionist at check-in are printing the CAIR routing slips for the back-office staff to review as part of the intake workflow.
- ▶ Back-office staff (Medical Assistants) during the intake are providing the VIS for each vaccine the patient is due for today. Regardless if the patient agrees to the vaccination. This continues to provide an education piece that is key.
- ▶ Provider exam process then to the order placed.
- ▶ Vaccination, any follow up doses needed will be scheduled at the time of check out.

CAIR Immunizations Needed/Routing Slip Report

CAIR2

PRD 2.8.3.5

Patients

patient search
manage patient status

Reports

reminder / recall
check reminder status
cocasa extract
check request status
afix reports
ad hoc list report
ad hoc count report
ad hoc report status
vaccine eligibility
assessment report
check assessment
benchmark report
check benchmark
manage custom letters
group patients
check group status
check reminder list
check vaccine elin status

home manage access/account forms related links logout help desk

organization CHC DELVALLE • user DANICIA ORMONDE • role CAIR Power User

Patient Information

Patient Name (First - MI - Last)	DOB	Gender	Tracking Schedule	Medical Record Number	CAIR ID
Name	02/02/2003	M	ACIP		

Address [Address information](#)

Home Phone/Cell Phone

Comments

Reports Available for this Patient

Report	Description	Additional Information
Immunization History Report	Displays demographics, registry data, contact information, as well as detailed immunization history.	None
Immunizations Needed/Routing Slip	Displays demographics, contact information, immunization history, as well as immunizations needed.	None
Yellow Card Report	Prints the California Immunization Record (Yellow Card).	None
Blue Card Report	Prints the California School Immunization Record (Blue Card).	None

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Immunizations Needed /Routing Slip

Medical Record Number:	Tracking Schedule:	Race:
Patient Name (L, F, M): Name		<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native
Birth Date: DOB		<input type="checkbox"/> Asian
Age: 19 years, 11 months, 2 days		<input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander
Gender: Male	Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino	<input type="checkbox"/> Black or African-American
		<input type="checkbox"/> White
		<input type="checkbox"/> Prefer Not to Say
		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other

Patient Comments:	From Date:	To Date:
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Immunization Record				
Vaccine Group	Date Admin	Series	Vaccine [Trade Name]	Dose
COVID-19	04/15/2021	1 of 2	COVID-19, mRNA,LNP-S,PF [Pfizer]	Full
COVID-19	05/07/2021	2 of 2	COVID-19, mRNA,LNP-S,PF [Pfizer]	Full
COVID-19	01/17/2022	Booster	Pfizer mRNA LNP-S PF 12yrs and older	Full
HPV	10/03/2015	1 of 2	HPV, NOS	Full
HPV	07/20/2017	2 of 2	HPV, Quadrivalent	Full
Influenza-seasnl	10/03/2015	Booster	Flu nasal NOS	Full
Influenza-seasnl	12/17/2018	Booster	Flu quadrivalent nasal	Full
Men ACWY	08/20/2014	1 of 2	MCV4, NOS	Full
Men ACWY	06/14/2019	2 of 2	MCV4O [Menveo ©]	Full
Td/Tdap	08/20/2014	1 of 2	Tdap	Full
Td/Tdap	07/27/2021	2 of 2	Tdap [Adacel ©]	Full

Immunizations Due Record			
Vaccine	Date Needed	Trade Name/ Lt #/Funding Source	Give These
COVID-19	03/14/2022		
HepB	02/02/2021		
Influenza-seasnl	08/01/2022		
MMR	02/02/2004		
Td/Tdap	01/27/2022		
Varicella	02/02/2016		

CAIR System Importance

- ▶ By having a daily connection with CAIR and making a standard workflow that includes vaccine reconciliation for each visit and or each encounter with the chart is how we stay driven to success. Providing the patient education on vaccination. Why they are so important and why we will continue to recommend and offer vaccines at every chance we get. Just think if you have a complex patient that is seen every 3 months that is 4 times a year that you have vaccinating opportunities.
- ▶ “We would not stop educating if it was not so important”

VFA Program

A very important key piece to assist in keeping our most vulnerable patients up to date with vaccines and protected from serious diseases.

A program that shows success and is worth fighting for.

Free Vaccines for Adults



Ask us about getting these vaccines for free* if:

- **You are uninsured or**
- **Your insurance doesn't cover these vaccines**

* No charge for getting the vaccine or for the cost of the vaccine. Check with office staff as other fees may apply.

VFA
California Vaccines for Adults Program

 **CDPH**

California Department of Public Health, Immunization Branch

- ☐ Hepatitis A
- ☐ Hepatitis B
- ☐ Human Papillomavirus
- ☐ Meningitis
- ☐ Measles, Mumps, Rubella
- ☐ Pneumonia
- ☐ Tetanus, Diphtheria
- ☐ Tetanus, Diphtheria, Whooping Cough
- ☐ Chickenpox
- ☐ Shingles

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Thank you for your time!

“Don’t wait, vaccinate!”
immunizations@chccc.org

PROGRAM UPDATES

Nisha Gandhi, MPH

Program Updates

- Recertification launched Dec 2022
 - [Provider Agreement](#) available
- Next ordering period— January 9th thru 20th
- Next VFA webinar— TBD
- Program requirements for 2023 are identical to 2022
- Inclusion of new vaccine (Priorix™)



Year 7 Requirements

REMINDERS

- Immunization of VFA-eligible patients will be documented in or submitted through data exchange as '317' doses to an immunization information system (CAIR2/Healthy Futures) and documented in an Electronic Health Record (EHR).
 - [AB 1797](#) is now enacted legislation. Healthcare providers are now mandated to enter immunizations administered into CAIR or RIDE/Healthy Futures. See [FAQs](#) for more information.
- Review doses reported in the immunization information system (IIS) a **minimum of every six months**.
- Order vaccines according to the quarterly VFA order frequency; **providers who have not ordered vaccines in the past calendar year may be terminated from the VFA Program**.

CLINICAL UPDATE

Caterina Liu, MD, MPH

CDPH Influenza (Flu), RSV, and Other Respiratory Viruses Report (Week 52: December 25– December 31, 2022)

Influenza Highlights



▼ **12.9%**
Laboratory
flu positivity



▲ **6.7%**
Outpatient
ILI activity



▼ **2.6%**
Hospital
flu admissions



359
Deaths
since 10/2/2022



68
Outbreaks
since 10/2/2022

Influenza Activity Levels⁺



Geographic Area	Activity Level
California Statewide	Moderate
Northern Region	Moderate
Bay Area Region	Moderate
Central Region	Moderate
Upper Southern Region	Low
Lower Southern Region	Moderate

- Overall influenza activity remains elevated in California.
- Now is a good time to get your flu shot.
- Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) activity is decreasing in California.

5 Key Tips to Staying Healthy this Winter

From Dr. Tomás Aragón

Get Vaccinated, Boosted (and Treated)

Flu and COVID-19 vaccines continue to be your best defense to limit severe illness and death – and you can get both at the same time. If you test positive for COVID-19, contact your doctor or a [test-to-treat site](#) immediately to seek [treatment](#). Treatments work best when started right after symptoms begin.

Stay Home if You're Sick!

It's crucial to stay home if you are feeling ill. Avoid close contact with others to protect them and take the time you need to heal. This is especially important for respiratory viruses like the flu, RSV and COVID-19, which can lead to more severe illness.

Wear a Mask

There is no vaccine for RSV, so wearing a mask can significantly slow the spread and protect babies and young children who do not yet have immunity and are too young to wear a mask themselves. Wearing a mask in indoor public places is a good way to limit the spread of germs.

Wash Your Hands

Your mom was right: Frequent handwashing, with soap and warm water – for at least 20 seconds, is an easy way to prevent getting sick and spreading germs.

Cover Your Cough or Sneeze

Remember to cough or sneeze into your elbow, your arm, or a disposable tissue to help prevent the spread of winter viruses. Just make sure to wash your hands or sanitize and dispose of your tissue after.

COVID-19 Vaccine Updates

- Updated (bivalent) boosters authorized and recommended for all adults
- Children down to 6 months also eligible for bivalent vaccines
- Boosters remain important to maintain protection against severe COVID-19
- For more information:
 - [CDPH COVID-19 Vaccination Program](#)
 - [CDPH COVID-19 Vaccine Timing Guide](#)

What are the benefits of the updated COVID-19 boosters?

The updated booster dose is an important tool to improve protection against currently circulating variants as well as prior strains.

**Find a booster at
MyTurn.ca.gov**



COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age

COVID-19 Vaccine Timing				
Routine Schedule				
Age*	Vaccine	1st Dose	2nd Dose	3rd Initial Dose
6 months–4 years	Pfizer–Infant/Toddler	1st Dose	3–8 weeks*	2nd Dose ≥8 weeks
6 months–5 years	Moderna–Infant/Toddler	1st Dose	4–8 weeks*	2nd Dose
5–11 years	Pfizer–Pediatric	1st Dose	3–8 weeks*	2nd Dose
6–11 years	Moderna–Pediatric	1st Dose	4–8 weeks*	2nd Dose
12+ years	Moderna–Adol/Adult	1st Dose	4–8 weeks*	2nd Dose
12+ years	Pfizer/Adol/Adult	1st Dose	3–8 weeks*	2nd Dose
12+ years	Novavax	1st Dose	3–8 weeks*	2nd Dose
18+ years	Janssen (J&J) Pfizer/Moderna/Novavax preferred**	1st Dose		
Bivalent Booster† Moderna: ● 6 months–5 years ● 6+ years Pfizer: ● 5–11 years ● 12+ years (For people who previously received a monovalent booster dose(s), the bivalent booster is administered at least 2 months after the last monovalent booster dose.)				

* See schedules for children in transition from a younger to older age group.
** Although use of mRNA COVID-19 and Novavax vaccines is preferred, the Janssen vaccine may be offered in some situations.
† For people who have not received any booster doses and are unable or unwilling to receive bivalent booster vaccine, the monovalent Novavax booster may be administered as a single booster dose at least 6 months after completion of the primary series to people 18 years and older.
^ An 8-week interval may be preferable for some people, especially for males 12–39 years.
§ Children who have already received 3 monovalent doses are not eligible for the Pfizer bivalent vaccine at this time.
View [Interim Clinical Considerations for Use of COVID-19 Vaccines](#) for details. Schedule is subject to change.

COVID-19 Vaccine Timing by Age

Calendario de la Vacuna COVID-19				
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Edad*	Vacuna	1ra Dosis	2da Dosis	3ra Dosis Inicial
6 meses–4 años	Pfizer–Bebés/Niños Pequeños	1ra Dosis	3–8 semanas*	2da Dosis ≥8 semanas
6 meses–5 años	Moderna–Bebés/Niños Pequeños	1ra Dosis	4–8 semanas*	2da Dosis
5–11 años	Pfizer–Pediátrico	1ra Dosis	3–8 semanas*	2da Dosis
6–11 años	Moderna–Pediátrico	1ra Dosis	4–8 semanas*	2da Dosis
12+ años	Moderna–Adol/Adulto	1ra Dosis	4–8 semanas*	2da Dosis
12+ años	Pfizer/Adol/Adulto	1ra Dosis	3–8 semanas*	2da Dosis
12+ años	Novavax	1ra Dosis	3–8 semanas*	2da Dosis
18+ años	Janssen (J&J) Pfizer/Moderna/Novavax preferido**	1ra Dosis		
Dosis de Refuerzo Bivalente† Moderna: ● 6 meses–5 años ● 6+ años Pfizer: ● 5–11 años ● 12+ años (Para las personas que recibieron previamente una(s) dosis de refuerzo monovalente, el refuerzo bivalente se administra al menos 2 meses después de la última dosis de refuerzo monovalente.)				

* Vea los horarios para niños en transición de un grupo de edad más joven a mayor.
** Aunque se prefiere el uso de las vacunas ARNm COVID-19 y Novavax, la vacuna Janssen se puede ofrecer en algunas situaciones.
† Para las personas que no han recibido ninguna dosis de refuerzo y no pueden o no quieren recibir la vacuna de refuerzo bivalente, el refuerzo monovalente de Novavax puede administrarse como una dosis de refuerzo única al menos 6 meses después de completar la serie primaria a personas mayores de 18 años.
^ Un intervalo de 8 semanas puede ser preferible para algunas personas, especialmente para hombres de 12 a 39 años.
§ Los niños que ya han recibido 3 dosis monovalentes no son elegibles para la vacuna bivalente de Pfizer en este momento.
Consulte las [Consideraciones clínicas provisionales para el uso de las vacunas contra el COVID-19](#) para obtener más detalles. El calendario está sujeto a cambios.

Spanish: IMM-1396S Vaccine Timing Chart (eziz.org)

Updated







COVID-19 Vaccine Product Guide

COVID-19 Vaccine Product Guide



Check vaccine labels and [EUA fact sheets](#) before use to avoid mix-ups.

EUA fact sheets supersede info on vials and carton. Refer to [CDC Product Guide](#) for more information.

Pfizer					
	Infant/Toddler 6 months– 4 years*	Bivalent Dose 3 6 months– 4 years		Pediatric Primary Series 5–11 years	Bivalent Booster 5–11 years
					
		*Bivalent" on label			*Bivalent" on label
Packaging	Maroon Cap	Maroon Cap		Orange Cap	Orange Cap
Doses Per Vial	10 doses	10 doses		10 doses	10 doses
Carton Size	100 doses	100 doses		100 doses	100 doses
Min. Standard Order	100 doses	100 doses		100 doses	100 doses
NDC-Unit of Use (vial)	59267-0078-01	59267-0609-01		59267-1055-01	59267-0565-01
CVX Code	219	302		218	301
Storage Limits Before Puncture: Label vaccine with expiration and use-by dates.					
ULT (-90°C to -60°C)	Up to 18 months from manufacture date.				
Thermal Shipper					
Freezer					
Refrigerator (2–8°C)	Up to 10 weeks (write the date on carton)				
Expiration Date	18 months from manufacture date printed on vial and carton or check product website .				
Administration					
Diluent (supplied)	2.2 mL per vial			1.3 mL per vial	1.3 mL per vial
Dose Volume— Primary/Additional	0.2 mL [†] (3 mcg dose)			0.2 mL [†] (10 mcg dose)	N/A
Dose Volume— Booster	N/A			Do not use for boosters.	0.2 mL [†] (10 mcg dose)
Refrigerator Thaw Time (2° to 8°C/ 36°F to 46°F)	Up to 2 hours in carton			Up to 4 hours in carton	Up to 4 hours in carton
(Do not refreeze)					
Room Temp Thaw Time	Vial: 30 minutes at up to 25°C (77°F)				
Total Time at Room Temp (Do not refreeze)	Up to 12 hours (including thaw time) at 8°C to 25°C (46°F to 77°F)				
Storage Limits After Puncture (Multi-dose vials): Record puncture and use-by time on vial label.					
Use-By Limit (Discard Time After 1st Puncture)	Discard after 12 hours at 2°C to 25°C (35°F to 77°F)				

* Labels for Pfizer 6 months–4 years product may not reflect expanded age ranges. Refer to [Provider Letter](#).
† Syringes in ancillary kits may require estimating volume between lines, or using private stock.

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COVID-19 Vaccine Product Guide



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Pfizer		Novavax	Janssen (J&J)
Adol/Adult Primary Series 12+ years	Bivalent Booster 12+ years	Primary 12+ yrs Monovalent Booster 18+	Adult 18+ years
	"Bivalent" on label		
Packaging	Gray Cap	Royal Blue Cap	Blue Cap
Doses Per Vial	6 doses	10 doses	5 doses
Carton Size	60 doses	100 doses	50 doses
Min. Standard Order	180 doses	100 doses	100 doses
NDC-Unit of Use (vial)	59267-1025-01	80631-0100-01	59676-0580-05
CVX Code	217	211	212
Storage Limits Before Puncture: Label vaccine with expiration and use-by dates.			
ULT (-90°C to -60°C)	Until expiration		
Thermal Shipper			
Freezer			
Refrigerator (2–8°C)	Up to 10 weeks	Until expiration	Until expiration
Expiration Date	18 months from manufacture date on vial and carton. Check product website .	Check product website .	Check product website , QR code, or 800-965-4008
Administration			
Diluent (supplied)	Do not dilute	Do not dilute	Do not dilute
Dose Volume—Primary/Additional	0.3 mL (30 mcg dose)	Age 12+: 0.5 mL (5 mcg)	0.5 mL
Dose Volume—Booster	Do not use for boosters.	Age 18+: 0.5 mL (5 mcg)	0.5 mL
Refrigerator Thaw Time (2° to 8°C/ 36°F to 46°F)	Up to 6 hours in carton	N/A	N/A. If needed immediately, thaw at room temperature.
(Do not refreeze)			
Room Temp Thaw Time	Vial: 30 minutes at up to 25°C (77°F)	N/A	Carton: up to 4 hrs Vial: about 1 hour at 25°C (77°F) max
Total Time at Room Temp (Do not refreeze)	Up to 12 hours (including thaw time) at 8°C to 25°C (46°F to 77°F)	N/A	Store up to 12 hours at 9°C to 25°C (47°F to 77°F)
Storage Limits After Puncture (Multi-dose vials): Record puncture and use-by time on vial label.			
Use-By Limit (Discard Time After 1st Puncture)	Discard after 12 hours at 2°C to 25°C (35°F to 77°F)	Discard after 6 hours at 2°C to 25°C (36°F to 77°F)	Discard after 6 hours at 2°C to 8°C (36°F to 46°F) or 2 hours at 25°C (77°F) max

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COVID-19 Vaccine Product Guide



Check vaccine labels and [EUA fact sheets](#) before use to avoid mix-ups.

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	Moderna				
	Infant/Toddler 6 months– 5 years	Bivalent Booster 6 months– 5 years	Pediatric Primary Series 6–11 years*	Adol/Adult Primary Series 12+ years	Bivalent Booster 6+ years
	Magenta Border	"Bivalent" On label	Purple Border	Light Blue Border	Gray Border
Packaging	Dark Blue Cap	Dark Pink Cap	Dark Blue Cap	Red Cap	Blue Cap
Doses Per Vial	10 doses	2 doses	5 doses	10–11 doses	5–10 doses
Carton Size	100 doses	20 doses	50 doses	100 doses	50–100 doses
Min. Standard Order	100 doses	100 doses	100 doses	100 doses	100 doses
NDC—Unit of Use (vial)	80777-0279-05	80777-0283-02	80777-0275-05	80777-0273-10	80777-0282-05
CVX Code	228	230	221	207	229
Storage Limits Before Puncture: Label vaccine with expiration and use-by dates.					
ULT (-90°C to -60°C)					
Thermal Shipper					
Freezer	Until expiration at -50°C to -15°C (-58°F to 5°F)				
Refrigerator	Up to 30 days (not to exceed expiration date) at 2–8°C (36–46°F)				
Expiration Date	Check product website or QR code.				
Administration					
Diluent	Do not dilute.				
Dose Volume— Primary/Additional	0.25 mL [†] (25 mcg dose)	N/A	0.5 mL (50 mcg dose)	0.5 mL (100 mcg dose)	N/A
Dose Volume— Booster	Do not use for boosters.	0.2 mL [†] (10 mcg dose)	Do not use for boosters.*	Do not use for boosters.	Age 12+ is 0.5 mL. Age 6–11: 25 mL
Refrigerator Thaw Time (2° to 8°C/ 36°F to 46°F) (Do not refreeze)	2 hours (Let vial stand at room temp for 15 min before administering.)	45 minutes (Let vial stand at room temp for 15 min before administering.)	2 hours (Let vial stand at room temp for 15 min before administering.)	2.5 hours (Let vial stand at room temp for 15 min before administering.)	2 hours (Let vial stand at room temp for 15 min before administering.)
Room Temp Thaw Time	45 minutes at 15° to 25°C (59° to 77°F)	15 minutes at 15° to 25°C (59° to 77°F)	45 minutes at 15° to 25°C (59° to 77°F)	1 hour at 15° to 25°C (59° to 77°F)	45 minutes at 15° to 25°C (59° to 77°F)
Total Time at Room Temp (Do not refreeze)	Store up to 24 hours at 8°C to 25°C (46°F to 77°F)				
Storage Limits After Puncture: Record puncture and use-by time on vial label.					
Use-By Limit (Discard Time After 1st Puncture)	12 hours at 2°C to 25°C (36°F to 77°F)	8 hours at 2°C to 25°C (36°F to 77°F)	Discard after 12 hours at 2°C to 25°C (36°F to 77°F)		

* Labels for early shipments of Moderna 6–11 years product do not reflect authorized age ranges. Refer to [Provider Letter](#).
† Syringes in ancillary kits may require estimating volume between lines, or using private stock.

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COVID-19 Vaccine Products



Influenza Vaccine Facts

- Flu vaccine prevents millions of illnesses and flu-related doctor visits each year.
- While flu vaccine is not 100% effective at preventing infection, it can still help protect against severe disease and death.
- During the [2019-2020 flu season](#), flu vaccination prevented ~ 7.5 million influenza illnesses, 3.7 million influenza-associated medical visits, 105,000 influenza-associated hospitalizations, and 6,300 influenza-associated deaths. Those illnesses and deaths were prevented even when flu vaccine was only 39% effective.



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GIGI'S FLU STORY

"A perfectly healthy person came to the brink of death."

Co-administration: Resources to share with the Public

Getting a Flu Vaccine and a COVID-19 Vaccine at the Same Time



Pair Recommendation for Flu Vaccine with other Adult Vaccines

- [Main Flu Resources Page on EZIZ](#)
- [Protect against Shingles! flyer](#) | [Spanish](#)
- [If you are 65+, You need flu and pneumonia shots flyer](#) | [Spanish](#)
- [COVID-19 Vaccines and Boosters](#)
(poster for older adults- will soon be updated)
[Spanish](#) | [Tagalog](#) | [Chinese](#) | [Hmong](#)

Visit [this EZIZ.org webpage](https://eziz.org) for more adult immunization materials.



50+ or immune compromised?
Protect Against Shingles!

Get 2-doses of the Shingles Vaccine (Shingrix®)

What are the benefits of getting the Shingles Vaccine?

- It is the best way to prevent shingles (a painful rash that can cause long-term nerve pain).
- It is 90% effective at preventing shingles, even in people who had shingles before.

Who should get the vaccine?

CDC recommends 2 doses of the vaccine, 2-6 months apart for:

- Ages 50 years and older.
- Ages 19-49 years with a weakened immune system.

Is Shingrix® covered by my health plan?

Shingrix® is covered by most private insurance, Medicare Part D, and Medi-Cal. Call your plan to confirm coverage or fees.

What should I expect after my shot?

Commonly, people have a sore arm or swelling where the shot was given. Some people have fatigue, headache, stomach ache, or nausea for a few days or less.

For more information, talk to your healthcare provider or visit [CDC.gov/shingles/vaccination.html](https://www.cdc.gov/shingles/vaccination.html)

1 out of 3 people in the U.S. will get shingles. Your risk goes up as you age.




Jim's Story
He said it felt like someone was stabbing him....
—wife of shingles survivor, Jim. See full "A Shingles Story" at [ShotByShot.org](https://www.shotbysot.org)


Ask your doctor or pharmacist for the shingles shot today!


 CDPH
California Department of Public Health


Flyer for Flu and COVID-19 vaccines (and boosters)


Protect yourself and your family with flu and COVID-19 vaccines




 It's easy to get vaccinated

 The vaccines help you stay healthy

 The vaccines protect your family

 **Your family and co-workers are counting on you! Get immunized against flu and COVID-19!**

IMM-1310E (12/22) 

[Farmworkers Flyer IMM-1296 \(eziz\)](#)

Protéjase y proteja a su familia con las vacunas contra la influenza (gripe o "flu") y el COVID-19



 Es fácil vacunarse.

 Las vacunas le ayudan a mantenerse sano(a).

 Las vacunas protegen a su familia.

 **¡Su familia y compañeros de trabajo cuentan usted! ¡Vacúnese contra la influenza y el COVID-19!**

IMM-1310S (1/23) 

[Spanish Version of Flyer IMM-1296](#)

#DontWaitVaccinate Flu Campaign

Sample message:

It's not too late to get your flu shot! Flu usually peaks between December and February, but it can spread as late as May. With the flu season still going on, it is important to get a flu vaccine to protect yourself and your loved ones.

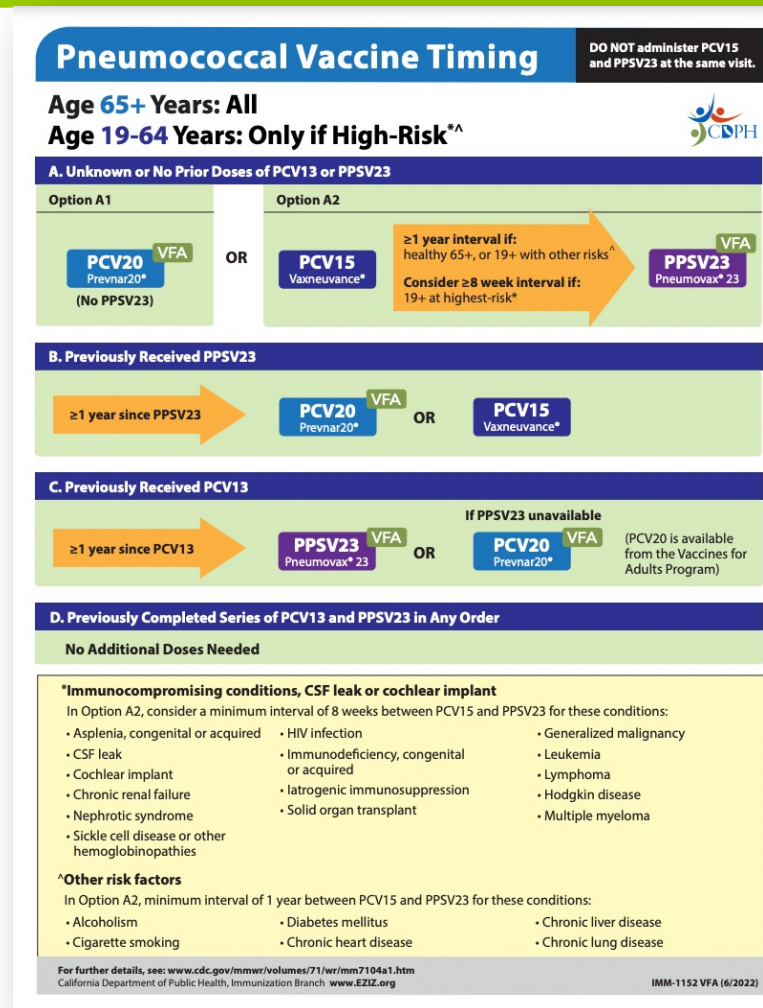
<https://www.immunizeca.org/DontWaitVaccinate/>



Updates from October 2022 ACIP Meeting

- COVID-19 vaccines added to VFC program and 2023 routine adult and pediatric immunization schedules
- Pneumococcal vaccine guidance for adults updated & clarified. PCV20 recommended for:
 - adults aged ≥ 19 years who previously received PCV13 only
 - adults aged 19–64 years with IC who previously received PCV13+PPSV23
 - adults aged ≥ 65 years who previously received PCV13+PPSV23
- Data reviewed on COVID-19 vaccine safety and effectiveness in pregnant people and infants.
- RSV vaccine and therapeutic information reviewed

Pneumococcal Timing Guide



[VFA-specific Pneumococcal Timing Guide](#)

Priorix Recommended by ACIP

- Measles, Mumps, Rubella Vaccine (Priorix) considered interchangeable with M-M-R II
- First licensed in Germany in 1997; approved in >100 countries outside the U.S.
- [MMR adult vaccination recommendation](#): 1 dose if no evidence of immunity to measles, mumps, or rubella


[Measles, Mumps, Rubella Vaccine \(PRIORIX\): Recommendations of ACIP, 2022](#)

[ACIP Slides, June 2022](#)

[MMR Vaccine Fact Sheet \(Updated\)](#)

Provider Resources

- [ACIP Recommendations](#)
- [Priorix Letter](#)
- [Vaccine Fact Sheets \(EZIZ\)](#)
 - [MMR Vaccine Fact Sheet \(updated with Priorix\)](#)

 Vaccine Fact Sheet MMR		
Protects Against	Measles, Mumps, and Rubella	Measles, Mumps, and Rubella
Brand Name and Manufacturer	M-M-R II® Merck	Priorix GlaxoSmithKline (GSK)
Routine Schedule	Two (2) dose series: First dose at 12-15 months and second dose at 4-6 years	Two (2) dose series: First dose at 12-15 months and second dose at 4-6 years Adults: 1-2 doses if no evidence of immunity. See CDC guidance: https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/hcp/imz/adult.html#note-mmr
Minimum Intervals	4 week minimum interval between dose 1 and 2	4 week minimum interval between dose 1 and 2
Approved for use in	Persons aged 12 months and older	Persons aged 12 months and older
Administration	Subcutaneous (SC) injection	Subcutaneous (SC) injection
Packaging	Vaccine is packaged as 10 single-dose vials of lyophilized vaccine and a separate box of 10 single-dose 0.7mL vials of sterile diluent	Vaccine is packaged as 10 single-dose 0.5mL pre-filled vials without needles. And 10 single dose pre-filled ungraduated syringes of sterile water diluent
Storage	Store between -58°F and +46°F (-50°C to +8°C) RECOMMEND STORAGE IN FREEZER PROTECT VACCINE FROM LIGHT	Store between 36°F and 46°F (2°C and 8°C) DO NOT FREEZE
Full ACIP Recommendations	http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/preview/mmwrhtml/00053391.htm	https://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/volumes/71/wr/mm71146a1.htm
VFC Letter	Not available on EZIZ	https://eziz.org/assets/docs/Memo/2022Nov30AdditionToVFCPriorixNewFormulationOfMMR.pdf
Billing Codes	CHDP code: 33 CPT code for vaccine: 90707 CPT code for administration: 90460 Medi-Cal Fee-For-Service (FFS) administration: 90707 with modifiers -SK (high-risk) and -SL (VFC) ICD-10-CM code (encounter for immunization): Z23 * https://www.aafp.org/family-physician/practice-and-career/getting-paid/coding/vaccine-administration.html	CPT code for vaccine: 90707 CPT code for administration: 90460, 90461 Medi-Cal Fee-For-Service (FFS) administration: 90707 with modifiers -SK (high-risk) and -SL (VFC) ICD-10-CM code (encounter for immunization): Z23 * https://www.aafp.org/family-physician/practice-and-career/getting-paid/coding/vaccine-administration.html
Comments	Licensed in 1971	Priorix was licensed in June 2022

MORE PATIENT AND PROVIDER RESOURCES

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Additional Patient Resources



- [COVID-19 Vaccination Patient Resources](#) (Vaccinate All 58)
- [Fight the Flu. Get Vaccinated! toolkit](#) (CDPH)
- [Influenza Vaccination page](#) (EZIZ)
- [Adult Patient Immunization Resources](#) (EZIZ)
- [Don't Wait Vaccinate toolkit](#) (CIC)
- [Digital Media Flu Vaccination Toolkit](#) (CDC)
- [Adult IZ Resources page](#) (CDC)

VFA Resources

- [VFA Resources page \(EZIZ\)](#)
- [Eligibility Based on Insurance Status](#)
- [317 \(VFA\) Eligibility Screening Record | Spanish](#)
- [FAQs](#)
- [Program Participation Requirements at-a-Glance](#)

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

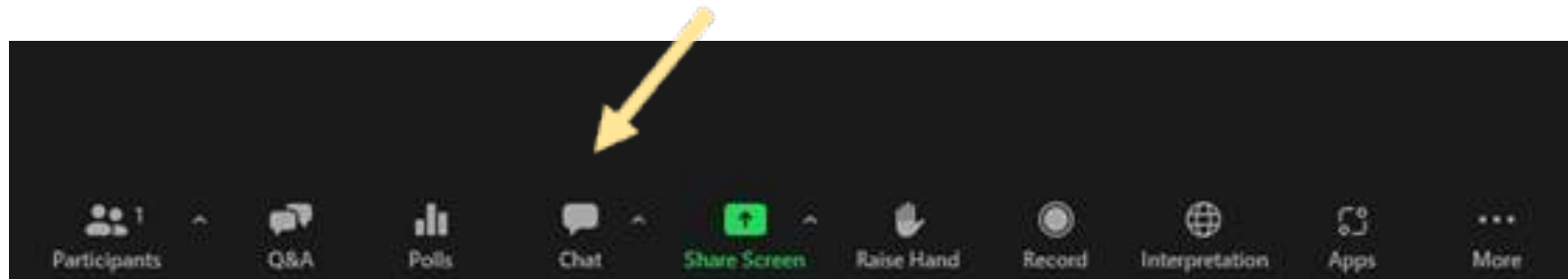


Patient Health Insurance Status	VFA (317 – Funded Vaccine) Eligibility
Uninsured/No Insurance (includes those who receive primary care through county safety net programs; these are NOT considered health insurance)	Eligible for ALL VFA vaccines
Medi-Cal Fee-For-Service/ Medi-Cal Managed Care bit.do/healthplandirectory	NOT Eligible for VFA vaccines ¹
Medicare Part B (medical benefit)² AND Part D (prescription drug benefit)	NOT Eligible for VFA vaccines
Medicare Part B Alone²	Eligible for these routine VFA vaccines: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Zoster• Tdap• Td if patient does NOT have a wound• Hep B if patient NOT high or medium risk• Hep A• Varicella• HPV• MMR
Medicare Part D Alone³	Eligible for these routine VFA vaccines: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• PPSV23• PCV20• Hep B
Insurance NOT through Medi-Cal or Medicare	Only eligible for VFA vaccines that are NOT covered by patient's private insurance plan ⁴

Share your Opinion!

What other immunization resources would be helpful in your practice?

Please answer in the chat.





QUESTION AND ANSWER SESSION

THANK YOU!

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Recording can be found on [VFA Resources Page](#)

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<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CHL5TSB>