



KidsVaxGrant Launching in April – Up to \$25K for Your Practice!

CDPH is partnering with Physicians for a Healthy California (PHC) to launch the KidsVaxGrant program, offered exclusively to **VFC providers**. The goal of this grant opportunity is to expand the pediatric vaccination network to ensure that [California's most vulnerable children](#) get vaccinated against COVID-19.

The KidsVaxGrant aims to support VFC Providers who may be newly enrolling in the COVID-19 vaccination program, as well as provide additional support to those providers already enrolled in COVID-19 with expansion of vaccination capacity:

- VFC providers who enroll in the COVID-19 Vaccination Program (myCAvax) from December 17, 2021 through April 30, 2022 can receive **\$10K***.
- Enrolled VFC providers can receive **\$15K** if they open their doors for at least 15 hours beyond their normal business times to provide additional vaccination options for working families!

* VFC Providers who received a CalVaxGrant are eligible for the \$15K-for-15 hours program only.

KidsVaxGrant Details

Funding is limited and the deadline to submit your application is May 27, 2022. PHC will open the grant application portal in early April. VFC Providers currently not enrolled in the COVID-19 Vaccination Program must enroll by April 30, 2022 to qualify. Grant eligibility details, additional information, and resources for getting your practice ready to submit your application are available on the [KidsVaxGrant website](#). Also refer to the [KidsVaxGrant FAQs](#) document which may answer some of your questions.

Why Enroll in the CA COVID-19 Vaccination Program Now?

- **COVID-19 vaccine is an ACIP-recommended vaccine**, just like all other pediatric and adolescent vaccines you are currently administering in order to protect your patients. Though the vaccine is not offered through VFC, you may order it and receive it via the COVID-19 Program. COVID vaccine doses may be administered to all your patients, regardless of insurance status.
- **Enrollment in the Program has [never been easier for VFC providers](#)**. Our COVID-19 Program Enrollment Team and Provider Call Center staff are closely working with the VFC Program to support you in this process.
- **Higher Reimbursement for Administration Fees:** COVID-19 providers are [reimbursed \\$40 per dose for administration fees](#) – much higher than the reimbursement for VFC vaccines!
- **MHOAC Program:** Sites may request supplemental staff – at no cost – through your [local Medical Health Operational Area Coordination \(MHOAC\)](#) program.

[Don't be discouraged by old news or myths!](#)

We are here to support you! Please join for a webinar series to hear from VFC Providers who are administering COVID-19 vaccine in their clinics. The webinars will cover the following topics:

- **Billing & Reimbursement:** Wednesday, April 6 at 12:30PM-1:00PM | [Register here!](#)
- **Integrating COVID-19 Vaccination into Clinic Workflow:** Wednesday, April 11 at 12:30PM-1:00PM | [Register here!](#)
- **Storage & Handling:** Wednesday, April 20 at 12:30PM-1:00PM | [Register here!](#)

Please visit [KidsVaxGrant](#) and [VFC Provider Webpage](#) for more information.