



California
Vaccines for
Children Program

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VFC Pre-Book for 2025-2026 RSV Monoclonal Antibodies Coming Soon

Dear VFC Provider,

To prepare for the upcoming 2025-2026 respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) season, the California VFC Program will introduce a pre-book form for RSV monoclonal antibodies in the myCAvax system. The RSV pre-booking period will be available in early August and is similar to the VFC flu pre-book process. Start planning now with your clinic leadership to discuss the number of doses of RSV products you need for the entire RSV season.

Purpose of RSV Pre-Book:

- Obtain individual provider demand ahead of time (by RSV product).
- Know who should be prioritized for RSV doses once initial supply is available (aside from known facilities serving infants).
- Streamline RSV shipments once available (as early as mid-August).

Expected RSV Pre-Book Products:

Anticipated monoclonal antibodies for RSV Pre-Book:

- Nirsevimab - Beyfortus® 50mg and 100mg (Sanofi)
- Clesrovimab - Enflonsia™ (Merck)

As clesrovimab was just recently approved by FDA and recommended by ACIP in June 2025, timeline for availability of the new clesrovimab product on the CDC contracts is not yet known. As a result, you will be prompted to pre-book at least one nirsevimab product to move forward with the RSV pre-book form but will also have the option to pre-book clesrovimab. This is to ensure that providers needing RSV monoclonal antibodies will have at least one product available prior to the start of RSV season.

Only infant RSV immunizations will be available to pre-book. The maternal RSV vaccine (Abrysvo®) will not be on the RSV pre-book form and can be requested through the routine myCAVax order form, once available.

RSV Allocations, Orders, and Shipment Timelines

Supply of seasonal products is anticipated to be sufficient to meet demand. Similar to the last RSV season, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will be implementing ordering controls by giving each VFC Program RSV allocations every 2 weeks. This is to ensure equitable access to RSV supply throughout the season.

Anticipated timelines are as follows:

- **Early to mid-August:**
 - Submit your RSV Pre-Book in myCAVax within 2 weeks after the pre-book form is launched (TBD).
- **Mid-to-late August:**
 - **Providers that submitted an RSV pre-book form:** VFC to begin initial RSV shipments of nirsevimab to providers that submitted an RSV pre-book.
 - **Providers that did not submit an RSV pre-book form:** VFC will allocate RSV doses as supply permits. Providers can submit an order for RSV doses if allocations are available.
- **September:**
 - Providers should continue building up RSV supply prior to the start of RSV season (October 1).
 - VFC will continue to ship RSV orders to providers that submitted an RSV pre-book.
 - VFC will continue allocating RSV doses as supply permits. Providers that did not pre-book can order RSV doses if allocations are available.
- **October through March:**
 - VFC will continue to ship RSV orders to providers that submitted a RSV pre-book, until a percentage of the pre-booked amount has shipped.
 - The remaining pre-booked amount will be allocated to providers to order and draw down from as needed on their myCAVax order form.
 - VFC will continue allocating RSV doses as supply permits. Providers that did not pre-book can order RSV doses if allocations are available.

Note: For providers that do not pre-book, RSV doses will be allocated based on historical order patterns or a set amount if newly enrolled, depending on the available supply that will be allocated from CDC.

RSV Ordering Requirements

All VFC-enrolled providers that serve VFC-eligible children 19 months of age or younger are required to carry VFC-supplied RSV monoclonal antibody products at the start of RSV season, which typically begins October 1. It is a VFC Program requirement to order all ACIP-recommended vaccines (including flu, RSV and special-order vaccines), and

nonroutine vaccines when indicated or requested, to meet the needs of the total VFC-eligible patient populations reported for the provider PIN ([VFC Provider Agreement Addendum 8A](#)).

If you do not see VFC-eligible patients in the age range recommended for RSV immunization, you are not required to pre-book or order RSV monoclonal antibodies.

Tips to Prepare for Pre-Booking VFC RSV Immunizations

- **Review your seasonal RSV data to determine your RSV immunization need for the entire season (October through March):**
 - Run usage reports (registry/EHR) for the past RSV season.
 - Run patient population reports, by age and eligibility (refer to your clinic's 2025 VFC Recertification for patient estimates).
 - Ensure that the number of doses pre-booked will be enough to immunize and protect all your VFC-eligible patients against RSV.
- **Utilize the RSV Pre-Book Worksheet** to prepare your request prior to accessing the online pre-book form.
- **Review products available** for the upcoming season with practice clinicians and your organization, considering product availability and dosing requirements.

If you do not submit an RSV pre-book form and see VFC-eligible patients in the age range recommended for RSV immunization, RSV doses will be allocated based on historical order patterns or a set amount if newly enrolled, depending on the available supply that will be allocated from CDC.

Questions?

If you have any questions, please contact the VFC Program at 877-243-8832 (877-2GET-VFC).

Thank you,



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