



IMPORTANT MESSAGE

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VFC Flu Vaccine Update

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Dear VFC Provider,

Please refer to the following information regarding VFC flu vaccines.

Shipment of Pediatric Fluzone Vaccine:

- VFC has received additional inventory of the 0.25mL pediatric Fluzone product and will be processing the balance of all confirmed orders for this product. Shipments for this product can be expected to arrive beginning the week of December 2, 2013.

Reminder on Supplemental Ordering:

- Supplemental ordering is available for all flu products including the 0.25mL pediatric Fluzone product. You will need to provide the number of influenza doses your practice has administered to date.
- Your request will be shipped in full. Please ensure that your shipping hours are updated by logging onto your MYVFCVACCINES account on eziz.org. Please also ensure that you can store all the doses you request. Confirmed flu vaccine orders cannot be canceled.
- Expired FluMist® doses can be replaced at no cost through FluMist® Replacement Program. Requests for replacement doses can be made by calling MedImmune FluMist® CDC Replacement request line at 1-877-633-7375. Additional information can be found on <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/vfc/downloads/med-fm-rrf-instruct.pdf>

If you have any questions, please contact the VFC Customer Service Line at 1-877-243-8832.

Protect your patients! Influenza vaccination is recommended for all children 0-18 yrs in your practice. VFC's website, www.eziz.org, contains a number of influenza resources for your practice.