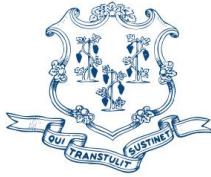


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TO: **Health Care Providers**

FROM: **Mick Bolduc** 

Vaccine Coordinator-Connecticut Vaccine Program (CVP)

DATE: **June 21, 2016**

SUBJECT: **Expired Influenza Vaccine**

The primary purpose of this communication is to remind you of the procedure for returning expired influenza vaccine.

Influenza Vaccine

All CVP provided influenza vaccine must be properly kept in the storage unit until the date of expiration. Once the vaccine has expired, it may be removed from the storage unit and labeled "Do Not Use". Expired vaccine must be returned to McKesson following the procedures listed below:

1. Complete and submit a "Vaccine Return Form" to the CVP via fax or email.
2. Providers will receive a return label via email from McKesson Specialty Care on behalf of UPS. If we do not have an email address on file, the return label will be sent by mail.
3. Package the vaccines with a copy of the return form and affix the postage paid return label to the outside of the box. Return only items and quantities specified on the return form.
4. Give the box to your UPS driver.

If you have any questions, please contact the CVP at (860) 509-7929.



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