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TO: All CVP Providers

FROM: Mick Bolduc 

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DATE: August 15, 2023

SUBJECT: Update on Seasonal Flu Vaccine -Fluzone[®] now available

The purpose of this communication is to notify you of the availability of Fluzone[®] vaccine.

Pediatric Influenza Vaccine

The Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommends that all children aged 6 months through 18 years be vaccinated annually against influenza. The full 2023–2024 influenza vaccine recommendations will soon be available at: www.cdc.gov/mmwr.

The Immunization Program will make several different quadrivalent formulations available to vaccinate **all children aged 6 months through 18 years of age regardless of insurance status.**

Fluzone[®] is now available for order thru the CVP. We will notify you when additional formulations become available.

Please limit your vaccine order request to your actual need for the current month. The majority of our influenza vaccine supply is expected to be available by September and October. To avoid vaccine wastage be sure to order only what you need for the current month and not for the entire flu season. The CVP encourages providers to order smaller quantities of flu vaccine as needed rather than all at once, and to plan for the refrigerator storage capacity required to safely keep all childhood vaccines at the proper temperatures.



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Below is a list of the flu formulations we will be supplying this upcoming influenza season:

Vaccine	Package	Dose	Age Indication	Preservative Free	NDC #	CPT Code
Fluzone® (Sanofi) NOW AVAILABLE	Single dose Quad. Syringe (10 per pack)	0.5 mL	6 months and older	YES	49281-0423-50	90686
FluLaval® (GSK) NOW AVAILABLE	Single dose Quad. Syringe (10 per pack)	0.5 mL	6 months and older	YES	19515-0814-52	90686
FluMist® (AstraZeneca) AVAILABLE SOON	Single dose Quad. Sprayer (10 per pack)	0.2 mL	2-49 years	YES	66019-0310-10	90672
Flucelvax® (Seqirus) NOW AVAILABLE	Single dose Quad. Syringe (10 per pack)	0.5 mL	6 months and older	YES EGG FREE & CELL BASED	70461-0323-03	90674

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As always if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (860) 509-7929.