TO: Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) Providers
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SUBJECT: Vaccine Quarterly Choice Opening

The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) Regional and Local Health Departments are encouraged to share the following message with all clinics enrolled in the Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) and the Adult Safety Net (ASN) vaccine programs.

Beginning on Monday, May 20th, 2013, TVFC providers may update vaccine choices through the Electronic Vaccine Inventory (EVI) system. The “Update Choice” tab will be open from May 20th through May 31st. If a provider does not wish to make any changes to their current vaccine choices, they do not need to do anything. The next opportunity for a provider to update their vaccine selections will be in August 2013.

A training entitled “Updating Vaccine Choice” is available for providers to review and can be accessed at http://www.upp.com/vacchoice/index.html. A printed desk reference is also available on the Vaccine Choice website under Training & Education, Electronic Vaccine Inventory (EVI) at http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/immunize/choice/default.shtm.

If you have any questions, please contact your DSHS Health Service Region, Local Health Department or the DSHS Vaccine Call Center at 1-888-777-5320.