

Dear Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) Program Provider,

The Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) and Adult Safety Net (ASN) Program policy states that if a multi-dose vial (MDV) has been opened or accessed (e.g., needle-punctured), the vial should be dated and discarded within 28 days **unless the manufacturer specifies a different (shorter or longer) date for that opened vial.**

In line with the TVFC Program and manufacturer policy, MDVs of IPOL® (Poliovirus Vaccine Inactivated) that have been opened or accessed **can be used until the expiration date printed on the vial or package insert** unless the vaccine is contaminated or compromised in some way.

If you have any questions, contact your TVFC Responsible Entity (RE).

Thank you for your continued participation.

Texas Department of State Health Services

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