



Flu Pre-book Reminder

To ensure flu vaccines are received before the start of the 2024 – 2025 flu season, TVFC providers should pre-book flu vaccine orders. The 2024-2025 TVFC Flu Pre-Book survey closed on Friday, February 2, 2024, but TVFC providers may still order flu vaccine by contacting both their Responsible Entity (RE) and TXVaccineOrders@dshs.texas.gov to submit a pre-book request.

Requests to pre-book flu vaccine should include:

- Presentation
- Quantity (in multiples of 10) for 2024-2025 flu season

Note: flu vaccines, Fluzone and Flulaval are the only available pre-filled syringe flu presentation to pre-book.

In Texas, flu activity typically reaches its highest point during February and lasts until May. It's crucial to continue vaccinating patients with the current 2023-2024 flu vaccines. Each season, flu vaccines are updated to closely align with the prevalent virus strains. TVFC providers must have flu vaccines available during flu season (October to June).

Information about this requirement can be found on [2024-TVFC-ASN Provider Manual](#), page 36.

Contact your RE if you have any questions about this communication.

Update on Pfizer 6m-4y COVID Diluent

The diluent pack size of the 2023-2024, Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine for people six months through 4 years of age [National Drug Code (NDC): 59267-4315-02] changed on February 29, 2024.

The pack size changed from a 10-pack diluent to a 25-pack diluent. Please note, one diluent vial is required to reconstitute one multidose vaccine for people six months through 4 years of age.

The following table shows the number of diluent vials providers will receive based on order size. Providers should dispose of unused diluent.

| Number of Diluent Vials to be Shipped with Orders of NDC 59267-4315-02 | | | |
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| Total Doses of Vaccine | Total Vials of Vaccine | Diluent Supplied | Number of Diluent Vials to be Shipped |
| 30 doses | 10 | 1 pack of 25 vials | 25 |
| 60 doses | 20 | 1 pack of 25 vials | 25 |
| 90 doses | 30 | 2 pack of 25 vials | 50 |
| 120 doses | 40 | 2 pack of 25 vials | 50 |

If have questions about this message, contact Pfizer customer service at 800-666-7248, Option 2 or mrnavaccines@pfizer.com.

TVFC/ASN program survey

The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) wants to feature TVFC and ASN program successes! Submissions to be featured in the TVFC and ASN Program News will be accepted on a rolling basis: [TVFC and ASN program survey](#).

Please ensure your answers exclude HIPPA-related information.

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