

Minutes	Immunization Policy Advisory Team (IPAT) Thursday, Sept. 6, 2018/ 11:45 – 1:30pm/Room 1D
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ATTENDEES

X	Hilary Andrews Joell Archibald Mark Bajorek Sara Beaudrault	X	Tami Kochan Jan Larsen Richard Lemman
X	Katie Frazier for Carrie Beck	X	Paul Lewis Mimi Luther
W	Jessica Burgon	X	Jenne McKibben
X	Albert Chaffin	W	Bob Mendelson
P	Clarice Charging	X	Janet Patin
X	Paul Cieslak George Conway		Nathan Roberts Joanne Rogovoy
X	Erin Corrigan	P	Deborah Rumsey Danielle Sobel
W	Jessica Daniels	X	Amanda Timmons
X	Stacy de Assis Matthews	X	Cecile Town
X	Aaron Dunn	X	Amy Valdez
X	Nadine Gartner	W	Jennifer Webster Collette Young
X	Erica Gillespie		
W	Holly Groom		
X	Judy Guzman		
X	Linda Howrey Fiona Karbowicz Maggie Klein		

X – in person W – via webinar P – via phone

Guests:

W	Ayni Amir Kimmarie Austin F Butler Stacy Cayce Rachel Clark Pat Corcoran Juliet Dang	W	Lisa Glasser Jill Johnson Fred King Katy King Rex Larsen Joe Steirer
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Agenda	Minutes/Action Items
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Introductions and Announcements	The Health Evidence Review Commission (HERC) has revised the Oregon Health Plan (OHP) coverage for immunizations to be those approved by ACIP <u>or</u> approved by the Oregon Immunization Program. Action: Anne will send out full document with minutes
Immunizations Hot Topics / Roundtable <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What is going on in your area? • What concerns you about the state of immunizations in OR? • What inspires you about the state of immunizations in OR? 	Hillsboro Peds – two HPV Projects <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Documenting reasons parents decline HPV immunization • Offering HPV at all visits <p>Conflicting FluMist recommendation will be an issue this season. American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) recommend FluMist as last option, Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice (ACIP) recommending FluMist interchangeably with other formulations this year. This is a new formulation, with different strains. ACIP recommendation based on immunogenicity data.</p> <p>Why is VFC influenza vaccine not expected until October? This causes a lot of missed opportunities in Sept. There was a delay in manufacturing which</p>

slowed the CDC contracting process. VFC vaccine is routed through a depot which also creates delays as compared to private vaccine. FluMist is delayed due to not being approved when Flu Prebook took place and CDC contracting process for this vaccine.

Discussion about the cell culture and recombinant vaccine manufacturing processes and how they could impact manufacturing timeline. Process is shorter and will likely see more vaccines from this pipeline in the future.

Universal flu vaccine testing underway, but actual product still in the future.

Should flu vaccine be given later in the season (Oct.-Nov.) for better effectiveness in peak times?

While there is some waning of immunity, it's not enough to warrant shift. It's better to not miss opportunities to vaccinate.

A concern was raised about reports of clinical providers/practices possibly turning away patients who opt for alternate immunization schedules or to not vaccinate, and whether it might be helpful to have a recommendation against this from IPAT.

- The American Academy of Family Practice does not condone or recommend the practice of turning away alternate schedules.
- Oregon Pediatric Society has not heard of any of their members in the metro area turning anyone away.
- The VFC program has encountered only a few clinics who do not take alternative schedules and OIP/VFC discourage the practice.
- Boost Oregon does not recommend this practice but rather recommends working with parents where they are at.

Action: Hilary will look for more details on the reported events.

Vaccine Shortages

Providence has seen some with Shingrix. As of last week, Kaiser did not have a shortage.

No HepB shortages reported.

Pharmacies

Not having a protocol for Heplisav-B is a barrier.

Action: Aaron will check on Heplisav-B protocol.

- Busy with flu currently.
- Oregon State Pharmacy Association offers an immunization training course for pharmacists and attendance is declining. With all new pharmacists receiving training in school they speculate that most pharmacists are now trained statewide.

Maternal vaccination material

Recent pharmacy interns at OIP have put together a maternal vaccination video, and an educational module for pharmacists. The video can be found [here](#).

Action: Anne will send out the link to the pharmacist module once it's posted.

<p>Review IPAT membership and revised charter</p>	<p>Membership list was reviewed, and members asked whether they felt the team should hold as is or continue to recruit.</p> <p>Discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Need to find that balance between a larger group of voices and a smaller, more efficient discussion group. • Are we missing any crucial voices? Recommendations/suggestions: OB/GYN, long term care, IRCO, African American Health Center. • Suggestion that someone in Occupational Health could be valuable in terms of submitting immunizations to ALERT IIS. • Suggestion to add culturally specific voice(s): Asian, Latino, African-American, etc. <p>Action: Aaron will focus on the suggested groups. Paul L will send some possible OB contacts to Aaron.</p> <p>Charter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add advising verbiage to purpose to better reflect name of group. • Include sample items group might be expected to advice on. • Remove specific time references such as “current”. • Should it be a public meeting? <p>Discussion:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes, as topic is public health. • Will need to look into any OHA rules/requirement to be met as a public meeting. <p>Action: Amanda will revise and send out a second draft with the minutes. Aaron will take steps needed to make IPAT a public meeting.</p>
<p>ALERT IIS Update Jenne</p>	<p>New and upcoming enhancements to ALERT IIS.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AFIX-IIS Integration – working on training and roll out plan for partners • Data exchange and data quality reports - working on training and roll out plan for partners • Flu Pre-book – in effect. Simple, 4-step process • Technology refresh – moving to virtual servers. Biggest release in years; anticipate a three-day downtime late Sept/early Oct. • AIRA National Meeting- Four OIP staff attended, did 9 presentations
<p>CCO Innovation Café</p>	<p>Postponed until December</p>
<p>ACIP Update: Heplisav and Shingrix</p>	<p>Heplisav: Latest study in comparison with Engenrix showed better immunogenicity in Heplisav</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Overall seroprotective levels in <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – 95.4% of HepB-CpG recipients – 81.3% of HepB-Eng recipients <p>ACIP recommended use of Heplisav in persons aged ≥18 years for vaccination against HBV</p> <p>Shingrix: Most common reactions reported are injection site pain and fever Better efficacy against zoster and Postherpetic Neuralgia than live vaccine ACIP recommended Shingrix for the prevention of herpes zoster and related complications for immunocompetent adults aged 50 years and</p>

	<p>older, and for immunocompetent adults who previously received live Zoster vaccine.</p> <p>Herpes Zoster subunit vaccine is preferred over Zoster Vaccine Live (Zostavax) for the prevention of herpes zoster and related complications.</p>
Wrap-Up and Next Steps	Paul Lewis requested that OIP send out calendar invitations for IPAT meetings to facilitate scheduling for members.