

Off-site and Mass Vaccination Storage Guidelines

Main Clinic Storage



- Holds multiple weeks' worth of vaccine stock.
- Adheres to all VFC storage and handling requirements for clinics.

Vaccine Transport



- No more than one day's worth of vaccine transported.
- Use of purpose-built vaccine transport containers advised.
- If a purpose-built container is unavailable, must be transported according to instructions in VMG.
- Monitor temps using a digital data logger w/buffered probe.
- Document min/max on arrival and after return to main clinic.
- Unpack vaccines and move them to day storage immediately.

Day Storage



- Store only one day's worth of vaccine.
- Use a purpose built vaccine transport container or portable powered storage unit.
- Units must be tested in advance to ensure ability to maintain required temps.
- Include water bottles to ensure stable temps.
- Monitor temps using a digital data logger w/buffered probe.
- Take hourly temp readings and document min/max at end of day.
- Download and review the temp logs at the end of event.

Vaccination station



- No more than 10 doses or 1 hour's worth of vaccine should be stored at vaccination stations.
- Store vaccine in a small cooler (lunch pail or similar size).
- 1-2 conditioned water bottles in bottom.
- Insulating layer between water bottles and vaccine.

Out of range temps

- Immediately relocate the vaccine to stable backup unit and label vaccines "DO NOT USE."
- Contact the Oregon VFC Helpdesk (971-673-4832) to determine vaccine viability.