

09:11:03 From: Participant Is it possible to have Bexsero added to the forecast schedule?

09:13:23 From Mimi Luther, OHA : HI Sarah, Because Men B is not routinely recommended for all, the IIS will forecast additional doses needed after the first dose is given.

09:33:26 From Participant : Do you think people are receiving the flu vaccine to early? When should they receive it, the ideal time

09:34:39 From Participant : Immunization Law Advisory Committee met and determined that there would not be any amendments to school law.

09:34:55 From Mimi Luther, OHA : ACIP recommends flu vaccine begin in September.

09:35:26 From Stacy Matthews : Correct, no changes to school requirements.

09:35:40 From Participant : Can pts for age 65+, can they get the regular flu shots and the high dose ones? Or just 1 is good enough?

09:37:37 From Steve Robison : recommendation is only for 1 dose per season- but some providers give two to high risk clients- evidence base isn't strong for giving two though

09:38:21 From Participant : gotcha.

09:38:24 From Participant : thank you

09:38:48 From Participant : We understood flu pool was coded S for special project

09:40:20 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Yes, Cindy, O or S works. S is preferred.

09:40:45 From Participant: WHEW, thanks! thought I had COVID Brain. again...

09:44:27 From Participant : Can you instruct me how to enroll?

09:44:50 From Participant : Erin. one thing that concerned me was that is was coming so late. (flu for cares)

09:45:53 From Amy Kost, VFC Help Desk : To enroll contact the VFC help desk: VFC.help@dhsosha.state.or.us or call 971-673-4832

09:46:53 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Lynn, yes, the doses will begin arriving now, and will continue to arrive in the coming months. CDC is clear that we will need to continue vaccinating through Spring 2021.

09:47:19 From Participant : Thank you

09:48:26 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Here is the link to request CARES flu doses:  
<https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/1d382dec7dae46299f52c667b2c249f7>

09:49:29 From Participant : How does the CARES program work with Tribal health? I work on a reservation and we only typically vaccinate enrolled members.

09:49:36 From Participant : Many pediatric practices are vaccinating the parents as well. It is great to have an option with the CARES flu vaccine. Thank you!

09:50:19 From Participant : If we have requested CARES vaccine, when will we hear if our request was approved?

09:51:33 From Participant : I noticed that there isn't a draw down option yet in Alert. When do you anticipate the first doses arriving to providers?

09:52:29 From Participant : If we are a public VFC should we see cares as an option when requesting? I only see flu season 20-21

09:52:36 From Participant : Would you recommend requesting both flu pool influenza vaccines and CARES influenza vaccine?

09:52:48 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Kristen, see the link here:  
<https://app.smartsheet.com/b/form/1d382dec7dae46299f52c667b2c249f7>

09:53:14 From Participant : Thank you :-)

09:53:17 From Participant : When do you anticipate the first doses of CARES vaccine arriving to providers?

09:53:28 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Starting very soon, Erica.

09:53:45 From Participant : Thanks, Mimi!

09:54:33 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Everyone - if you did not receive our messages about the CARES doses, you need to subscribe to our listserv. Please email the help desk to get added.  
VFC.help@state.or.us

09:55:36 From Participant : Will these slides be available after the webinar?

09:56:00 From Amy Kost, VFC Help Desk : Lacey - yes, they will. Email the help desk to request the slides

09:56:11 From Participant : Thank you! :)

09:57:12 From Participant : Can we get a copy of this slide?

09:58:58 From Amy Kost, VFC Help Desk : Hi Lynn, please email the VFC help desk to request today's slides. We can also ask Rex at the end of his presentation, where to find this particular image

09:58:58 From Participant : I would like to share some of this info with infection prevention at the hospital I work at

09:59:21 From Mimi Luther, OHA : That's great, Lynn!

09:59:23 From Participant : great thank you :)

09:59:33 From Nicholas Chew (OHA) : The graph is found on the CDC website at this link:  
<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/acip/meetings/downloads/slides-2020-08/COVID-08-Dooling.pdf>

09:59:48 From Amy Kost, VFC Help Desk : Thanks, Nick!

09:59:50 From Nicholas Chew (OHA) : also this presentation will become available online in about a week

10:00:05 From Participant : Emergency use = insurance waived? Typically experimentally is not covered.

10:03:37 From Participant : Is the vaccine going to require a special freezer?

10:04:02 From Participant : will the storage required for covid vaccine be refrigerator or freezer?

10:06:00 From Participant : Love the kit idea, removes the stress of unknowns for stocking up on supplies!

10:11:20 From Participant : Trust in vaccine. Religious

10:11:24 From Participant : ultra low dose freezer is a concern

10:11:32 From Participant : Vaccine storage and handling is concerning

10:11:35 From Participant : Barriers - logistics, like others I'm very concerned about the ultra cold possibility

10:11:38 From Participant : No trust in the vaccine

10:11:49 From Participant : And, having the proper equipment when vaccine arrives.

10:11:57 From Participant : Religious groups can be difficult to bridge science with faith.

10:12:15 From Participant : Education to the Latino community. Clearly their flu vaccine is low and I anticipate COVID being as low, if not more.

10:12:23 From Participant : Also very concerned about culturally competent messaging and trust in the vaccine from BIPOC communities

10:12:33 From Participant : what are your thoughts about having food processing management at the table? Here in rural Oregon, we are bumping up against the food producers and corporate farmers...

10:12:45 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Dawn, ancillary kits will include the basics needed, but not sharps containers.

10:13:02 From Participant : Eastern European populations are consistently resistant to immunizations.

10:13:09 From Participant : Repeatedly hearing HCP saying they are concerned about COVID vaccine for themselves. Need to get buy-in from HCP's for their own vaccinations in order to improve vaccination rates in community.

10:13:42 From Participant : Concern about safety is tremendous - in HCWs as well as general public. Experimental vaccine use on people of color. Capacity of LPHAs to run big clinics.

10:14:00 From Participant : Pfizer is supposed to have designed a special ultra-cold shipping box that has a temperature sensor to know when to add dry ice.

10:14:54 From Participant : barrier- frequent and transparent communication from OHA on all of this. I noticed Washington State already has a page on their website about COVID vaccine

10:15:06 From Participant : sign us up. :)

10:15:36 From Participant : How shall LPHAs coordinate with the EMS folks doing the large scale events?

10:15:37 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Angelica - YES! Can you reach out to me, please? [Lydia.m.luther@dhsosha.state.or.us](mailto:Lydia.m.luther@dhsosha.state.or.us)

10:15:56 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Erica, we'll get news out to all about that as soon as we have contracts in place.

10:17:04 From Participant : Yes @ Cynthia and Holli! These are my thoughts as well. In addition, will this vax be mandatory for HCW's?

10:18:58 From Albert Koroloff OHA : Hi everyone, if your questions didn't get answered today, please send them to our help desk. We are happy to get you the answers you need. 971-673-4832VFC.help@state.or.us

10:20:34 From Participant : That is so exciting!

10:21:25 From Mimi Luther, OHA : Indeed! There is a lot to worry over, and a lot to be excited about too.

10:27:23 From Nicholas Chew (OHA) : We may go just a little past 10:30: Please stay on with us if you can.

10:29:42 From Participant : 24 hours will be a challenge for providers not on an EMR or who do ALERT direct entry for large public health clinics where clients are not registered into the EMR