# WASHINGTON STATE OF Childhood Vaccine Program

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# **Guide for Clinics Moving from COVID-19 to CVP Program:**

### Vaccine Ordering, Returns and Vaccine Choice:

- Vaccine Ordering Facilities can order once a month in their assigned date range, either 1 through 15<sup>th</sup> or 16<sup>th</sup> through the end of month.
- Submit <u>Vaccine Returns</u> in the IIS to generate a return shipping label for expired/spoiled vaccines.
- Vaccine choice is the opportunity to select the brand and presentation of vaccine when there is more than one option for a vaccine type. It occurs when a provider first enrolls in the CVP and then twice a year thereafter. Vaccine Choice usually takes place in April and October and is open for a minimum of two weeks.

#### **Reporting:**

- Submit paper <u>Temperature Logs</u>: Record daily minimum and maximum temperatures and twice daily vaccine storage unit temperatures and submit logs every month via your unique REDCap portal link.
- □ Review the <u>Inventory Guide</u>: How to submit required monthly report.
- □ Vaccine loss of any kind should be recorded on the <u>Vaccine Loss Log</u>. Post the log on your facility's vaccine storage unit(s) and email to <u>WAChildhoodVaccines@doh.wa.gov</u> if the loss is greater than \$2500.

## Eligibility Screening, Vaccine Information Statements (VIS) and Billing:

- Review and use the program's <u>Eligibility Guide</u> to ensure accurate documentation of patient eligibility status and billing for all CVP vaccines administered to patients under 19.
- □ Sign up for CDC <u>Vaccine Information Statement (VIS) Alerts</u> & check to ensure all VIS are up to date. Federal law requires that healthcare staff <u>provide</u> a VIS to a patient, parent, or legal representative <u>before</u> every dose of childhood vaccine.
- Review the Washington Vaccine Association (WVA)'s <u>Billing Guide</u> to ensure the clinic correctly bills for commercially insured patients. This billing is a program requirement. For questions on the WVA billing guide, please email <u>info@wavaccine.org</u> or call 1-888-928-2224.

#### **Provider Agreement and Training:**

- <u>Provider Agreement Renewal</u> is completed yearly through the IIS. Keep contacts, vaccine storage units, and calibration dates updated in your Provider Agreement by emailing WAChildhoodVaccines@doh.wa.gov.
- Complete CDC You Call the Shots Annual Training: Primary and Back-up Coordinators are required to take the <u>Vaccines for Children (VFC)</u> and <u>Vaccine Storage and Handling</u> modules. Retain training certificates as proof of completion.
- Annually review and update the <u>Vaccine Management Plan</u>: Note this is different from the COVID-19 Vaccine Management Plan and is CVP specific.

#### **Policy:**

- □ Borrowing between public and private vaccine supply is not allowed.
- □ Administering CVP vaccine to patients 19 and older is not authorized.
- Depots and redistribution of CVP vaccine are not allowed other than approved <u>transfers</u>.
- □ Review the <u>Vaccine Loss Policy</u>.

#### For a complete listing of all CVP requirements see the **<u>Provider Agreement</u>** (pages 9-14).