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IMMUNIZATION NEWS

New ImmTrac2 Adult Consent Form

The Texas Immunization Registry has combined the Adult Consent with the First Responder/Family Member consent form.

[Click Here to Learn More.](#)



Launch of the Immunization Quality Improvement for Providers (IQIP) Program

As of July 1, 2019, DSHS will no longer conduct a manual pull of immunization records at your site and will no longer manually enter all the dates of the vaccines into a system (known as an Assessment, Feedback, Incentive, and eXchange (AFIX) visit).

JULY Texas Oral Health Conference
24-26

AUG National HPV Roundtable Meeting and Best Practices Conference
20-22

SEPT Texas Medical Association Fall Conference
13-15



The Department of State Health Services Welcomes New Immunization Director

Tony Aragon has been named the new Immunization Unit Director for the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS). Tony has over 10 years work experience with DSHS in which all of those years working have been either for the Immunization or Emerging & Acute Infectious Disease programs.

OCT Texas Immunization Conference
23-25

NOV NCI-designated Cancer Centers HPV Vaccination Meeting
14-15



Vaccine Loss Reason Change in EVI

An additional reason has been added to the loss reason menu in EVI. You now have two reasons to choose from when reporting the loss of a multi-dose vial of vaccine.



Tips and Tricks for Vaccine Ordering

With Back-to-School season in full swing, the Texas Department of State Health Services has some helpful tips and tricks to help you when ordering vaccine.



College Competition Increases Flu Vaccination Uptake

A national challenge is successfully raising flu immunization rates among college and university students by involving the students themselves and a range of on- and off-campus messaging. This challenge has garnered spirited competition nationwide with participants including The University of Texas at Austin.



2019 Texas Immunization Conference
REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

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Adult Coverage Data Available

The Texas Department of State Health Services has updated their website to include adult vaccine coverage data.

2019-2020 2nd Round Flu Pre-Book Ordering

Reminder: The 2019-2020 second-round influenza pre-book ordering opens on **Monday, July 8, 2019**. Flu ordered during second-round will be delivered after all first-round orders have been completely allocated.

The 2nd round influenza pre-book closes Monday, July 22, 2019 at 5:00 p.m. CST. If you need to make any edits or changes to existing orders, please contact your Responsible Entity.

CDC Toolkit Touts 'Back-to-School' Tactics

When summer ends, school begins. Take the opportunity to remind parents and caregivers the importance of maintaining immunizations. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention has created a toolkit of ready-made messages and materials for providers to share. Every dose matters!

HPV Group Releases Action Guides

Get the go-to-guide on increasing HPV vaccination rates. The experts of the National HPV Vaccination Roundtable have assembled the most effective interventions and promising strategies into short, easy-to-implement guides. [Download today!](#)



Did You Know?

Did you know this about return labels? A return label has now been sent to the email address you requested and verified to be corrected in EVI, now what?

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