The Texas Vaccine for Children (TVFC) Program influenza (flu) vaccine allocations will begin on Monday, August 28, 2023. Allocations will occur Mondays until open ordering is announced. Automatic email notifications will be sent to primary and backup vaccine coordinators once flu doses are available in the Vaccine Allocation and Ordering System (VAOS).

## A Few Reminders:

- All flu allocations must be accepted in VAOS by noon on Friday of each week
- Prepare your inventory to accommodate seasonal doses
- Do not decrease your weekly allocations unless storage capacity is an issue
- Flu doses not accepted in VAOS will return to the overall flu allocation pool, which may delay your next allocation

## **Accepting Flu Allocations in VAOS**

In VAOS when you have an allocation to accept, it shows in the Vaccine Allocation section accounts page in "Created" status. The notification email gives detailed instructions on accepting weekly allocations.

For flu related questions, contact your Responsible Entity (RE).