



TEXAS
Health and Human
Services

Texas Department of State
Health Services

Immunization Program Updates - Task Force of Border Health Officials

DSHS Immunization Program

Immunization Updates



TEXAS

Health and Human Services

Texas Department of State
Health Services

- **Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV)**
 - On August 3, 2023, Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommended nirsevimab (Beyfortus™) for all infants aged <8 months who are born during or entering their first RSV season and for infants and children aged 8-19 months who are at increased risk for severe RSV disease and are entering their second RSV season.
 - Ordering opened on October 2 for TVFC providers
 - On October 13, nirsevimab ordering was paused by the CDC due to national supply constraints
 - Since October 30, ordering has been limited to brief 3-day windows every 2-3 weeks
 - Ordering timelines are dependent on when the CDC refreshes the state's allocations
 - Orders are reviewed by DSHS and apportioned based on need, inventory, and past administrations of similar patient populations

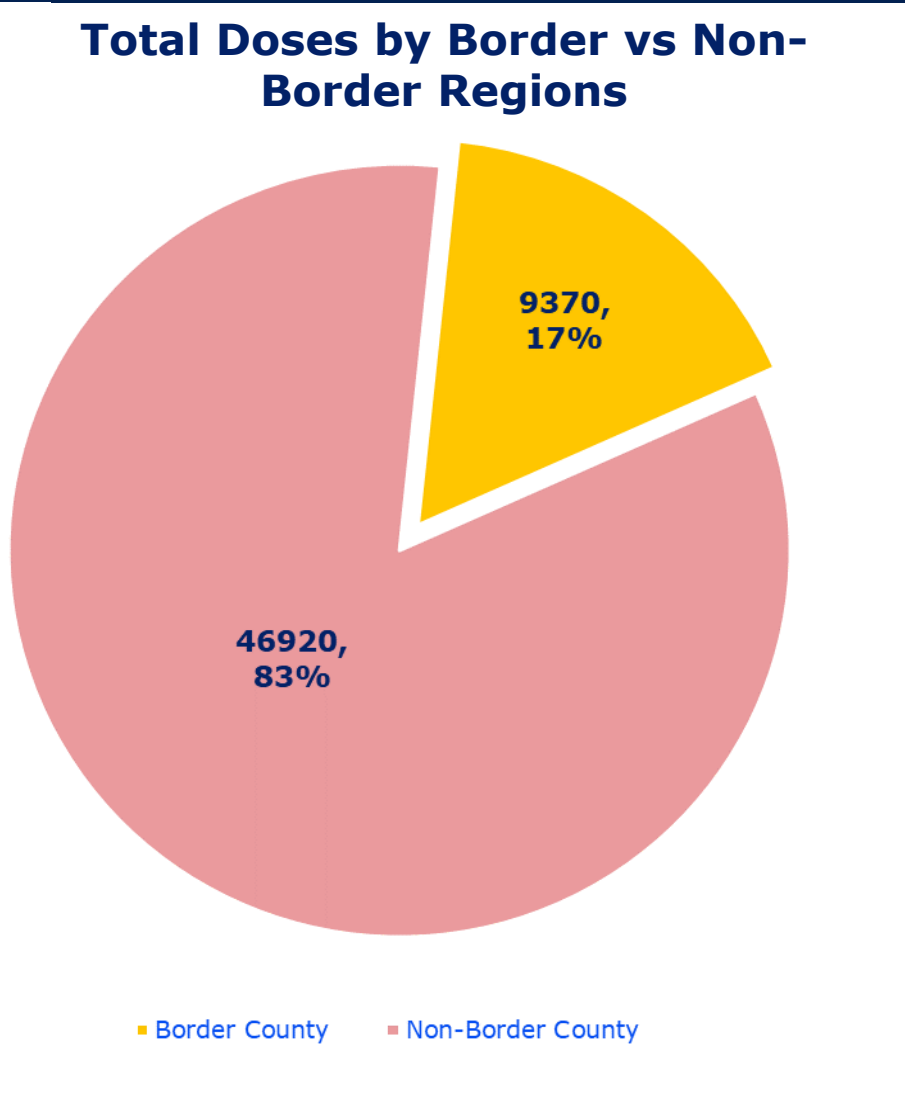
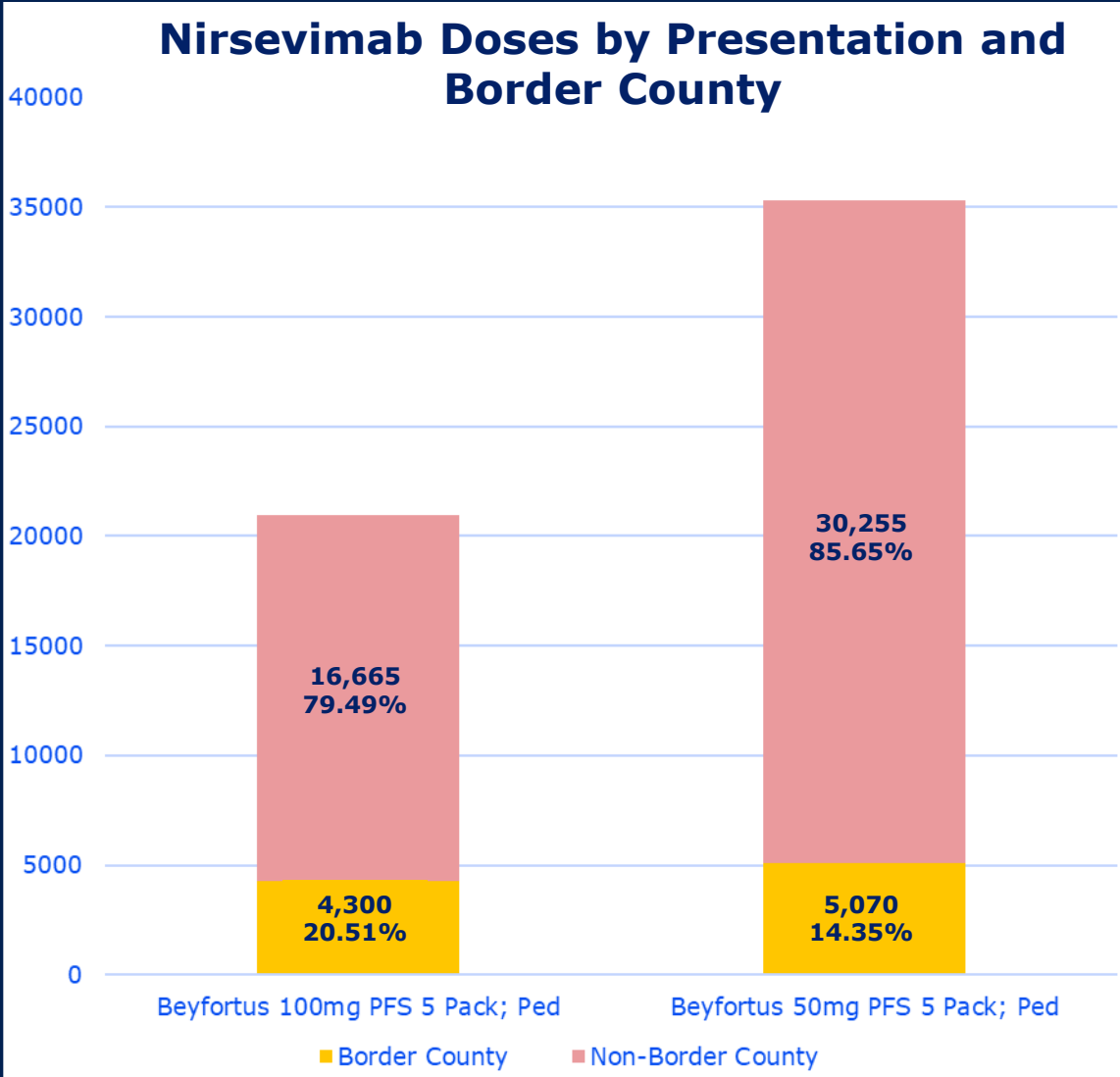
Total Nirsevimab Doses Distributed as of November 29 DSHS Border Counties vs Non-Border Counties



TEXAS

Health and Human Services

Texas Department of State
Health Services



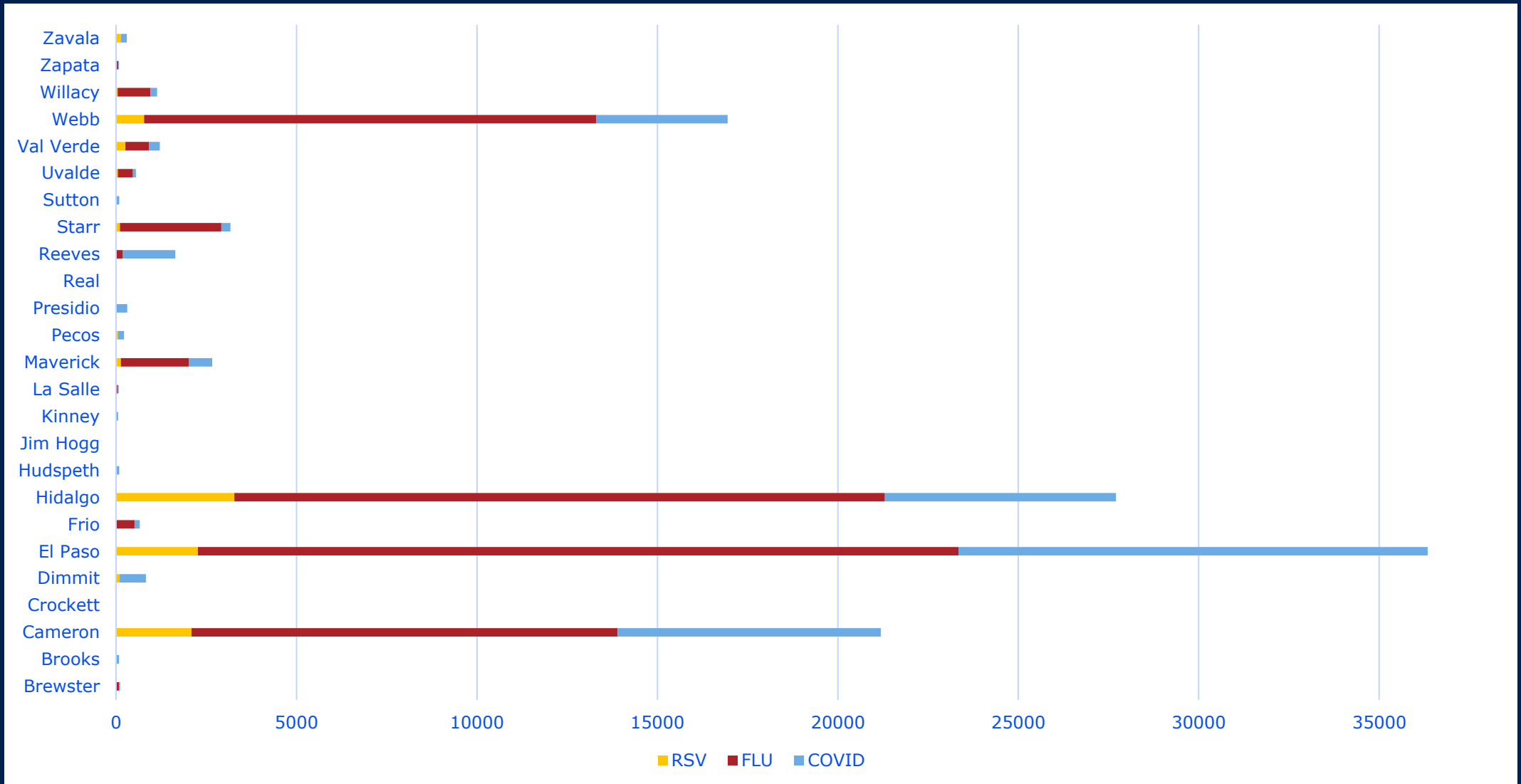
RSV, COVID, and Influenza Distribution, Border Counties October 2 through November 29



TEXAS

Health and Human Services

Texas Department of State
Health Services





TEXAS
Health and Human
Services

Texas Department of State
Health Services

Thank you!

Vaccine Orders: TxVaccineOrders@DSHS.Texas.gov

Clinical Questions: ImmunizationNurses@DSHS.Texas.gov