

AT-A-GLANCE RESOURCE GUIDE

VACCINE ADMINISTRATION AND STORAGE AND HANDLING

IMMUNIZATION AND VACCINES (GENERAL)

General Best Practice Guidelines for Immunization: Best Practices Guidance of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP)
Guidance about vaccination and vaccines for health care providers.
www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/general-recs/index.html

Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases (the Pink Book), 13th Edition: Course Textbook (2015)
Comprehensive information on routinely used vaccines and the diseases they prevent.
www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/index.html

Vaccine Administration e-Learn

Free, interactive educational program on proper vaccine administration.

“You Call the Shots” Online Training Modules

A series of training modules for health care providers on vaccine recommendations with self-tests to assess learning. CE credit available.
www.cdc.gov/vaccines/ed/youcalltheshots.htm

Vaccine Safety

Safety information about specific vaccines and answers to commonly asked questions.

www.cdc.gov/vaccinesafety/hcproviders/index.html

Vaccine Information Statements (VIS)

Statements required by law to inform patients about the benefits and risks of a vaccine they are receiving.

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/

VACCINE STORAGE AND HANDLING

› Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases (the Pink Book): Storage and Handling Chapter

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/vac-storage.html

› Vaccine Storage and Handling Guidelines and Recommendations

Resources on vaccine storage and handling recommendations and guidelines.
www.cdc.gov/vaccines/recs/storage/default.htm

› Vaccine Storage and Handling Toolkit

Comprehensive guidance for health care providers on vaccine storage and handling recommendations and best practices.

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/admin/storage/toolkit/storage-handling-toolkit.pdf

› “Keys to Storing and Handling Your Vaccine Supply” Training Video

This training outlines vaccine storage and handling best practices, and provides helpful tips for preventing errors and preserving vaccine supply and integrity.
www2.cdc.gov/vaccines/ed/shvideo/

VACCINE ADMINISTRATION

› Skills Checklist for Immunization

A self-assessment tool from the Immunization Action Coalition for health care staff who administer vaccines.

www.immunize.org/catg.d/p7010.pdf

› Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases (the Pink Book): Vaccine Administration Chapter

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/vac-admin.html

› Vaccine Administration Guidelines and Recommendations

CDC resources include information on vaccine dosage, route, and site; vaccines with diluents; sample vaccine records; recommendations for emergency situations; managing vaccine reactions; and vaccine indications.

www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/admin/admin-protocols.html

› Injection Safety

Information for health care providers about safe injection practices.

www.cdc.gov/injectionsafety/providers.html

› Using Standing Orders for Administering Vaccines: What You Should Know

The Immunization Action Coalition provides standing orders for ACIP-recommended vaccines and an overview about the use of standing orders for vaccination.

www.immunize.org/standing-orders/



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