# Florida Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program 2014 Provider Reenrollment Form

Instructions: The Provider Reenrollment Form is the provider's agreement to comply with all the conditions of the VFC Program. Providers must complete this form annually.

- 1. Complete this form.
- 2. Fax or mail your application to:

Florida Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program

4052 Bald Cypress Way, Bin A-11, Tallahassee, FL 32399-1700

Fax: 850-245-4734

3. All providers must comply with Vaccine Storage Equipment Requirement prior to participating in the VFC Program. Please indicate your agreement with the following requirements:

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- have a certified, calibrated thermometer for each vaccine storage unit.
- have a stand-alone, two-door refrigerator/freezer or equivalent unit.
- will notify the VFC Program when the VFC Program Coordinator, who is responsible for vaccine management, changes.

Prov	ider Profile	e Section		
NAME OF PHYSICIAN'S OFFICE, PRACTICE, OR CLINIC		ASSIGNED VFC PIN		
Vaccine Delivery Information (All Fields Requi	ired)	Mailing In	formation	
VACCINE DELIVERY ADDRESS (Number/Street - No P.O	). Boxes)	MAILING ADDRESS (if differen	nt from shipping information)	
CITY ZIP CODE	<b>=</b>	CITY	ZIP CODE	
TELEPHONE NUMBER		FAX NUMBER		
VFC Program Coordinator*:		EMAIL ADDRESS		
Back-Up VFC Program Coordinator*:		EMAIL ADDRESS		
Check the one provider category that best describes you:				
□Doctor's Clinic □Hospital Clinic □County Health Department □FQHC (Federally Qualified Health Center) □Birthing Hospital	□Indian Tribes □School Clinic □Community H □Juvenile Corn □Other (specif	: lealth Center rectional Center		

\*The VFC Program Coordinator and the Back-Up VFC Program Coordinator will be assigned ordering and inventory permissions for this VFC Program PIN within the Florida SHOTS account.

In order to participate in the Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program and/or to receive other publicly funded vaccine provided to me at no cost, I, on behalf of myself and all practitioners associated with this medical office, group practice, health maintenance organization, health department, community/rural clinic, or other entity of which I am the medical director or equivalent, agree to the following conditions:

- Screen patients and document eligibility status at all immunization encounters for eligibility and administer VFC
  Program-purchased vaccine only to children who are 18 years of age or younger, and meet one or more of the following
  categories:
  - a. American Indian or Alaskan Native
  - b. Enrolled in Medicaid
  - c. Has no health insurance

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- d. Underinsured: Children who have commercial (private) health insurance but the coverage does not include vaccines, children whose insurance covers only selected vaccines (VFC Program-eligible for non-covered vaccines only), or children whose insurance caps vaccine coverage at a certain amount—once that coverage amount is reached, these children are categorized as underinsured. Underinsured children are eligible to receive VFC Program vaccine only through a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) or Rural Health Clinic (RHC) or under an approved deputization agreement.
- 2. Comply with immunization schedule, dosage, and contraindications that are established by the ACIP and included in the VFC Program unless:
  - In the provider's medical judgment, and in accordance with accepted medical practice, the provider deems such compliance to be medically inappropriate.
  - b. The particular requirements contradict state law, including those pertaining to religious and other exemptions.
- Maintain all records related to the VFC Program for a minimum of three (3) years and make these records available to public health officials, including the state or Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) upon request.
- 4. Immunize eligible children with VFC Program-supplied vaccine at no charge for the vaccine to the patient or parent.
- 5. Not charge a vaccine administration fee to the non-Medicaid VFC Program-eligible children that exceed the administration fee cap of \$24.01 per vaccine dose. For Medicaid VFC Program-eligible children, accept the reimbursement for immunization administration set by the state Medicaid agency or the contracted Medicaid health plans.
- 6. Not deny administration of a federally purchased vaccine to an established patient because the child's parent/guardian/individual of record is unable to pay the administration fee.
- Distribute the current Vaccine Information Statements (VIS) each time a vaccine is administered and maintain records in accordance with the National Childhood Vaccine Injury Compensation Act (NCVIA) which includes reporting clinically significant adverse events to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS).
- 8. Comply with the requirements for vaccine ordering, vaccine accountability, and vaccine management. Agree to operate within the VFC Program in a manner intended to avoid fraud and abuse. VFC Program providers may not store federally purchased vaccine in dormitory-style refrigerators at any time. Return all spoiled/expired public vaccines to CDC's centralized vaccine distributor within six (6) months of spoilage/expiration. I assume responsibility for the proper handling and storage of VFC Program-provided vaccine after delivery to my facility and understand that I may have to replace wasted vaccine.
- 9. Participate in VFC Program compliance site visits, storage and handling unannounced visits, and other educational opportunities associated with VFC Program requirements.
- 10. Enroll in the Florida State Health Online Tracking System (SHOTS), the statewide immunization registry, in order to place vaccine orders. Participation in Florida SHOTS will facilitate direct ordering of vaccine by VFC Program providers in the future. If you do not have a Florida SHOTS account, complete an enrollment form online at <a href="https://www.flshots.com/flshots/enroll/applicantquestions.html">https://www.flshots.com/flshots/enroll/applicantquestions.html</a>. If you do not know if you have a Florida SHOTS account, contact the Florida SHOTS help desk at 1-877-888-7468.
- 11. Participate in all training required by the VFC Program.
- 12. The VFC Program or the provider may terminate this agreement at any time for personal reasons or failure to comply with these requirements. If the provider chooses to terminate the agreement, he or she agrees to properly return any unused VFC Program vaccine.

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Signature:	Medical Director or equivalent		
	•	pathy (DO), Nurse Practitioner (NP), Physician Assistant (	(PA))
Name (Prin	t):	Date:	
Medical Lic	ense Number:	Email Address:	

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## **Delivery Information Section**

Indicate the days of the week and times between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m., your local time, you *may receive vaccine deliveries*:

Day of the Week	Open Time	Closed Time
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday		
Thursday		
Friday		

Closed for lunch:		

**Please Note**: It is the provider's responsibility to notify the VFC Program in advance if the office will be closed during the days and times which are normally open for business. You can reach a VFC Program representative at 1-800-483-2543, option 6.

#### VFC Program Eligibility Section

In a 12-month period, **report** the number of VFC Program children, by age and eligibility, which will be immunized at this location. (For example, 3 in the "< 1 year old" category, 4 in the "1-6 years old" category, and 2 in the "7-18 years old" category, total 9.) **Note:** Do not count a child in more than one category.

VFC Program Eligibility	A <1 Year	B 1-6 Years	C 7-18 Years	(A+B+C) Total
Enrolled in Medicaid				
Uninsured				
American Indian/Alaskan Native				
Underinsured/FQHC* (has health insurance but it does not cover immunizations)				
Privately Insured**				
Total				

<sup>\*</sup>To be VFC Program-eligible, underinsured children must be vaccinated through a FQHC, RHC, or under an approved deputization agreement.

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<sup>\*\*</sup>Children who have private health insurance are *not* eligible for VFC Program vaccines.

## Vaccine Management in Florida SHOTS Section

List personnel who, in addition to the VFC Program Coordinator and the Back-Up VFC Program Coordinator, need permissions to manage and order your VFC Program vaccine in Florida SHOTS. Place an "x" or a checkmark for the requested permission. All personnel must have a Florida SHOTS User ID to access VFC Program functionality. System User IDs can only be created by your local organization administrator or the Florida SHOTS help desk. Contact the Florida SHOTS help desk at 1-877-888-7468 for further assistance.

Personnel Name	Florida SHOTS System User ID [Yes/No]	Update Inventory (Apply Pending Receipts to Inventory)	Can See Orders (View Only for Order Status)	Can Update Orders (Create/Modify VFC Program Vaccine Order Requests)

## **Required Training Documentation Section**

All provider personnel who manage VFC Program vaccine must document completion of the following online courses offered by the CDC at <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/ed/youcalltheshots.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/ed/youcalltheshots.htm</a>. Each participant must submit the certificate of completion with this form. Place an "x" or checkmark to indicate course completion. To include additional personnel, attach a separate list with the original document.

Title	Personnel Name	Vaccines for Children (VFC) Webinar	Vaccine Storage and Handling Webinar
Medical Director or Equivalent (provider who is signing the application)			
VFC Program Coordinator			
Back-up VFC Program Coordinator			

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## **Provider List Section**

Use this form to list all health care providers at your facility licensed to administer vaccines. To include additional immunization providers, attach a separate list with the original document. Include all required information.

Last Name, First, MI	Medical License Number	Medicaid Number	National Provider ID (NPI)	Title (MD, DO, NP, PA)	Specialty (Peds, Family Med, Other)

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