

Reporting the 2010-2011 Seasonal Influenza Vaccine in ImmTrac

The 2010-2011 seasonal influenza vaccine contains antigens for H1N1 and two other flu strains.

- Seasonal influenza immunizations should be entered in ImmTrac's regular mode for ImmTrac clients including children, first responders/first responder family members and other consented adults.
- Do not use ImmTrac Disaster Mode to enter 2010-2011 seasonal influenza immunizations.

2010 – 2011 Seasonal Influenza FAQs

Q: Where can I find more information about this year's flu vaccine?

A: You can find information about the 2010 – 2011 seasonal influenza vaccine at the Centers for Disease Control website: <http://www.cdc.gov/flu/protect/keyfacts.htm> and at Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) website: www.TexasFlu.org.

Q: Do I have to report all seasonal influenza vaccine doses that I administer?

A: Report seasonal influenza vaccination according to the guidelines below:

- Immunizations should be reported for ImmTrac clients including children, first responders and any other adults who have consented to participate in ImmTrac.
- Do not report seasonal influenza immunizations for "Disaster-only" clients or for individuals who are not in the Registry, unless electronically reporting immunizations for children under the age of 18.
- Providers who electronically report data to ImmTrac should include seasonal influenza vaccinations for all clients under the age of 18.

Q: Do I need to report antivirals that are prescribed during the 2010 – 2011 flu season?

A: No. State law requires ImmTrac to record antivirals for declared disasters only. Because H1N1 is no longer a pandemic, you do not need to record antivirals prescribed during the current flu season.

Additional H1N1-related FAQs

Q: When did the H1N1 pandemic end?

A: The World Health Organization (WHO) declared the H1N1 pandemic over on August 10, 2010. You can find WHO's statement at this link: <http://tinyurl.com/2686omm>

Q: We are still catching up on data entry from last year! How do we enter historical doses of H1N1 administered during the 2009 pandemic?

A: H1N1 vaccines and antivirals given during the 2009 H1N1 pandemic will continue to be entered on the Antivirals, Immunizations & Medications (AIMs) screen. For electronic reporters, you will continue to report all 2009 H1N1 vaccines in the same way as before, using CPT code 90663 and/or CVX code 128.

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