

Immunization Partners

Today's update includes information about:

- Shipping File for the Week of 04/04/2016
- Kinrix Vaccine Currently on Backorder
- Reminder about Vaccine Incident Reporting
- IIS Tips for Vaccine Management

Shipping File Update:

Shipping file for the week of 04/04/2016 attached.

Vaccine on Backorder:

Kinrix (DTaP-IPV) is currently on backorder. We expect stock to be replenished at McKesson within the next week. Pending orders will ship at that time. Please contact Mitch Paris, at Mitchell.Paris@doh.wa.gov or WACHildhoodVaccines@doh.wa.gov with any questions.

Completing the Vaccine Incident Report:

If a provider has expired or spoiled vaccine, they must fill out a Vaccine Incident Form, found on our web page (www.doh.wa.gov/VaccineStorageandHandling). The form is faxed to us at the Office of Immunization and Child Profile (OICP). We review the report and follow-up if necessary. We process the vaccine return, and the provider receives a mailing label to send their expired or spoiled vaccine back to McKesson.

If a provider has wasted vaccine, they must fill out a Vaccine Incident Form. Once the provider documents the wasted vaccine on the form the vial or syringe should be disposed of following the clinics medical waste guidelines. Do not return open vials or syringes.

Completing the Vaccine Incident Form, and following the returns process are federal requirements. Spoiled or expired vaccine returns result in a credit of the vaccine excise tax. The tax credit is used to purchase more vaccine for the program.

If you have any questions about our paper vaccine returns or vaccine wastage process, feel free to contact Phillip Wiltzius at 360.236.3603, or at phillip.wiltzius@doh.wa.gov.

IIS Tips for Vaccine Management:

- **Monthly Doses Administered and Inventory Reports:**
 1. Choose "PUB," for your doses administered report. The report will show public and private purchase doses. There is not work-around for this issue. Providers.

2. If you get the message, “The Reconciliation Page is locked due to another process updating the information. Please refresh the page and try again later.” Clearing the cookies/cache/history in the WAISS may help. Do not use a saved or favorite link. Close out of the program and log in again. If you still get the message, e-mail a screen shot of the message to waiishelpdesk@doh.wa.gov.
 3. If you try to submit your doses administered report and get the message, “lot number was in edit mode, please try again once the lot is available,” check your reconciliation screen to check the submission date for the doses administered report to confirm if the report was submitted or not.
 4. LHJs, providers and state staff may have trouble viewing doses administered reports after the provider’s submitted them. We believe this is due to the amount of reporting happening this week. If a provider’s order, reconciliation or report review screen show the report was submitted, but you cannot see the content of the report, try again later.
- **Receiving Vaccine:**
 1. If nothing happens when the receive button is selected, try clearing your cookies/cache/history for the WAISS.
 2. Providers should ***NOT*** reject vaccines they do not receive with the first shipment of an order. Rejecting the vaccines deletes them from the receiving file. If the vaccines not received in the shipment are rejected, the provider will have to add the remaining vaccines to their Inventory using the Search/Add feature under Lot Numbers.
 3. If a provider receives a partial shipment, they should ***leave the Receipt and Rejected Quantity fields blank*** for vaccines they do not receive. The vaccines received at a later date can then be received through the order screen.
 - **Provider Agreement:**
 4. If you receive a message stating your provider agreement has expired, and the message is dated before 3/21/16, you may delete the message. Contact your LHJ or the state if you have questions about your provider agreement.
 5. Your Practice Profile will not be prefilled when you renew your Provider Agreement in 2016. Use the most accurate data source possible to complete your Practice Profile on your Agreement.