

Patient Eligibility Screening Record

Vaccines for Children Program



1. Initial Screening Date: _____
MM/DD/YYYY
2. Child's Date of Birth: _____
MM/DD/YYYY
3. Child's Name: _____

Last Name	First	MI
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4. Parent/Guardian/Individual of Record: _____

Last Name	First	MI
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5. Is your facility a Federally Qualified Health Center (FQHC) or Rural Health Clinic (RHC)? ☐ Yes ☐ No
6. Primary Provider's Name: _____

Last Name	First	MI
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7. Does this patient qualify for immunization through the VFC program because he/she (check only one box):
 - a. Yes, is enrolled in Medicaid ☐
 - b. Yes, does not have health insurance ☐
 - c. Yes, is an American Indian or Alaska Native ☐
 - d. Yes, is underinsured (has health insurance that does not pay for vaccinations) ☐
 - e. No, this child is privately insured and does not qualify for immunizations purchased with VFC funds, **however this child does qualify for vaccines purchased with other funds and can receive vaccine supplied by the Maine Immunization Program.** ☐

Eligibility Checked					
Date	Is enrolled in Medicaid	Does not have health insurance	Is an American Indian or Alaska Native	Is underinsured (has health insurance that does not pay for vaccinations)	Privately Insured

A record of all children 18 years of age or younger who receive immunizations must be kept in the health care provider's office. The record may be completed by the parent, guardian, and individual of record or by the health care provider. VFC eligibility screening must take place with each immunization visit to ensure the child's eligibility status has not changed. This eligibility status must be documented with each visit.

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Since January 1st, 2012, the Maine Immunization Program has received funds from health insurance companies in Maine to cover the purchase of all Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommended vaccines for children up through age 18 years that are insured through private insurance plans.

What this means is **that any child, through age 18 years, regardless of their insurance status, can receive any vaccine that we provide. You must continue to record the VFC status, at time of vaccination administration, of all children in the ImmPact system.**

As a reminder, children up through 18 years of age who meet at least one of the following criteria are considered VFC eligible (choices in ImmPact eligibility drop down in parenthesis below):

- Enrolled in Medicaid (V02-VFC Eligible-Medicaid/MaineCare-Under 19)
- not have health insurance (V03- VFC Eligible-Not Insured)
- Is an American Indian or Alaska Native (V04-VFC Eligible-American Indian/Alaskan Native)
- Is underinsured (V05 Eligible-underinsured)

Children through age 18 years who are privately insured MUST be recorded as *not VFC eligible* in the ImmPact system (MEA01-State Eligible-Insured-Under 19.)

These children do not qualify for vaccines purchased with VFC funds; however, they do qualify for vaccines purchased with other funds and can receive vaccine supplied by the Maine Immunization Program. Attached is the VFC eligibility screening form. You are not required to use this form, however if your site is chosen for a VFC compliance visit, you will be required to demonstrate how your practice screens patients for VFC eligibility. If you have any questions, please contact the Maine Immunization Program Health Educators at: Phone (207) 287-3746 or (800) 867-4775.

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