

SHOTSTracker

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Training & Resources

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Florida SHOTS Blog

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Suggestion Box

Contact us! Your input is very important to us as we continually work to refine Florida SHOTS. Send us your feedback by email: flshots@flhealth.gov

COVID-19 Vaccine Updates



With the authorization of the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine for children ages 5 and older, we can now protect more patients from COVID-19 disease, but you may have questions about the new vaccines, storage requirements, and Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) fact sheets. We're here to help!

Pfizer Formulations:

Pfizer 5 through 11 years (Orange cap/MUST dilute):

- If not previously thawed at 2°C to 8°C (35°F to 46°F), allow vials to thaw at room temperature [up to 25°C (77°F)] for 30 minutes.
- Multi-dose vials with orange caps and labels with orange borders may be stored at room temperature [8°C to 25°C (46°F to 77°F)] for a total of 12 hours prior to dilution.
- After dilution, the vial should be held between 2°C to 25°C (35°F to 77°F). Vials should be discarded 12 hours after dilution.

Pfizer 12 years and older (Gray cap/NO dilution):

- Frozen vials may be stored in an ultra-low temperature freezer at -90°C to -60°C (-130°F to -76°F). Once vials are thawed, they should not be refrozen. DO NOT store this formulation in the freezer.
- Vials may be transferred to the refrigerator [2°C to 8°C (35°F to 46°F)], thawed and stored for up to 10 weeks. The 10-week refrigerated expiry date should be recorded on the carton at the time of transfer. A carton of 10 vials may take up to 6 hours to thaw at this temperature.

Expiration Dates:

The expiration dates for these Pfizer vaccines have now been extended to 9 months from the manufacture date (while frozen). The date printed on the vials indicate the manufacture date and NOT the expiration date. The updated expiration dates for both the orange and gray cap vials indicating 9 months from the date of manufacture are provided below.

Printed Manufacturing Date	9-Month Expiry Date*
06/2021	Feb. 28, 2022
07/2021	Mar. 31, 2022
08/2021	Apr. 30, 2022
09/2021	May 31, 2022
10/2021	June 30, 2022
11/2021	July 31, 2022
12/2021	Aug. 31, 2022
01/2022	Sept. 30, 2022
02/2022	Oct. 31, 2022

*Date of expiration always falls on the last day of the month.

Visit CDC's website for up-to the minute information including administration, storage and handling, and EUA fact sheets for all available COVID-19 vaccines here: cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/info-by-product.

Questions? Contact the VFC Program via email at FloridaVFC@flhealth.gov or via phone at 1-877-888-7468, option 1.

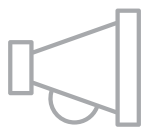


Need Help? Live Support Available 8am-5pm, Monday-Friday ET

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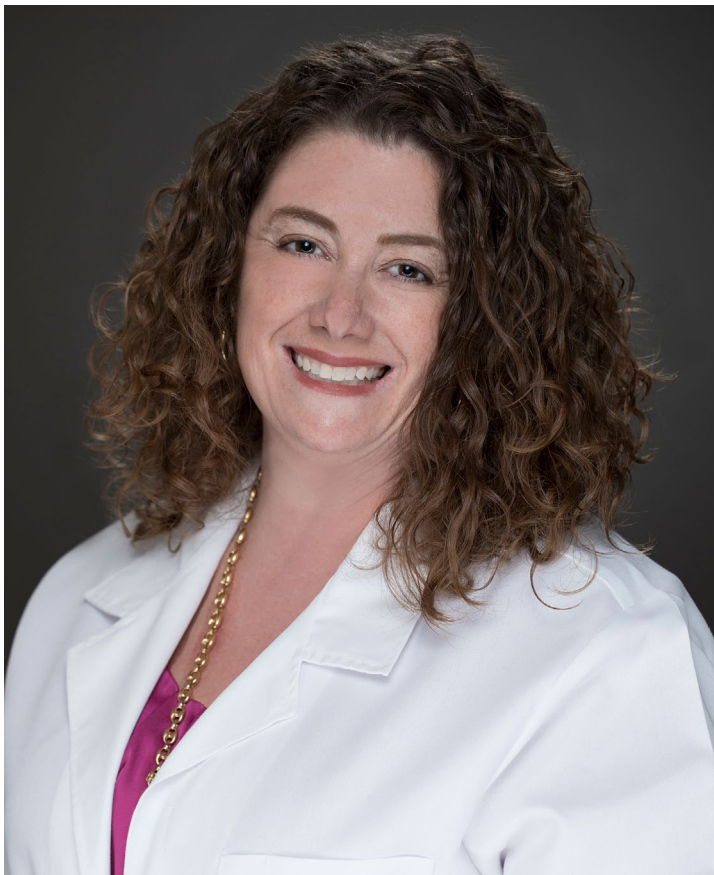
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You Said It

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It's always nice to know what others who are enrolled in Florida SHOTS have to say about the program. In each issue, we share what some of our users think about the system. This interview features Dr. Marcy Solomon Baker, Pediatric Medical Director of BayCare Medical Group.

What do you think is the best feature of Florida SHOTS for your office?

Being able to see if our patients received immunizations, such as flu and COVID-19, at retail pharmacies or other practices in Florida is a huge benefit for our offices. Without Florida SHOTS, we would have to rely solely on the parent providing that information and sometimes that can be difficult to get.

What do you think is the best feature of Florida SHOTS for your patients?

I feel there are many great benefits and features of the system. The largest in my opinion, is having all the patient's vaccines in one database that different providers—even outside of our group—can access.

How have you implemented Florida SHOTS into your daily workflow?

Our offices use it in many ways. We use it to print out the 680 forms required for school. We use it to let us know if patients are missing any vaccines, as well as, if they got vaccines elsewhere.

If another doctor's office were to call and ask you why they should enroll in Florida SHOTS, what would you say?

I would highly recommend that any physician enroll. It has been great to be a part of a database that other providers can access and is bidirectional with our EMR. With Florida SHOTS, it is easy to get a patient's immunization record from other providers into our system. Every physician in the state of Florida who provides vaccines in their practice should be using Florida SHOTS.



We're Here for You!

For more information about how you can participate, please call the Florida SHOTS enrollment desk at **(877) 888-SHOT**.

Data Quality Spotlight

DATA UPLOAD

Can't Find a Vaccine Record that Was Uploaded? We're here to help. Florida SHOTS offers tools to find errors and rejections for your data uploads. Once logged into the system, click on "**System Transactions**," then "**Transaction Statistics**." This report can show you all of the shots your organization has uploaded for a certain time period — including any errors, rejections, or warnings.

To learn more data upload tips, visit flshotsusers.com/training/live-training and sign up for the "**Data Quality Reports**" training offered the third Wednesday of every month.

Upload Tip:

Patient ethnicity, as well as other data elements, are reporting requirements per the Department of Health, Emergency Rule 64DER20-43.



Did You Know?

The COVID-19 vaccine order process in Florida SHOTS now includes reporting your inventory levels. “Doses Administered” and “Current Quantity on Hand” must be reported before submitting your new vaccine order. We have new training guides to walk you through the process in both [English](#) and [Spanish](#). Visit flshotsusers.com/training/training-guides for these guides and more!

Tech Tips



“Our office has new staff who need access to Florida SHOTS and others who have left our practice. Who can we contact to make these changes in the system?”

Each organization has at least one Local Organization Administrator (LOA) who has the authority to update the Personnel List, add/end user access, set permissions, and manage their organization’s Florida SHOTS account. If you need help finding your LOA, click on “Contacts” under the “Customer Support” menu item in Florida SHOTS.

Participating Software Providers



These software companies have created data exchange capabilities between Florida SHOTS and their EMR, practice management, or billing software. For a definition of capabilities by certification level, see “Certified Software Providers” at www.flshotsusers.com.

Platinum Providers

Advanced Data Systems (ADSC)
AdvancedMD
Agatha
Allscripts
Amazing Charts
Athena Health
Azova Health
Care Cloud
CareDox
Cerner
Charm Health
Comtron Medgen EHR
Cpsi
CureMD
eClinicalWorks
eMDs
eMedical Practice
Epic
Experity Health
GE Healthcare
GlanceEMR
Greenway Health
Henry Schein MicroMD
iPatientCare
IronBridge
iSalus Healthcare

Kareo
McKesson Med300
MDFlow
MDRhythm
MDVita EHR
MEDENT
MedHost
Medicat
MEDITECH
MyVax
Netsmart Technologies
NextGen Healthcare
NovoClinical
Office Practicum
PCC (Physician’s Computer Company)
Pediatric Concierge
Practice Fusion
Prognosis
PyraMED
Quanum
Script Management
Partners (smp)
Sevocity
STC ImmsLink
STI Computer Services
TriMed Technologies

Gold Providers

Acrendo
AdaptaMed
Agility
American Medical Software
AMOS
Andor Health
Axion Health
Benchmark Systems
blueEHR
Centriq
ChartAccess
CollaborateMD
CompuGroup Medical
Corepoint
DRS Enterprise
ehrTHOMAS
Elation Health
eMDs MDVIP
Falcon Physician
Flatiron
Focus School Software
GeniusDoc
GloStream
Greenway Medware

Health Care Systems
Hello Health
InSync
MD Land
Meditab IMS Clinical
Med+Proctor
MIEweb.com
ModuleMD WISE
Mulesoft Anypoint Platform
NCG Medical Perfect Care
Office Ally
OmniMD
OneTouch EMR
PDX
Practice Choice
Professional Software for Nurses, Inc.
Pulse Systems
Sense Crop
SOAPware
Sorrell Solutions, LLC
Vipa Health
Waiting Room Solutions

For a list of data upload linkages currently in development, contact Diane McLeod at (813) 270-9785.

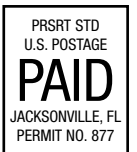
528 MILLION+ SHOTS

As of February 1, 2022, we've processed more than 528 million shots via data upload from over 15,000 participating healthcare providers and multiple insurance organizations. There are also 2,954 real-time live web service healthcare provider connections through 135 EHRs.

Interested in learning more about how your EHR software could be set up to upload shot data to Florida SHOTS? Check out page 3 of this issue to see which software companies are currently participating, or visit www.flshotsusers.com for current data upload information.



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Something not right?

Inaccurate data entry leads to bigger issues.

A database is only as good as the data that's in it. Incorrect patient records lead to incorrect vaccine orders, incorrect reporting, and a domino effect of problems. Help us keep Florida SHOTS error-free. Double check your data for accuracy and use tools like the **Upload Data Quality Report** to review your data and check for any errors or warnings.