

VFC & VFAAR Out-of-Range Temperature Response Form



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If you have an out-of-range temperature, use this form to document the temperature range the vaccines experienced, determine if the vaccines can still be used, and report your findings. Please complete this form within 48 hours of the incident and fax it to 215-238-6948.

1. Your practice

Clinic Name:	VFC/VFAAR PIN	Vaccine Coordinator:	Phone Number:	Date:
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2. The Incident

Date:	Unit (circle one): Refrigerator Freezer	Unit location (if you have more than one):
Cause of incident: <input type="checkbox"/> Power outage <input type="checkbox"/> Mechanical Failure (Unit failure) <input type="checkbox"/> Unexplained <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		

3. Temperature excursion

Duration: How long was the unit's temperature outside the acceptable range?

Hours:	Minutes:
C or F	

Temperature: What was the highest or lowest temperature, outside the acceptable range?

4. Affected Vaccine 1. Take inventory of affected doses. 2. Call the vaccine manufacturers. 3. Give them information on the doses affected by the out-of-range temperature. 4. Ask for a case number. 5. Write down the case number, their instructions, and whether the vaccines are lost. 6. **Fax this form and any other communication from the manufacturer to VFC/VFAAR at 215-238-6948.**

Inventory:					Manufacturer's Instructions		
Vaccine	NDC#	Lot #	Expiration Date	# of Doses	Instructions	OK to use? Y/N	Case #

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4. Affected Vaccine (continued) 1. Take inventory of affected doses. 2. Call the vaccine manufacturers. 3. Give them information on the doses affected by the out-of-range temperature. 4. Ask for a case number. 5. Write down the case number, their instructions, and whether the vaccines are lost. 6. **Fax this form and any other communication from the manufacturer to VFC/VFAAR at 215-238-6948.**

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Manufacturer	Website	Phone #	Products
U.S. Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)	www.cdc.gov/ncezid/dsr/	404-639-3670	Distributor for diphtheria antitoxin, VIG, smallpox vaccine
GlaxoSmithKline (GSK)	www.gskvaccines.com	866-GSK-VACC (475-8222)	Infanrix, Kinrix, Pediarix, Havrix, Engerix-B, Twinrix, Hiberix, Cervarix, Fluarix, FluLaval, Rotarix, Boostrix, Menveo
Grifols (Mass Biological Labs)	www.umassmed.edu/massbiologics/	617-474-3220	IGIM, TD, TT
MedImmune, Inc.	www.medimmune.com	877-633-4411	FluMist
Merck & Co., Inc.	www.merckvaccines.com	800-MERCK-90 (637-2590)	PedvaxHIB, Comvax, Vaqta, Recombivax-HB, Gardasil, M-M-R II, ProQuad, Afluria, Pneumovax 23, RotaTeq, Varivax, Zostavax, Td
Biotest Pharmaceuticals	www.biotestpharma.com	800-458-4244	HBIG
Pfizer (Wyeth Vaccines)	www.pfizerpro.com	800-438-1985	Prevnar 13
Sanofi Pasteur	www.vaccineshoppe.com	800-VACCINE (822-2463)	Daptacel, Tripedia, Pentacel, ActHIB, Fluzone, Menomune, Menactra, IPOL, Imovax, Decavac, Tenivac, Adacel, Typhim Vi, YF-Vax, Quadracel
Seqirus Vaccines	www.seqirus-us.com	1-855-358-8966	Fluvirin, Flucelvax, Afluria
Talecris Biotherapeutics	www.grifols.com	800-520-2807	HBIG, IGIM, RIG, TIG