



Healthcare providers' responsible officers signing contracts with the CDC to administer the COVID-19 vaccines are required **by contract** to enter the vaccinated individuals information into a "state, local or territorial public health authority" database or face criminal or civil penalties.

CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider Agreement



Please complete Sections A and B of this form as follows:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) greatly appreciates your organization's (Organization) participation in the CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program. Your Organization's chief medical officer (or equivalent) and chief executive officer (or chief fiduciary)—collectively, Responsible Officers—must complete and sign the *CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider Requirements and Legal Agreement (Section A)*. In addition, the *CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider Profile Information (Section B)* must be completed for each vaccination location covered under the Organization listed in Section A.

Responsible officers

For the purposes of this agreement, in addition to Organization, Responsible Officers named below will also be accountable for compliance with the conditions specified in this agreement. The individuals listed below must provide their signatures after reviewing the agreement requirements.

Agreement requirements

I understand this is an agreement between Organization and CDC. This program is part of a collaboration under the relevant state, local, or territorial immunization program's cooperative agreement with CDC.

To receive one or more of the publicly funded COVID-19 vaccines (COVID-19 vaccine), constituent products, and ancillary supplies at no cost, Organization agrees that it will adhere to the following requirements:

1. Organization must administer COVID-19 vaccine in accordance with all requirements and recommendations of CDC and CDC's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP).¹
2. Within 24 hours of administering a dose of COVID-19 vaccine and adjuvant (if applicable), Organization must record in the vaccine recipient's record and report required information to the relevant state, local, or territorial public health authority. Details of required information (collectively, Vaccine Administration Data) for reporting can be found on CDC's website.² Organization must submit Vaccine Administration Data through either (1) the immunization information system (IIS) of the state and local or territorial jurisdiction or (2) another system designated by CDC according to CDC documentation and data requirements.² Organization must preserve the record for at least 3 years following vaccination, or longer if required by state, local, or territorial law. Such records must be made available to any federal, state, local, or territorial public health department to the extent authorized by law.

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By signing this form, I certify that all relevant officers, directors, employees, and agents of Organization involved in handling COVID-19 vaccine understand and will comply with the agreement requirements listed above and that the information provided in sections A and B is true.

The above requirements are material conditions of payment for COVID-19 vaccine administration claims submitted by Organization to any federal healthcare benefit program, including but not limited to Medicare, Medicaid, and the Health Resources and Services Administration COVID-19 Uninsured Program. Reimbursement for administering COVID-19 vaccine is not available under any federal healthcare benefit program if Organization fails to comply with these requirements with respect to the administered COVID-19 vaccine dose. Each time Organization submits a reimbursement claim for COVID-19 vaccine administration to any federal healthcare benefit program, Organization expressly certifies that it has complied with these requirements with respect to that administered dose.

Non-compliance with the terms of Agreement may result in suspension or termination from the CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program and criminal and civil penalties under federal law, including but not limited to the False Claims Act, 31 U.S.C. § 3729 et seq., and other related federal laws, 18 U.S.C. §§ 1001, 1035, 1347, 1349.

By entering Agreement, Organization does not become a government contractor under the Federal Acquisition Regulation.

Coverage under the Public Readiness and Emergency Preparedness (PREP) Act extends to Organization if it complies with the PREP Act and the PREP Act Declaration of the Secretary of Health and Human Services.⁶