



COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES – DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH



Los Angeles County Immunization Program

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PRESENTS

**“Vaccine Safety & Addressing Parental Concerns and
2012-2013 Influenza (*flu*) Vaccination Recommendations”**

Friday, October 12, 2012

12:30 PM – 3:30 PM

California Endowment Center

1000 N. Alameda St., CA 90012

(No outside food permitted by Center, Café on premises)

Number of CME Credits 3.0

AGENDA

- 12:15 P.M. – 12:20 P.M. Registration and Sign-In
- 12:20 P.M. – 12:30 P.M. Course Overview
- 12:30 P.M. – 1:50 P.M. **“Vaccine Safety and Addressing Parental Concerns”**
Tracey Simmons, RN, PHN, MSN – Provider Education Coordinator
- 1:50 P.M. – 1:55 P.M. Healthy Stretch Break
- 1:55 P.M. – 3:10 P.M. **“2012-13 Influenza (*flu*) Vaccination Recommendations”**
Willie Watts-Troutman, RN, PHN, BSN – Adult Immunization Coordinator
- 3:10 P.M. – 3:20 P. M. Questions, Answers, and Discussion
- 3:20 P. M. - 3:30 P. M. Post Test and CME Speaker Evaluation Form
- 3:30 P.M. Awarding of CME Certificates

Course Description:

This educational activity will provide information on CDC recommendations for interactions with parents on vaccine safety issues and concerns that parents have to vaccinating their children. The focus will be evidence-based information to supply the healthcare provider with communication strategies for successful vaccine conversations with parents and caregivers.

This educational in-service will provide an update on the current 2012-13 **Influenza (Flu)** vaccine recommendations for healthcare professionals who provide care to children and adult patients/clients 6 months of age and older in Los Angeles County. The focus will be on disease information and the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) vaccine on contraindications, adverse reactions, screening process, dosage intervals, medical and high-risk indications, as well as collaborative public health and immunization resources.

Educational Objectives:

At the end of the course participants will be able to:

1. List two reasons why a child should receive all vaccines recommended.
2. State one major consequence that occurs as a result of parental concern with vaccine safety.
3. State two factors involved in parental decisions about vaccinations.
4. Identify two credible websites for vaccine-hesitant parents.
5. List three major categories of persons who should be immunized with Influenza (Flu) vaccine.
6. State two major differences between the various types of Flu vaccines.
7. Identify the precautions associated with Flu vaccination.
8. State the dose and route of Live Attenuated Influenza Vaccine (LAIV) administration for children and adults who meet the licensure eligibility criteria.
9. Identify three primary indications for immunizing Healthcare Personnel (HCP) with flu vaccine in Los Angeles County.

Educational Methods: Lecture, power-point presentation, questions, answers, and discussion.

Target Audience: This activity is applicable for physicians, particularly those who work in CHS and all healthcare providers that provide immunizations, prenatal, neonatal and/or pediatric care and clinical laboratories that perform hepatitis B surface antigen testing in Los Angeles County will also benefit from this program.

Physicians: The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health is accredited by the Institute for Medical Quality/ California Medical Association (IMQ/CMA) to provide continuing medical education for physicians.

The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health designates this live activity for a maximum of *[3] AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)™*. Physicians should claim only the credit

commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity. This credit may also be applied to the CMA Certification in Continuing Medical Education.

Nurses: Nurses receive a Certificate of attendance. This activity is designated for *[3] AMA PRA Category 1 Credit(s)[™]* which is recognized by the California Board of Registered Nursing toward license renewal for registered nurses. (There is no CME provider number.)

Participants arriving more than 15 minutes late for a one-hour program or 30 minutes or more for a two-hour program will not be granted a CME certificate. There will be no partial credit granted for those who leave early.

Parking: Parking is free per the California Endowment Center's guidelines.

Voluntary Request for Reasonable Accommodation (ADA): The location is wheelchair accessible. Individuals who require special needs should contact the California Endowment office at least 10 working days in advance of the activity for assistance.

Your suggestions for future CME in-service programs are welcome and for additional information regarding the CME content, please contact:

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Los Angeles County Immunization Program
Registration Form
Vaccine Safety and Addressing Parental Concerns &
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DATE	TIMES	LOCATION	CME Hours
10/12/12 Friday	12:30-3:30 pm	The California Endowment 1000 N. Alameda St., Sierra Room Los Angeles, CA 90012 <i>(No outside food, Cafe on premises)</i>	3.0

Registration is required. To register for this activity, please complete the registration information below and send to:
Tracey Simmons, Provider Education Coordinator @ tsimmons@ph.lacounty.gov or fax to (213) 351-2780.

Please list your license number below or bring to the inservice to receive the 3.0 CMEs. All physicians will receive a Certificate of Credit. Nurses, other licensed healthcare professionals and non-licensed personnel will receive a Certificate of Attendance. For more information on the in-service sponsored by the Immunization Program please call (213) 351-7800.

NAME: _____ **LICENSE#** (*MD, NP, RN, PA, etc.*) _____

CLINIC NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____ **City** _____ **Zip Code** _____

PHONE: _____ **FAX#:** _____ **E-MAIL:** _____

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