



2012-2013 Annual Health Care Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey

Introduction

The annual vaccination of health care workers for influenza is a process of care measure prioritized by the Maryland Health Care Commission's (MHCC) Healthcare-Associated Infections Advisory Committee for public reporting. The 2012-2013 Annual Health Care Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey is designed to collect a uniform set of data elements for hospital health care workers.

Hospitals are required to report data on all paid, full-time and part-time employees and house staff (defined as residents and interns) who received FluMist® or injectable influenza vaccine on-site or off-site between September 1, 2012 and April 15, 2013 using an on-line survey form that will be forwarded to you on April 1, 2013. The completed survey must be submitted to the MHCC by May 15, 2013. This is a hardcopy version of the electronic survey that each Maryland hospital will receive by April 1, 2013.

The updated annual survey data collected for the 2012-2013 period will be publicly reported on the Maryland Hospital Performance Evaluation Guide in July 2013. Hospitals will receive a Preview Report and performance benchmark data from MHCC prior to the public release of the survey data in 2013.

If you have questions regarding these reporting requirements, please contact Evanson Mukira at evanson.mukira@maryland.gov or Theresa Lee at theressa.lee@maryland.gov

Part A. Hospital and Contact Information

1. Hospital Name
2. Date of Survey Completion
3. Name of Person Completing the Survey
4. Title of Person Completing the Survey
5. Telephone Number
6. E-mail Address

Part B. 2012- 2013 Annual Health Care Worker Influenza Vaccination Survey

Category		Number of Health Care Workers
#1	Total number of full-time and part-time hospital employees and house staff (defined as residents and interns) as of April 16, 2013:	
#2	Number of full-time and part-time hospital employees and house staff (defined as residents and interns) who received FluMist® or an influenza shot on-site or off-site between September 1, 2012 and April 15, 2013	
#3	Number of full-time and part-time hospital employees and house staff (defined as residents and interns) who did not receive FluMist® or an influenza shot on-site or off-site between September 1, 2012 and April 15, 2013 due to medical contraindications (including a severe egg allergy, severe allergy to any vaccine component, severe reaction after a previous dose of influenza vaccine, or a history of Guillain-Barre Syndrome)	
#4	Number of full-time and part-time hospital employees and house staff (defined as residents and interns) who did not receive FluMist® or an influenza shot on-site or off-site between September 1, 2012 and April 15, 2013 due to religious objections	
#5	Number of full-time and part-time hospital employees and house staff (defined as residents and interns) who did not receive FluMist® or an influenza shot on-site or off-site between September 1, 2012 and April 15, 2013 due to other objections	

Part C.

For the purposes of this survey, a mandatory influenza vaccination policy is defined as a policy that requires health care worker influenza vaccination as a condition of employment. Please check the box that best describes your facility's current status relative to mandatory influenza vaccination of hospital employees:

☐ My hospital has implemented a mandatory employee influenza vaccination policy.

☐ My hospital does not have a mandatory employee influenza vaccination policy, but plans to implement one for the 2013-2014 flu season.

☐ My hospital has no immediate plans to implement a mandatory employee influenza vaccination policy.

Thank you for participating in the survey.