



Vaccines for Children (VFC) Eligibility Screening Record

A record of all children 18 years of age or younger who receive immunizations must be kept in the health care provider's office in accordance with state law. This record must be completed by the child's parent, guardian, individual of record, or health care provider. VFC eligibility screening and documentation of eligibility status must take place with each immunization visit to ensure the child's eligibility status has not changed. It is necessary to retain this or a similar record for each child receiving vaccine. Providers using a similar form (paper-based or electronic) must capture all reporting elements included in this form.

Child's Name: _____
Last Name
First Name
Middle Initial

Child's Date of Birth: _____
mm/dd/yyyy

Parent/Guardian/Individual of Record: _____
Last Name
First Name
Middle Initial

Primary Provider's Name: _____
Last Name
First Name
Middle Initial

To be completed by health care provider. To determine if a child (0 through 18 years of age) is eligible to receive federal vaccine through the VFC and state programs, at each immunization encounter/visit enter the date and mark the appropriate eligibility category.

DATE SCREENED	VFC ELIGIBILITY* (Check only one category)			VFC Eligible at FQHC / RHC Only**	State Eligible	Not Eligible***
	ENROLLED IN MEDICAID	NO HEALTH INSURANCE	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKA NATIVE			

*This record must be kept with the patient's medical record. Patients must be screened for VFC eligibility and eligibility status must be documented at each visit. Verification of a child's eligibility status is NOT required.

**As of January 1, 2012, under-insured patients may only receive publicly funded vaccine in a Federally Qualified Health Center or Rural Health Clinic (FQHC/RHC). Under-insured includes children with health insurance that does not include vaccines or only covers specific vaccine types. Children are only eligible for vaccines that are not covered by insurance.

*** Patients whose health insurance plan includes vaccine as a covered medical service are considered insured and are not eligible for publicly funded vaccine.