

Pharmacist Immunizing by State

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Alabama

Allowed vaccines:

- FDA-authorized or FDA-licensed
- Emergency Vaccines per ACIP vaccine recommendations

Age Requirements:

- Follow ACIP recommendations

Authority:

- Independently ordering and administering; or
- Pursuant to a valid prescription; or
- Standing Order ages 19+

References:

AL ST 34-23-1:

AL ADC 680-X-2-.14 :

AL ADC 680-X-2-.46:

AL Subreg 2024-06-06 Standing Order- Vaccination:

Alaska

Allowed vaccines:

- Any

Age Requirements:

- Not addressed in law

Authority:

- Pharmacists may independently administer; or
- Prescription

References:

AK ST 08.80.168

AK ST 08.80.030

AK ADC 12-52.992

Arizona

Allowed Vaccines:

Without a prescription or protocol:

- CDC recommended vaccines

Rx Required for:

- Japanese Encephalitis
- Rabies
- Typhoid
- Yellow Fever
- Cholera

Age Requirements:

- Influenza: 3 and older
- CDC recommended vaccines: 6 and older
- CDC Travel vaccines: 18 and older
- Immunizations pursuant to a prescription order or under CPA: 3 and older

Authority:

- Pharmacists may independently administer;

- Prescription; or
- Collaborative practice agreement

References:

AZ ST 32-1901
AZ ST 32-1974
AZ ADC R4-23-411
AZ ADC R9-6-1301

Arkansas

Allowed vaccines:

- Any

Age Requirements:

- 3 years and older

Authority:

- Patient-Specific Prescription or Protocol

References

AR ST 17-92-101
AR ADC 070-00-009.09-00

California

Allowed vaccines:

- Follow ACIP recommendations from January 1, 2025
- Any for travel outside the U.S. pursuant to a protocol

Age Requirements:

- 3 and older
- Follow ACIP recommendations

Authority:

- Pharmacists may independently administer;
- Prescription; or
- Collaborative practice agreement

References

CA ST Bus and Prof 4114
CA ST Bus and Prof 4052.8
CA ST Bus and Prof 4052
CA ST Bus and Prof 4052.05

Colorado

Allowed vaccines:

- Pursuant to State law, Board regulations, and DOH standing orders

Age Requirements:

- Pursuant to State law, Board regulations, and DOH standing orders

Authority:

- Patient-Specific Prescription; or
- Standing Order

References

CO ADC 3-719-1-19.01.10
CO Subreg 2025-09-05 Standing Order C-19

Connecticut

Allowed vaccines:

- Any approved by ACIP, CDC, or ordered by a prescriber

Age Requirements:

- Adult ACIP Schedule: 18 and older
- Minors: 12 years or older with parental consent or proof of emancipation

Authority:

- Pharmacist may independently administer;
- Protocol; or
- Patient-Specific Rx

References

CT ST 20-633
CT ST 19a-7f
CT ST 20-633f
CT ADC 20-633-2
CT ADC 20-633-5
CT Subreg 2023-11-30 Board Guidance
CT Subreg 2025-09-10 COVID-19 Vaccine Guidance Update

Delaware

Allowed vaccines:

- Any

Age Requirements:

- 3 years of age and older
- Any person who meets criteria for COVID-19 vaccine

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-Specific Prescription

References

DE ST 24-2502
DE ADC 24-2500.14.0
DE Subreg 2025-09-10 Standing Order

District of Columbia

Allowed Vaccines:

- CDC recommended
- Recommendation by a competent medical or public health organization designated by the DoH

Age Requirements:

- Minors 3 years and older with parental consent or emancipation
- Adults 18 years and older with valid identification
- Any pursuant to valid prescription

Authority:

- Independently ordering and administering; or
- Protocol + Standing Order; or
- Protocol + Valid Prescription

References

DC ST 3-1201.02
DC ST 3-1202.08

DC ST 7-1653.01
DC ADC 17-6512
DC Subreg 2024-07-19 Scope FAQs

Florida

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any listed in CDC Adult Immunization Schedule
- Any recommended for international travel
- Any FDA-authorized for emergency use
- COVID-19 vaccines
- Respiratory syncytial virus vaccines

Age Requirements:

- Adults 19 and older
- Children 7 and older for influenza vaccines

Authority:

- Protocol with a supervising physician

References

FL ST 465.003
FL ST 465.189
FL ADC 64B16-27.650

Georgia

Allowed vaccines:

- Protocol:
 - Influenza
 - Public health emergency vaccine
- Patient-specific Rx: any vaccine
- ACIP recommended

Age Requirements:

- Influenza and Public health emergency vaccine: 13 and older
- ACIP recommendation: 18 and older
- Protocol:
 - Patient must be 18 and older or have consent from parent or guardian
 - No live attenuated virus shall be administered without informed consent

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

GA ST 43-34-26.1
GA ADC 360-34-.01
GA ADC 360-34-.06

Hawai'i

Allowed vaccines:

- FDA approved
- ACIP recommended

Age Requirements:

- 3 years and older

Authority:

- Independently ordering and administering; or
- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

HI ST 461-11.4
HI ST 461-1
HI ST 325-33

Idaho

No specific guidance for pharmacist immunizing

Illinois

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any following CDC Recommended Immunization Schedule, CDC's Health Information for International Travel, or U.S. FDA's Vaccines Licensed and Authorized for Use
- COVID-19

Age Requirements:

- Influenza and COVID: 7 and older
- COVID-19: 6 months and older per standing order
- ACIP Recommended with Prescription or Standing Order: 7 and older

Authority:

- Standing Order; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

IL ST 225-85/3
IL ADC 68-1330.50
IL Subreg 2025-09-23 Department of Public Health

Indiana

Allowed Vaccines:

- ACIP recommended

Age Requirements:

- Pneumonia: 50 years and older
- All others: 11 years and older
- Follow ACIP Guidelines

Authority:

- Protocol;
- Patient-specific Rx; or
- Standing order

References

IN ST 25-26-13-31.5
IN ST 25-26-13-31.2
IN ST 16-19-4-11
IN Subreg 2024-12-17 Protocol Pursuant to CSO-25-03

Iowa

Allowed Vaccines:

- Public Health Emergency Vaccines
- CDC Vaccines recommended for adults and travelers
- Tdap
- Covid-19
- Influenza
- Final two doses of HPV vaccination
- Vaccines approved by the FDA approved or emergency use authorized

Age Requirements:

- Influenza and other public health emergency vaccinations: 6 mos.
- HPV: 11 and older
- Tdap: 18 and older
- CDC Adult immunization schedule: 18 and older
- CDC Travel vaccines: 18 and older
- COVID-19: 18 and older

Authority:

- Statewide Protocol

References

IA ST 155A.46

IA Subreg 2022-07-01 Statewide Protocol Immunization

Kansas

Age Requirements:

- Influenza: 6 and older
- All others: 12 and older

Authority:

- Protocol

References

KS ST 65-1635a

Kentucky

Allowed Vaccines:

- Follow ACIP Guidelines

Age Requirements:

- Prescriber-approved protocol and parent/guardian consent: 5 -17 years of age
- Prescriber-approved protocol: 18 and older
- Follow ACIP Guidelines

Authority:

- Protocol
- Patient specific RX

References

KY ST 315.010

KY ADC 201:2:420

Louisiana

Allowed Vaccines:

- Influenza
- Follow ACIP Guidelines

Age limits:

- Influenza: 7 and older
- ACIP Recommendations: 17 and older

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx
- Pharmacists may independently administer

References

LA ST 37:1218: (1)-(5)
LA ST 37:1218.1

Maine

Allowed vaccines:

- Influenza
- ACIP recommended
- Any by Patient-specific Rx
- COVID-19 by EUA from FDA and recommended by CDC

Age Requirements:

- COVID-19 EUA: 3 years and older
- Influenza: 7 years and older
- Protocol: 18 years and older
- Patient-specific Rx following FDA and CDC guidelines: 3-17 years old
- Patient-specific Rx for any vaccine: 18 years and older

Authority:

- Standing Order;
- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

ME ST 32-13831
ME ST 32-13834
ME ADC 02-392-002-004A-02
ME Subreg 2025-09-12 Standing Order

Maryland

Allowed Vaccines:

- CDC recommended
- FDA approved
- CDC recommended for international travel
- RSV

Age Requirements:

- Influenza: 3 years and older
- COVID-19: 3 years and older
- Protocol or Patient-specific Rx: 7 years and older
- RSV: 60 years and older

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

MD HlthOcc 12-508
MD ADC 10.34.32.03
MD ADC 10.34.32.02
MD ADC 10.34.32.07
MD Subreg MDH 2023-09-06 Directive RSV Vaccines
MD Subreg 2025-09-19 COVID Standing Order

Massachusetts

Allowed Vaccines:

- ACIP recommended FDA-Authorized vaccines
- Travels Vaccines
- COVID-19 vaccines
- Influenza

Age Requirements:

- ACIP recommended: 5 and older

Authority:

- Patient Specific Rx; or
- Standing Order

References

MA ADC 105-700.004
MA Subreg 2023-09-07 Policy 2023-02
MA Subreg 2025-08-29 Standing Order

Michigan

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any vaccine recommended by the ACIP or FDA authorized

Age Requirements:

- 3 years of age or older

Authority:

- CPA or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

MI ST 333.17724
MI ST 333.9204
MI ST MI-HB4047-Sec258

Minnesota

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any FDA-approved
- Influenza & COVID-19 vaccines

Age Requirements:

- Influenza and FDA-approved COVID-19/SARS-CoV-2: 3 and older
- All other vaccines: 6 and older

Authority:

- Independently ordering and administering; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

MN ST 151.01

Mississippi

Allowed Vaccines:

- Not addressed in law

Age Requirements:

- Not addressed in law

Authority:

- Patient-specific Rx
- Protocol

References

MS ST 73-21-73

MS ADC 30-030-3001

Missouri

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any authorized by the FDA before 1/1/2023, with exceptions

Age Requirements:

- Protocol: 7 or CDC recommended age, whichever is higher
- Patient Specific Rx: No age limit
- COVID-19: 6 months and older (Pfizer and Moderna)

Authority:

- May independently order/administer
- Standing order
- Protocol
- Patient-specific Rx

References

MO ST 338.012

MO ST 338.010

MO ADC 20-2220-6.040

MO ADC 20-2220-6.050

MO ADC 20-2150-5.025

MO Subreg 2023-08-01 Board of Pharmacy

MO Subreg 2023-05-04 Pfizer 5-11 Standing Order

MO Subreg 2023-05-07 Moderna 6 mo-5 yrs Standing Order

MO Subreg 2023-05-04 Pfizer 6 mo-4 yrs Standing Order

MO Subreg 2023-05-07 Moderna 6-11 Standing Order

MO Subreg 2023-08-17 Board Guidance

Montana

Allowed vaccines:

- Certified pharmacists (prescribe and administer):
 - Influenza
 - Pneumococcal
 - TDaP

- Herpes Zoster
- CPA: Any vaccine following CDC Guidelines

Age Requirements:

- Independent prescribing and administering:
 - Influenza: 12 and older
 - Pneumococcal, Tdap: 18 and older
 - Herpes zoster: Follow CDC guidelines
- Collaborative Practice Agreement: 7 and older

Authority:

- Certified pharmacists may independently administer; or
- CPA

References

MT ST 37-7-105

MT ADC 24.174.503

Nebraska

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any defined in protocol or sent in a prescription

Age Requirements:

- Not addressed in the law

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

NE ST 38-2831

NE ST 38-2806

NE ST 38-2837

Nevada

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any defined in protocol, some deviations permitted

Age Requirements:

- Follow ACIP guidelines

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Collaborative Practice Agreement

References

NV ST 454.213

NV ADC 639.2971

New Hampshire

Allowed Vaccines:

· FDA licensed vaccines recommended by the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices

- COVID-19
- Influenza

Age Requirements:

- Influenza and COVID-19: Follow CDC Guidelines

- All others: 18 years and older

Authority:

- Pharmacists may independently administer;
- Prescription; or
- CPA

References

NH ST 318:5-a

NH ST 318:16-b

New Jersey

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any pursuant to a prescription or prescriber's standing order
- Authorized immunization program vaccines

Age Requirements:

- Standing Order:
 - Influenza: 10 years and older
 - Immunization Programs: 18 years and older
- Patient-specific Rx:
 - Influenza: 7-9 years old
 - All others: 18 years and older

Authority:

- Standing order; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

NJ ST 45:14-63

NJ ADC 13:39-4.21

NJ ADC 13:35-6.26

NJ ADC 13:39-4.21A

New Mexico

Allowed vaccines:

- Diphenhydramine injection;
- Diphtheria, tetanus and pertussis vaccines. Eg: (DTP),(DTaP), (Tdap);
- Epinephrine injection;
- Haemophilus influenza B vaccine (HIB);
- Hepatitis A vaccine;
- Hepatitis B vaccine;
- Human Papilloma Virus vaccine (HPV);
- Inactivated polio vaccine (IPV);
- Influenza vaccine (IIV3, IIV4, LAIV);
- Japanese encephalitis vaccine;
- Measles, mumps and rubella vaccine (MMR);
- Meningococcal vaccine (MCV4, MPSV);
- Pneumococcal vaccine (PCV, PPSV);
- Rabies (as compliant with the New Mexico Department of Health designations);
- Rotavirus;
- Shingles vaccine;
- Tetanus and diphtheria toxoid (Td);
- Tetanus toxoid (Tt);

- Travel vaccines and medication;
- Typhoid vaccine;
- Varicella vaccine;
- Vaccines as determined by the CDC, ACIP or New Mexico Department of Health that may be required to protect the public health and safety
- COVID-19 vaccine.

Age Requirements:

- Follow ACIP Guidelines

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

NM ADC 16.19.26.9:

NM Subreg 2025-09-10 Standing Order:

NM Subreg 2025-09-15 Protocol:

New York

Allowed vaccines:

- Influenza
- Pneumococcal
- t-Dap
- Meningococcal
- Acute herpes zoster
- COVID-19
- Hepatitis A and B
- Human papillomavirus
- Measles, mumps, rubella
- Varicella
- ACIP recommended vaccinations, approved by the NY health commissioner

Age Requirements:

- Influenza: 2 and older
- All other vaccines: 18 and older

Authority:

- Non-patient specific regimen; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

NY ST Educ 6802

NY ST Educ 6801

NY ST Educ 6527

NY ST Educ 6909

NY ADC 8.63.9

NY Subreg 2025-09-05 Executive Order 52

North Carolina

Allowed Vaccines:

- ACIP Recommended and FDA approved

Age Requirements:

- Protocol: 18 years and older
- Influenza or Covid-19 with parent or guardian consent: Children under 18 years old
- Combination Covid-19 and influenza with parent or guardian consent: 7 years and older

- Patient-specific Rx: 6 years and older

Authority:

- Standing Order;
- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

NC ST 90-85.15B

NC Subreg 2021-08-10 Board Guidance

North Dakota

Allowed Vaccines:

- ACIP recommended
- Public Health Emergency immunizations
- CDC recommended Travel vaccinations

Age Requirements:

- All allowed vaccines: 3 and older

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

ND ST 43-15-01

ND ADC 61-04-11-05

ND ADC 61-04-14-02

Ohio

Allowed vaccines:

- Any

Age limits:

- 5 years and older

Authority:

- Independent

References

OH ST 4729.41

OH ADC 4729:1-3-02

OH Subreg 2025-09-09 Pharmacist and Intern Immunizing

Oklahoma

Allowed Vaccines:

- FDA Approved or authorized

Age Requirements:

- Not addressed in law

Authority:

- Independently administer;
- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

OK ST 59-353.30
OK ADC 535:10-9-13

Oregon

Allowed Vaccines:

- Vaccines authorized by the Governor, Director of ODEM, or the Public Health Director
- ACIP recommended vaccines, with exceptions

Age Requirements:

- CDC approved: 7 years and older, with exceptions
- Emergency vaccines: 3 years and older
- COVID-19: 7 years and older
- Influenza vaccine: 6 months and older

Authority:

- Statewide protocol; or
- Patient-Specific Rx

References

OR ST 689.645
OR ADC 855-043-0002
OR ADC 855-115-0345
OR Subreg 2025-09-17 Coronavirus 19 Protocol
OR Subreg 2025-09-17 Standard Vaccination Protocol for Persons 7 Through 17 Years of Age
OR Subreg 2025-09-17 Influenza Vaccine Protocol
OR Subreg 2025-09-17 RSV Vaccine Protocol
OR Subreg 2025-09-17 Standard Vaccination Protocol for Persons 18 Years of Age and Older
OR Subreg 2025-09-05 COVID-19 Vaccine Communication

Pennsylvania

Allowed vaccines:

- Follow CDC, ACIP guidelines

Age limits:

- Influenza: 9 and older
- All other vaccines: 18 and older

Authority:

- Standing order;
- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

- Pharmacists and interns may administer immunizations in accordance with treatment guidelines of a physician and those established by ACOG, AAP, or AAFP.
- COVID-19 immunizations may be administered in accordance with treatment guidelines of a physician and those established by the FDA.

References

PA ST 169-1002
PA ADC 49-27.403
PA ADC 49-27.404
PA Subreg 2025-09-05 Notice

Rhode Island

Allowed vaccines:

- Follow ACIP Guidelines

Age Requirements:

- Influenza and COVID-19: 3 years and older
- Parental consent required if under 18 years old
- All others: 18 years and older

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

RI ST 5-19.1-2
RI ST 5-19.1-31
RI ADC 216-40-15-1.11.3
RI ADC 216-40-15-1.2
RI ADC 216-40-15-1.11.1

South Carolina

Allowed vaccines:

- ACIP recommended
- Vaccinations defined in protocol
- Any patient-specific Rx

Age Requirements:

- Protocol
 - Influenza: 3 years and older
 - ACIP recommended: 16 years and older

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

SC ST 40-43-190
SC Subreg 2025-03-06 Board of Medical Examiners Protocol

South Dakota

Allowed Vaccines:

- Without a protocol: Influenza
- Protocol: Any defined in protocol
- Rx: Any

Age Requirements:

- Without Protocol or Patient-specific Rx: 18 and older
- Protocol or Rx: not addressed in the law

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

SD ST 36-11-19.1
SD ADC 20:51:28:01
SD ADC 20:51:28:01.01

Tennessee

Allowed Vaccines:

- FDA or CDC approved:
 - Active immunization for influenza and COVID-19
 - Active immunization agents for susceptible people against communicable diseases

Age Requirements:

- 18 years and older
- 3-17 years old: COVID and influenza

Authority:

- Independent authority for certain immunizations and age groups;
- Collaborative Practice Agreement; or
- Patient-specific Rx.

References

TN ST 63-10-204

Texas

Allowed Vaccines:

- Any
- Influenza

Age Requirements:

- Protocol:
 - Influenza: 7 and older
 - All others: 14 and older
 - Children 7-14 may be administered vaccines by a pharmacist if the patient has a patient-physician relationship with the protocol physician
- Patient-specific Rx: Any age

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

TX ST Occ 157.002

TX ST Occ 551.003

TX ST Occ 554.052

TX ADC 22-283.5

TX ADC 22-295.15

Utah

Allowed vaccines:

- Protocol:
 - Influenza
 - Haemophilus Influenza type b
 - Pneumococcal
 - Zoster
 - Varicella
 - t-Dap and TD
 - Hepatitis A/B
 - HPV
 - MMR
 - Meningococcal

- Inactivated Polio
- COVID-19 (SARS-CoV-2)
- Patient specific-Rx: Any

Age Requirements:

- Follow ACIP guidelines

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

UT ST 58-17b-102

UT ADC R156-17b-621

UT Subreg 2023-09-28 Vaccine Administration Protocol

Vermont

Allowed Vaccines:

- Influenza
- Covid-19
- ACIP recommended
- Public health emergency vaccines
- Any identified in written protocol or prescription

Age Requirements:

- Recommended by ACIP: 18 and older
- Covid-19 and Influenza: 5 and older

Authority:

- CPA;
- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

VT ST 26-2023

VT ADC 04-030-230.1.10

VT ADC 04-030-230.10.35

VT Subreg 2025-09-19 Standing Order

Virginia

Allowed Vaccines:

- Recommended by CDC
- COVID-19
- Influenza

Age Requirements:

- Protocol:
 - Childhood ACIP recommended vaccines and travel vaccines: 3 to 17 years
 - Adult ACIP recommended, public health emergency vaccines, and travel vaccines: 18 years and older
- Covid-19: 3 years and older
- Patient-specific Rx:
 - Influenza: 3 and older

Authority:

- Protocol
- Patient-specific Rx

References

VA ST 54.1-3401
VA ST 54.1-3303.1
VA ST 54.1-3408
VA ADC 18-110-21-46
VA Subreg 2023-09-26 BoP Vaccine Protocol
VA Subreg 2023-09-26 BoP Vaccine Protocol

Washington

Allowed Vaccines:

- Authorized, approved, or licensed by the FDA
- COMIRNATY, MNEXSPIKE, SPIKEVAX, and NUVAXOVID COVID-19 vaccines

Age Requirements:

- 6 months and older

Authority:

- Protocol; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

WA ST 18.64.011
WA Subreg 2021-03-18 DOH Memo
WA Subreg 2025-09-04 Standing Order
WA Subreg 2021-01-31 Department of Health Memo

West Virginia

Allowed vaccines:

- CDC recommended

Age limits:

- Independent authority:
 - 18 and older
 - Follow CDC Guidelines: 3-17 years with written parental consent

Authority:

- Independent prescribing and administering; or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

WV ADC 15-12-5
WV Subreg 2025-08-30 Board of Pharmacy
WV Subreg 2020-08-28 Board of Pharmacy Statement
WV Subreg 2022-12-20 BoP Immunization FAQs

Wisconsin

Allowed vaccines:

- ACIP/CDC recommended vaccines
- Any vaccine pursuant to a prescription order, vaccination protocol, or standing order

Age Requirements:

- Independently prescribing and administering: 6 years and older
- COVID-19: 6 months and older
- Patient-specific Rx: Any age

Authority:

- Independently prescribing and administering;
- Patient-specific Rx;
- Standing order; or
- Protocol

References

WI ST 450.035

WI ST 450.01

WI Subbreg 2025-09-16 Standing Order

Wyoming

Allowed Vaccines:

- Immunizations recommended for healthy individuals
- Any immunization prescribed by a licensed physician

Age Requirements:

- Independent prescribing and administering for healthy individuals: 7 and older

Authority:

- Independent prescribing and administering, or
- Patient-specific Rx

References

WY ST 33-24-157

WY ADC 059-0001-18

WY ADC 059-0001-16