

# PATIENT ASSESSMENT AND VACCINE ADMINISTRATION FORM

## Influenza Immunization (give September through December; may be given through March)

STANDING All patients age 50 or older:  
ORDER: Prior to discharge, administer 0.5 ml I.M. influenza vaccine

- Influenza vaccine NOT given
- Contraindicated:
    - Allergic to eggs or thimerosal
    - Previous adverse reaction to influenza vaccine
    - Physician order not to give vaccine
    - Acute febrile illness
    - Condition terminal
    - Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Patient declined:
    - Believes not at risk for disease
    - Fear of adverse effects
    - Believes vaccine won't work
    - Wants further advice (e.g., physician or family)
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
  - Previously immunized this "flu season"

Assessed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Physician signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

- Influenza vaccine given  
Lot #: \_\_\_\_\_ Administered by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## Pneumococcal Immunization

STANDING All patients age 65 or older:  
ORDER: Prior to discharge, administer 0.5 ml I.M. or S.Q. pneumococcal vaccine

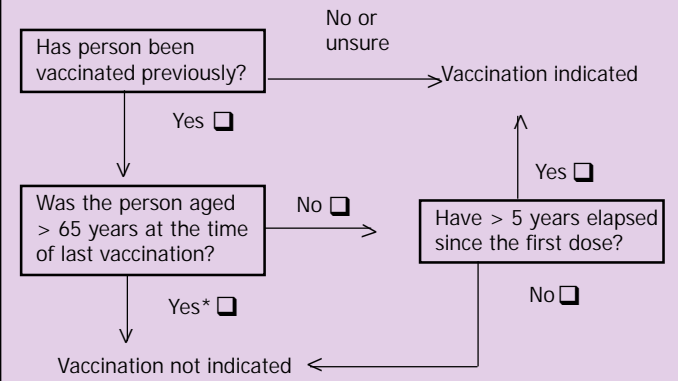
- Pneumococcal vaccine NOT given
- NOT indicated per algorithm
  - Contraindicated:
    - Previous adverse reaction to pneumococcal vaccine
    - Physician order not to give vaccine
    - Febrile respiratory illness or other active infection
    - Condition terminal
    - Other: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Patient declined:
    - Believes not at risk for disease
    - Fear of adverse effects
    - Believes vaccine won't work
    - Wants further advice (e.g., physician or family)
    - Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Pneumococcal vaccine given  
Administered by: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Lot #: \_\_\_\_\_

Previously immunized for pneumococcal pneumonia

Assessed by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### Algorithm for vaccinating persons ages > 65 years



\*Note: For any person who has received a dose of pneumococcal vaccine at age > 65 years, revaccination is not indicated  
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