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## **PEI Pharmacare Memorandum**

To: Community Pharmacies with McKesson Influenza Vaccine Distribution, PEI Pharmacy

Association, McKesson Distribution

From: Department of Health and Wellness Pharmacy Services (Pharmacare and Pharmaceutical

Services), Tel: 902-368-4947

Date: September 5, 2025

Subject: McKesson Distribution Strategy for Publicly Funded Influenza Vaccines

## Please note: this form is only to be filled out by pharmacies who utilize McKesson Distribution.

Similar to last year, the initial influenza distribution from McKesson to community pharmacies will occur using a "push" strategy. Community pharmacies can receive their initial influenza supply automatically (i.e., "pushed") from McKesson without the requirement of submitting an order. Subsequent orders will be available via the standard ordering process.

For community pharmacies who wish to receive this "push" order, please complete the table below and fax to PEI Pharmacare **by September 12, 2025.** Orders received after September 12, 2025, will not be accepted.

New this year: Fluad will be the product used for individuals 65 years of age and older. It is available in boxes of 10 prefilled syringes.

Information regarding influenza season start date, anticipated date for the initial delivery, ordering parameters, reimbursement parameters and pharmacy follow-up will be sent in a separate communication.

PEI Pharmacare Telephone: 902-368-4947 drugprograms@gov.pe.ca

Initial PUSH Influenza Vaccine Order		
Date		
<b>Submitted:</b>		
Pharmacy:		
Address:		
Contact		Phone:
Person:		
<b>Product:</b>	Vaccine for individuals less than 65 years of age (Fluzone PFS)	Vaccine for individuals 65 years of age and older ( <b>Fluad</b> adjuvanted PFS)
Quantity Requested:	□ 50 doses (5 boxes of 10 PFS)	□ 50 doses (5 boxes of 10 PFS)
	□ 100 doses (10 boxes of 10 PFS)	□ 100 doses (10 boxes of 10 PFS)
	☐ 150 doses (15 boxes of 10 PFS)	
Fax orders to 902-368-4905 or email to <u>drugprograms@gov.pe.ca</u> by September 12, 2025		

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