

## Saskatchewan Immunization Manual Amendments October 2023

**Instructions:** Please remove and discard the corresponding pages in each chapter section as applicable and insert the amended pages as noted below in each corresponding chapter section.

### **Chapter 9 Management of Biological Products**

- P. 30 section 5.3 PRODUCT WASTAGE REPORT FORM
  - Modern XBB.1.5 vial doses corrected to 5 doses, from 10 doses.

### **Chapter 10 Biological Products**

- TOC first page
  - Removed:
    - Recommended bivalent Omicron-Containing mRNA vaccines. Dosages and schedules for primary series
    - COVID-19 Booster dose parameters and recommendations
  - **New!** Pfizer BioNTech Comirnaty® 12 + **XBB.1.5** formulation 6+ months formulation (Gray cap/label border)
  - **New!** Pfizer BioNTech Comirnaty® 5-11 years **XBB.1.5** formulation 6+ months formulation (Blue cap/label border)
  - **New!** Pfizer BioNTech Comirnaty® 6 month – 4 years **XBB.1.5** formulation 6+ months formulation (Maroon cap/label border)
- COVID-19 Vaccine Q &A for Immunizers
  - **New** addition to **#2C** for age transition 4 to 5 years with Pfizer vaccine. “Children who transition from age 4 years to age 5 years during the Pfizer XBB.1.5 vaccination series should complete the series as per the 6 month to 4 years schedule **using 0.2 ml (3 mcg) dose from the maroon cap/label border vial.**”
- XBB.1.5 COVID-19 Vaccine Schedules
  - Schedules now included for Pfizer XBB.1.5 vaccines and recommendations for mixed schedules for young children.
- All bivalent vaccine pages removed.
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