

Saskatchewan Immunization Manual Amendments September 2022

<u>Instructions</u>: 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 5 Immunization Schedules

• Section 4.1 Unknown or Uncertain Immunization Status

Adults ≥ 18 years who were born or spent their childhood in Canada section has been revised to reflect a verbal history of immunization is not considered proof of immunity, especially for post-exposure tetanus prophylaxis. Please ensure that staff have reviewed this revision.

Chapter 10 Biological Products

- TOC updated
 - o Janssen JCOVDEN trade name added
 - Supemtak added
 - o INFLUVAC TETRA removed

COVID-19 vaccines

- Janssen COVID-19 vaccine
 - o Trade name is JCOVDEN
 - Product monograph updated Aug. 5, 2022
- Pfizer 12+ Purple and Gray cap/label vaccines
 - New statement added to DOSE section
 - Each 0.3 mL dose of COMIRNATY contains 30 mcg of a nucleoside modified messenger RNA (modRNA) encoding the viral spike (S) glycoprotein of SARS-CoV-2 (original strain).
 - Product monograph updated for Aug. 19. 2022
- Pfizer 5-11 years Orange cap/label vaccine
 - New statement added to DOSE section
 - Each 0.2 mL dose of COMIRNATY contains 10 mcg of a nucleoside modified messenger RNA (modRNA) encoding the viral spike (S) glycoprotein of SARS-CoV-2 (original strain).
 - Product monograph updated for Aug. 19. 2022
 - NACI statement re Pfizer boosters for 5-11 years added.

Influenza vaccines

- Non-Publicly funded vaccines:
 - Supemtak™ added.
 - o INFLUVAC® TETRA and AFLURIA® Tetra removed.
- NEW! AFLURIA® TETRA for ages 5 years and older
 - o AFLURIA® TETRA multidose vials will be provided to pharmacists for the 2022-23 season.
 - o Contains neomycin sulfate and polymyxin B sulfate.
- Product monographs updated for FLULAVAL TETRA, FLUZONE Quadrivalent, and FLUZONE High Dose Quadrivalent.