

STANDING ORDERS FOR VACCINATION WEBINAR

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12-1 pm HST
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Standing orders are written protocols approved by a physician or other authorized practitioner, that allow qualified healthcare professionals such as registered nurses or pharmacists, to assess the need for vaccination and to vaccinate patients meeting certain criteria.

Standing orders have been proven effective in increasing vaccination rates among adults and children, when used alone or with additional interventions, and across a range of settings (clinics, hospitals, pharmacies, and long-term care facilities) and populations.

Objectives:

After this session, participants will be able to:

- State the importance of standing orders protocols for immunization
- List the components of standing orders protocols
- Explain the effectiveness of standing orders protocols
- Describe implementation of standing orders in their practice

Speaker:

William Atkinson, MD, MPH

Dr. Atkinson is associate director for immunization education at the Immunization Action Coalition, which he joined in 2012.

For 25 years, Atkinson was a medical officer at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) where he participated in a variety of immunization-related activities including measles surveillance and outbreak control, creation of technical and training materials for vaccine providers, and the development of national immunization policy. From 1995 through 2012, he was the writer, producer, and presenter for 125 national satellite broadcasts and webcasts on multiple vaccine-preventable disease topics. He is the recipient of numerous awards including the U.S. Public Health Service Distinguished Service medal.



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The presentation will be conducted via WebEx, courtesy of the Department of Health Immunization Branch.

A computer with Internet access and speakers is required to participate.

Webinar access information will be e-mailed to registered participants.

Who should attend?

- Physicians
- Nurses
- Nurse Practitioners
- Physician Assistants
- DoD paraprofessionals
- Pharmacists
- Clinic Managers
- Medical Assistants
- Students pursuing a career in healthcare or public health
- Anyone who either administers vaccines or sets vaccination policies for their office, clinic, hospital, pharmacy, or long-term care facility