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SUBJ/2025-2026 NAVY INFLUENZA VACCINATION AND REPORTING POLICY//

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1. Influenza Vaccination and Reporting.

a. Influenza Vaccine and Priority. Two influenza vaccines, Northern Hemisphere (NH) and Southern Hemisphere (SH), are available. The 2025-2026 influenza vaccine supply will consist of trivalent injectable vaccines in prefilled syringes. Per reference (a). U.S. Navy ships, operational assets, and training commands have been identified by the DoD and Department of the Navy (DON) as vaccine priority groups for the 2025-2026 influenza season.

b. Influenza Vaccine Ordering and Distribution, per reference (a),  
(1) Operational Forces Support Division, Naval Medical Readiness Logistics Command Detachment (NMRLC-Det), Fort Detrick is responsible for ordering and distributing influenza vaccine for all Navy Fleet, United States Marine Corps Forces Reserve (MARFORRES), and Navy Reserve Center (NAVRESCEN) activities. Additional quantities required must be coordinated with the Vaccine Information and Logistics System (VIALS) helpdesk at usn.detrick.nmrlc-detftdmd.list.vialhelp@health.mil.

(2) All Navy Fleet, MARFORRES, and NAVRESCEN activities will continue to submit their requirements in VIALS via Military Standard Requisitioning and Issuing Procedure (MILSTRIP) from requisition to receipt. The VIALS website is common access card enabled and can be accessed at [https://gov-only.nmrlc.health.mil/int\\_code03/vials/](https://gov-only.nmrlc.health.mil/int_code03/vials/).

c. 2026-2027 Influenza Vaccine Requirements. Per reference (b), the United States Army Medical Material Agency Distribution Operations Center conducts a data call annually for the following year's seasonal influenza virus vaccine requirements. All requirements must be submitted prior to 15 Oct 2025.

d. Influenza Vaccine Shipping. All commands will verify their correct shipping address and two (2) points of contact information in VIALS to ensure prompt delivery. Navy Fleet afloat will validate their shipping locations, timeframes, and contact information (second point of contact should be the Type Command).

e. All Influenza vaccine shipments include temperature monitors. All monitors must be returned to the Defense Logistics Agency-Troop Support Medical (DLA-TSM) cold chain office after receipt, regardless of alarm

status, per the included instructions and shipping materials.

f. Per reference (c). Active and Reserve Component Navy force vaccination administration compliance will be monitored via the Medical Readiness Reporting System (MRRS). Designated command personnel will access MRRS to track their personnel to ensure compliance. Per reference (d), seasonal influenza vaccination must be reported for all Active and Reserve Component Service Members who are required to receive the vaccine.

(1) Shore-based commands will request access to MRRS based on their unit identification code by submitting a system access authorization request available at: <https://mrrs-cloud.dc3n.navy.mil/mrrs/secure/welcome.m>. Point of contact: MRRS Program Office at mill\_mrrs@navy.mil. Ship-based commands will utilize authorized electronic medical systems to populate MRRS.

(2) Commands must ensure that documentation of influenza vaccine administration is coded to accurately reflect the type of vaccine given.

(3) Afloat units will enter influenza immunizations into authorized electronic medical systems for subsequent transfer to MRRS.

(4) All personnel who receive the vaccination from a retail network pharmacy must provide documentation of vaccination no later than the next duty or drill day to ensure compliance is appropriately recorded in their electronic health records and MRRS. The following information will need to be provided, at a minimum: date vaccine was administered, vaccine name or code, manufacturer, expiration date, and lot number. Intranasal vaccine (FluMist) that is self-administered from a retail pharmacy will not be accepted for compliance purposes.

(5) Vaccination Timeline. Active-duty units have three working days following receipt of vaccine shipment to document, begin administering, and report vaccination. If the 72-hour requirement cannot be met, unit situation reports will be submitted to the respective Immediate Superior in Command and Type Commanders.

(6) Uniformed member compliance must be tracked in MRRS. Installations may also use the Navy Family Accountability and Assessment System (NFAAS) to conduct a Pandemic Influenza response exercise in conjunction with the seasonal influenza vaccine program.

g. Navy Goals and Performance Standards.

(1) All Navy operational units and Navy Medicine Readiness and Training Commands/Units will administer the 2025-2026 influenza vaccination to all eligible Active and Reserve Component members by 15 January 2026. Per reference (e), influenza vaccine access will be provided for all Navy family members who may be eligible.

2. Released by Rear Admiral Darin K. Via, N093, Surgeon General of the Navy.//

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