Arizona Care Influenza Vaccination

PATIENT POPULATION: Percentage of patients aged 6 months and older seen for a visit between October 1 and March 31 who received an influenza immunization **OR** who reported previous receipt of an influenza immunization

NUMERATOR COMPLIANCE: Patients who received an influenza immunization **OR** who reported previous receipt of an influenza immunization.

- » Once per flu season
- » Additional flu shots if medically necessary

DENOMINATOR

» Patients aged ≥ 6 months

DOCUMENTATION REQUIREMENTS

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CODE	DESCRIPTION	
G0008	Administration of influenza virus vaccine	
90662	Influenza virus vaccine (IIV), split virus, preservative free, enhanced immunogenicity via increased antigen content, for intramuscular use	_
90672	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent, live (LAIV4), for intranasal use	
90674	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (ccIIV4), derived from cell cultures, subunit, preservative and antibiotic free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
90682	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (RIV4), derived from recom- binant DNA, hemagglutinin (HA) protein only, preservative and antibiotic free, for intramuscular use	
90685	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, preservative free, 0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
90686	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, preservative free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
90687	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, 0.25 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
90688	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (IIV4), split virus, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
90694	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (alIV4), inactivated, adjuvanted, preservative free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
90756	Influenza virus vaccine, quadrivalent (ccIIV4), derived from cell cul- tures, subunit, antibiotic free, 0.5 mL dosage, for intramuscular use	
Q2039	Influenza virus vaccine, not otherwise specified	

BEST PRACTICES

Make a recommendation for patients to receive a flu shot and follow up with each patient during subsequent appointments to ensure they received it.

- If a patient still is unvaccinated, repeat the recommendation and try to identify and address any questions or concerns.
- Share the reasons why an influenza vaccine is right for the patient given age, health status, lifestyle, occupation, or other risk factors.

Highlight positive experiences with influenza vaccines as appropriate, to reinforce the benefits and strengthen confidence in influenza vaccination.

Explain the potential costs of getting influenza, including potential serious health effects for the patient, time lost (such as missing work or family obligations), financial costs, and potentially spreading influenza to more vulnerable family or friends.



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