

## Important Contact Information

### Massachusetts Department of Public Health Immunization Program

617-983-6800 or  
TOLL FREE at 1-888-658-2850  
Monday through Friday, 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.  
[www.mass.gov/dph/imm](http://www.mass.gov/dph/imm)

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

CDC INFO Contact Center:  
1-800-232-4636 (1-800-CDC-INFO) and  
1-888-232-6348 TTY  
Document Fax line: 770-488-4760

National Immunization Program web site:  
[www.cdc.gov/vaccines/](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/)

National Center for Infectious Diseases  
Travelers' Health  
[www.cdc.gov/travel/](http://www.cdc.gov/travel/)

## Website Resources You Should Know About

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health Immunization Program receives requests for many of the following resources from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and other reliable resources. The online availability of these frequently requested CDC items can make your information search and the process of referring others to high-quality immunization education materials so much easier.

### CDC RESOURCES

- ACIP statements  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/recs/acip/default.htm>
- National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/>
- Adult immunization schedule  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/recs/schedules/adult-schedule.htm>
- Childhood and adolescent immunization schedule  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/recs/schedules/child-schedule.htm>
- CDC Vaccine Safety web page  
[http://www.cdc.gov/od/science/iso/about\\_iso.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/od/science/iso/about_iso.htm)
- *Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases*, 10th ed. (The "Pink Book")  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/pinkbook/default.htm>
- "Guidelines for Vaccinating Pregnant Women"  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/preg-guide.htm>
- "Some Common Misconceptions about Vaccination"  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/vac-gen/6mishome.htm>

- Vaccine Information Statements (VISs)  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/vis/default.htm>
- (Immunization Action Coalition's VIS site, with some in 30 languages)  
<http://www.immunize.org/vis/index.htm>
- Vaccine Management: Recommendations for Handling and Storage of Selected Biologicals  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/pubs/vac-mgt-book.htm>
- Questions and Answers About Vaccines and Vaccine Preventable Diseases  
<http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/p2021.htm>
- What Would Happen if We Stopped Vaccinations?"  
<http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/fs/gen/WhatifStop.htm>

#### **CDC WEBSITES**

- Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR)  
<http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/>
- National Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention, Viral Hepatitis Information  
<http://www.cdc.gov/ncidod/diseases/hepatitis/index.htm>
- Travelers' Health web page  
<http://wwwn.cdc.gov/travel>
- Vaccines for Children (VFC) program  
<http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/vfc/default.htm>

#### **OTHER FEDERAL GOVERNMENT RESOURCES**

- Food and Drug Administration  
<http://www.fda.gov/cber/vaccines.htm>
- Healthy People 2010  
<http://www.healthypeople.gov/>
- National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (VICP)  
<http://www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation/>
- Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS)  
<http://www.vaers.hhs.gov/>

#### **OTHER WEBSITES WITH IMMUNIZATION RESOURCES**

- American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP)  
<http://www.aap.org>
- Immunization Action Coalition (IAC)  
<http://www.immunize.org>
- Vaccine Education Center at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia  
<http://www.vaccine.chop.edu>
- Institute for Vaccine Safety  
<http://www.vaccinesafety.edu/>
- Massachusetts Department of Public Health  
<http://www.mass.gov/dph/>
- National Foundation for Infectious Diseases  
<http://www.nfid.org>
- Infectious Disease Society of America  
<http://www.idsociety.org>