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Dear provider of healthcare-related services,

We all have important roles in the front lines of the 2019 coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic that we are facing. As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve, PharmPix is making every possible effort to continue to provide our essential services to assure the use of appropriate medications by the appropriate patients at the right moment, while also caring for the safety of our employees, their families, and the community in general.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has authorized emergency use of Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine and the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine for the prevention of COVID-19 to include children 6 months of age and older. The Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine's emergency use authorization (EUA) has been amended to include the use of the vaccine in individuals 6 months through 17 years of age. The FDA amended the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine's EUA to include individuals 6 months through 4 years of age. Below you will find more information regarding the presentation and dosing and schedule for each vaccine.

### **Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine**

**PRIMARY SERIES PRESENTATION**  
6 months through 5 years of age

- Presentation:
  - o Supplied in a multiple-dose vial with dark blue cap and a label with magenta border
- Dosing and Schedule:
  - o Two-dose primary series (0.25mL) 1 month apart to individuals 6 months through 5 years of age



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- Third primary series dose (0.25mL) at least 1 month following the second dose to individuals 6 months through 5 years of age who have been determined to have certain kinds of immunocompromise

**PRIMARY SERIES**  
6 years through 11 years of age

- Presentations:
  - Supplied in a multiple-dose vial with a dark blue cap and a label with a purple border
    - Cartons and vial labels state “BOOSTER DOSES ONLY”.
    - This presentation may be used to provide primary series doses to individuals 6 years through 11 years of age.
  - Supplied in a multiple-dose vial with a dark blue cap and a label with a teal border (currently not available)
    - Vial labels state “Age 6y through 11y”.
- Dosing and Schedule:
  - Primary series of two doses (0.5mL each) 1 month apart to individuals 6 years through 11 years of age
  - Third primary series dose (0.5mL) at least 1 month following the second dose to individuals with certain kinds of immunocompromise

**PRIMARY SERIES AND BOOSTER DOSE PRESENTATION**  
Primary Series Doses for 12 Years and Older  
Booster Doses for 18 Years and Older<sup>1</sup>

- Presentation:
  - Supplied in a multiple-dose vial with a red cap and a label with a light blue border
- Dosing and Schedule:
  - Two-dose primary series (0.5mL each) 1 month apart to individuals 12 years of age or older
  - Third primary series dose (0.5mL) at least 1 month following the second dose to individuals at least 12 years of age with certain kinds of immunocompromise



## Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine

FOR 6 MONTHS THROUGH 4 YEARS OF AGE  
DILUTE BEFORE USE

- Presentation:
  - Supplied in a multiple-dose vial with a maroon cap and a label with a maroon border
- Dosing and schedule:
  - Primary series of 3 doses (0.2mL each):
    - Initial 2 doses are administered 3 weeks apart followed by a third dose administered at least 8 weeks after the second dose in individuals 6 months through 4 years of age.
  - Individuals who will turn from 4 years to 5 years of age between any doses in the primary series may receive:
    - 2-dose primary series with the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine authorized for use in individuals 5 through 11 years of age (each 0.2mL dose, supplied in multiple dose vial with orange caps and labels with orange borders), **OR**
    - 3-dose primary series initiated with the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine authorized for use in individuals 6 months through 4 years of age (each 0.2mL dose, supplied in multiple-dose vials with maroon caps)

Please refer to the following resources for more information:

1. [FDA News Release: Coronavirus \(COVID-19\) Update: FDA Authorizes Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccines for Children Down to 6 Months of Age](#)
2. [Moderna's COVID-19 Vaccine Fact Sheet: Primary Series Presentation 6 Months through 5 Years of Age](#)
3. [Moderna's COVID-19 Vaccine Fact Sheet: Primary Series 6 Years through 11 Years of Age](#)
4. [Moderna's COVID-19 Vaccine Fact Sheet: Primary Series and Booster Dose Presentation, Primary Series Doses for 12 Years and Older, Booster Doses for 18 Years and Older](#)
5. [Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Fact Sheet: For 6 Months through 4 Years of Age](#)

The situation with the COVID-19 pandemic is dynamic and constantly changing. We strongly encourage the frequent revision of updated information provided by the FDA, the Centers for Disease and Control Prevention (CDC), and the World Health Organization (WHO), to assure that your practices are consistent with the most updated information.



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PharmPix is committed to the health and wellness of our members, and to support you as the COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve. It is our priority to offer high-quality services and support practices for health promotion and diseases prevention. If you have any questions or wish to have more information regarding this document, you can call us at 787-522-5252, extension 220.

Kind regards,

Clinical Department



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