

UIIP UPDATE #4**Flu Vaccine Orders and Distribution**

Early uptake for the flu vaccination is unprecedented in Toronto and Ontario compared to previous seasons. The province is working through the federal vaccine procurement process to acquire additional doses of vaccine for Ontario.

High-dose flu vaccine is out of stock. It is uncertain if additional high-dose vaccine will be available. High-dose vaccine orders will not be filled until further notice.

Orders for quadrivalent vaccine may be reduced based on currently available supply.

Vaccinating seniors

It is important for seniors to get their flu vaccine since they are at high risk for influenza complications. If your premise is out of high-dose, please give the quadrivalent vaccine. Both vaccines are safe and effective. Any available influenza vaccine would be preferable to a missed vaccination opportunity.

We are incredibly grateful for such an achievement in a short timeline. This is extremely encouraging as we work towards a COVID-19 vaccine distribution plan.

More information will be sent out as it become available.