

# 2024 Labcorp Employer Services (LES) flu vaccination program

### 1. How can Labcorp help me this flu season?

**A:** A dedicated client success manager will work with you to plan, coordinate and manage a successful flu campaign. LES takes care of all the details: promotional materials, a scheduling tool and reporting.

### 2. What type of flu vaccines will be available for the 2024-2025 season?

**A:** LES offers the standard trivalent thimerosal-free vaccine via a pre-filled syringe. A trivalent influenza (flu) vaccine is designed to protect against three different flu viruses, including two influenza A viruses and one influenza B virus.<sup>1</sup>

### 3. Can pregnant or breastfeeding women be vaccinated?

**A:** Yes, you may receive a seasonal influenza vaccine if you are pregnant. However, LES recommends that you consult with your primary care provider (PCP) first.

### 4. Who is the vaccine available to?

**A:** LES offers a vaccine for those 18 years and older and a specific vaccine formulated for those 65 and older. Currently, the CDC does not recommend the use of any one flu vaccine over another except among people 65 years and older.

### 5. How does Labcorp staff its clinics?

**A:** Our on-site vaccinator team is comprised of RNs, LPNs and other appropriately credentialed healthcare professionals. All staff licenses and certifications are carefully vetted. Staff receive in-depth and ongoing training to ensure compliance and drive participant satisfaction.

### 6. How long should the flu clinic last?

**A:** Labcorp can administer 15-18 shots per hour, per nurse. For example, if you expect 50 participants, your event should last three hours. LES will help you determine the time, staff and set-up that best fits your workforce.

### 7. Who handles registration?

**A:** LES coordinates the scheduling as part of the on-site flu event offering. Online, paper and telephonic appointment registration options are available.

### 8. Do employees need to sign up for flu shots?

**A:** Appointment registration is recommended for employees to provide a smooth event and to plan for adequate flu staff, vaccine and supplies. Walk-ins are accepted as time and supplies allow. Our new on-site process streamlines check-in for both walk-ins and scheduled appointments, minimizing wait times and improving the employee experience.

### 9. What about employees who cannot attend an on-site flu clinic?

**A:** LES offers a flu voucher program, which is a convenient and cost-effective alternative to on-site clinics. Vouchers may be redeemed at any designated Walgreens nationwide (except North Dakota).

### 10. Is the same vaccine type available through the retail partners?

**A:** Yes, the trivalent vaccine is available at on-site flu clinics and retail partners.

### 11. Are appointments necessary with retail partners?

**A:** While appointments are not required, they are highly encouraged. Participants can schedule an appointment with our retail partner.

### 12. Are there any set-up fees or minimums for the flu voucher program?

**A:** No.

### 13. How will I be charged for the flu voucher program?

**A:** You will be invoiced for only the vouchers used (i.e., flu vaccines given).

### 14. How much lead time is needed to set up my flu program?

**A:** For on-site flu clinics, at least 6 weeks are required for implementation, event scheduling and promotion.

For the retail flu voucher program, a minimum of 4 weeks is recommended.

#### Reference

1. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. Trivalent influenza vaccine. Cdc.gov. Updated March 14, 2024. Accessed March 28, 2024. <https://www.cdc.gov/flu/prevent/trivalent.htm>.