

# National Resources for Immunization and Hepatitis A & B

## Here's some info you may be looking for!

The Immunization Action Coalition publishes this list of great resources from around the nation. If you know of other resources, call us at (651) 647-9009 or e-mail us at [medinfo@immunize.org](mailto:medinfo@immunize.org)

*Order these immunization and hepatitis resources directly from the organizations listed. All resource costs include shipping and handling charges unless otherwise indicated.*

### Newest Resources

REVISED! **National Immunization Program's Resource Request List** (CDC). A complete list of all CDC's free immunization resources – ACIP statements, VISs, videos, posters, brochures, etc. Call (888) 232-3299, request document #130011, and you will receive the list by fax, or download it from [www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/resource.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/resource.pdf)

NEW VIDEOS! **Videotapes of the 1999 satellite broadcast "Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases"** (CDC, 1999). A set of 4 tapes: VC0018-Principles of vaccination, general recommendations, and strategies; VC0019- Diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, rotavirus; VC0020- Measles, mumps, rubella, varicella; and VC0021-Hepatitis B, Hib, influenza, pneumococcal disease. Each tape is approximately 2 hours long and accredited for CME, CNE, and CEU credit (no limit to the number of persons who may receive CE credit from each tape). \$15 each, or \$50 for the set. Call the Public Health Foundation at (877) 252-1200. (This is also where you can order *The Pink Book* which is the course textbook for the four videotapes.)

NEW EDITION! **Health Information for International Travel** (The Yellow Book, 1999–2000 Edition, CDC). Contains vaccine information and requirements for foreign travel. \$22. Call the Superintendent of Documents at (202) 512-1800 (stock number is 017-023-00202-3). You can also download it from [www.cdc.gov/travel](http://www.cdc.gov/travel)

NEW EDITION! **Resource Guide for Adult and Adolescent Immunization** (Fourth Edition, NCAI, 1999). A list of educational materials to order from other organizations. Download from [www.nfid.org/ncai](http://www.nfid.org/ncai) or fax your request for a free copy to (301) 907-0878 or call (301) 656-0003.

NEW! **Guidelines for Vaccinating Pregnant Women** (CDC, 1998). Do you know which vaccines a pregnant woman can or can't receive? These guidelines were abstracted from ACIP recommendations. Download from the IAC's website at [www.immunize.org/genr.d/pregguid.htm](http://www.immunize.org/genr.d/pregguid.htm) or call CDC at (404) 639-8226 and request a copy.

NEW EDITION! **Travel & Routine Immunizations – A Practical Guide for the Medical Office** (Shoreland, 1999). \$25 plus \$5 shipping. More info? Call (800) 433-5256 or visit [www.shoreland.com](http://www.shoreland.com)

NEW! **How to Develop Easy Reading Immunization Materials** (IEAC, 1999). This guide can help you develop materials for individuals with limited literacy skills. Call

IEAC at (703) 836-6110.

NEW! **Vaccines** (SA Plotkin and WA Orenstein, WB Saunders, 1999, 3rd ed). Greatly expanded from previous issue with 50 chapters and over 2,000 pages of vaccine information. \$225 plus shipping and handling fees. To order, call (800) 545-2522.

### Reference Materials

#### Text Materials

**ACIP statements.** Make sure your clinic has a set of these public health recommendations on vaccines. Obtain these by any of the following:

- 1) Download individual statements from CDC's web site: <http://www2.cdc.gov/mmwr/>
- 2) e-mail your request to [nipinfo@cdc.gov](mailto:nipinfo@cdc.gov)
- 3) call CDC's Immunization Hotline at (800) 232-2522
- 4) access the ACIP recommendations for routinely given vaccines from CDC's web site at: <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/ACIP-list.htm>
- 5) call your state's immunization program (phone numbers are listed on IAC's web site) at: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n18/coord18.htm>
- 6) request them from your medical library.

**Pink Book-Epidemiology & Prevention of Vaccine-Preventable Diseases** (CDC, 1999, 5th ed). Just released! Great resource book on vaccines. It now contains 289 pages. \$25. To order, call (800) 418-7246, press 1, then press 4.

**Red Book-Report of the Committee on Infectious Diseases** (AAP, 1997). Recommendations for prevention and management of infectious diseases in children. AAP also publishes AAP News, a monthly newspaper that contains new immunization recommendations, etc. \$85. Call (800) 433-9016 or order on-line at <http://www.aap.org/aapstore/default.htm>

**ImmunoFacts** (J.D. Grabenstein, Facts and Comparisons). Updatable comprehensive reference on vaccines and immunologic drugs. \$135. Call (800) 223-0554 or order on-line: <http://www.fandc.com/products/if.asp>

#### Additional Publications

**NEEDLE TIPS and the Hepatitis B Coalition News** (IAC, a semi-annual publication). For health professionals concerned about hepatitis B and all other vaccine-preventable diseases.

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Free, but a \$50 membership contribution is appreciated. To be added to the mailing list, e-mail your request to [admin@immunize.org](mailto:admin@immunize.org), call (651) 647-9009, or download the complete publication at <http://www.immunize.org>

#### ***Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR).***

Recommendations and information on vaccine-preventable diseases and many more public health topics. Available in print for \$79/yr. To subscribe, call (800) 843-6356, or sign up for free electronic delivery at CDC's website at: <http://www2.cdc.gov/mmwr/>

**AAP News** (a monthly newspaper). Contains information about new immunization recommendations, etc. \$60/yr. Call Sandy Gore at (847) 981-7909.

**Vaccine Bulletin** (NCM Publishers, a monthly publication). Information about new immunization recommendations and vaccine research. Free. Fax your request to (212) 645-2571.

**Infectious Diseases in Children** (SLACK Inc., a monthly newspaper). A wide range of immunization topics. Pediatricians receive it free. Borrow a copy or check out [www.slackinc.com/child/idc/idchome.htm](http://www.slackinc.com/child/idc/idchome.htm)

**Sabin Vaccine Report** (Sabin Vaccine Institute, Georgetown University). Covers information on vaccine research, development, and implementation. Free. Call (202) 687-9145 or request it from: [info@sabin.georgetown.edu](mailto:info@sabin.georgetown.edu)

**Hepatitis Control Report** (Precision Media Works). Devoted to news on the control of viral hepatitis. Free. Call (610) 664-2793 or view it on the Internet at: <http://www.hepatitiscontrolreport.com/>

### **Other Resources**

**CDC's Immunization Hotline.** Call to get ACIP statements, Vaccine Information Statements (VISs), or to speak with an information specialist. This hotline also answers consumer questions in English and Spanish. Hours: 8am to 11pm ET Mon-Fri. Call (800) 232-2522; for Spanish, call (800) 232-0233.

**Vaccine Information Statements (VISs)** (CDC). Give these to your patients prior to vaccination. To order, call your state health dept. or CDC's Immunization Hotline at (800) 232-2522. Or download them from CDC's website:

<http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/VIS/default.htm>

The CA Immunization Branch distributes VISs in 15 languages. To order, call Wendi Cate at (510) 540-2964. The Immunization Action Coalition has English language VISs from CDC, as well as VISs translated into 17 languages (thanks to the work of the CA Dept. of Health Services and the MN Dept. of Health) available to download at <http://www.immunize.org/vis/>

The MN Dept. of Health also distributes foreign language VISs in 8 languages. For more information, call (800) 657-3970.

**Immunization Delivery: A Complete Guide** (JD Grabenstein, Lippincott, Williams & Wilkins, 1997). Provides guidance for operating an immunization program in a variety of settings. \$30. Call (800) 638-3030, or order online at <http://lww.com/store/products?1-574-39020-1>

**What Every Parent Should Know About Vaccines** (PA Offit, LM Bell, MacMillan USA, 1998). A book you can recommend to parents who want to know detailed information about the vaccines you give their children. \$17.45. Call (800) 428-5331 (ISBN 002 862 0097).

**Pocket Guide to Vaccination and Prophylaxis** (HB Jensen, WB Saunders, 1999). Summarizes ACIP, AAP, AAFP, ACIP, and IDSA childhood and adult vaccination guidelines. Over 300 pages. \$20. To order, call (800) 545-2522 (product code #0721679935).

**Assn. of Teachers of Preventive Medicine.** (ATPM, 1996) Publishes immunization teaching tools which include: *TIPS* (Teaching Immunization Practices) - Comprehensive Curriculum for Nurses, *Teaching Modules for Physicians*, and *Immunization - You Call the Shots*, a computer-assisted instructional program. Call (800) 789-6737.

### **Internet and Web Resources**

**IAC EXPRESS.** Sign up to have immunization news and hepatitis B treatment news delivered directly to you via e-mail. To subscribe, send an e-mail to [express@immunize.org](mailto:express@immunize.org) and place the word SUBSCRIBE in the "Subject:" field. It's free!

**Vaccine NewsBriefs** (Vaccine Initiative). Sign up for a free e-mail immunization news service and get the news abstracted from 1,400 news sources 3 times a week. Visit: <http://www.idsociety.org/>

**The Vaccine Page** (UniSci). To read the latest vaccine news with links to original sources, visit this site at <http://www.vaccines.com>

**Institute for Vaccine Safety** (Johns Hopkins School of Public Health). Provides timely and objective information on vaccine safety to health care providers, journalists, and parents. Call (410) 955-2955 or visit their web site: <http://www.vaccinesafety.edu>

**Hepatitis B Information and Support List.** A caring and compassionate e-mail discussion/support group for people who have chronic HBV infection. To subscribe, send a blank e-mail to: [hepatitis-b-on@mail-list.com](mailto:hepatitis-b-on@mail-list.com)

### **Travel Resources**

**International Society of Travel Medicine.** Visit <http://www.istm.org> for information on travel clinic locations in your area plus more. Or call (770) 736-7060.

### **Videos**

**CDC videos.** The "CDC/NIP Resource Request List" lists all available videos from CDC. Call (888) 232-3299, request document #130011 and you will receive the list by fax or download at <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/resource.pdf>

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## Videos for Clinic Staff

***Simultaneous Administration-Vaccine Injection Technique*** (Schnectady Co. Public Health Services, 1998, 13 min).

Shows how to administer multiple injections to an infant or child. Also discusses false contraindications and missed opportunities. \$10. To obtain an order form, call (518) 346-2187 (ET).

***How to Protect Your Vaccine Supply (Ice, Champagne, and Roses)*** (CA Dept. of Health, MN Dept. of Health, 1996, 15 min). This "how-to" video also covers varicella and hepatitis A vaccines. Comes with accompanying print material. \$10. (Item #V2010) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nslt.d/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***Vaccine Administration Techniques*** (CA Dept. of Health, 1989, 18 min). A refresher course on the correct techniques for administering vaccines. Comes with accompanying print material. \$10. (Item #V2020) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nslt.d/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***When to Immunize, When to Wait*** (CA Dept. of Health, 1995, 22 min). Features CDC's immunization expert, Dr. William Atkinson. Includes accompanying print materials. \$10. (Item #V2030) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nslt.d/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***In Praise of the Public Health Nurse!*** (IAC, 1994, 31 min). Features Margaret Morrison, MD, MS Dept. of Health, who stresses that immunization is a team effort. Comes with print material. \$10. (Item #V2040) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nslt.d/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

## Videos for Patients and General Public

***Vacunación: Un Gesto de Amor*** (Nat'l Council of La Raza, 1997, 6 min). A Spanish language video that stresses the importance of immunization for children. Free. Limited number of copies available. Call Mariella at (202) 776-1715.

***Polio Vaccine: New Choices for Your Baby*** (MI State University, 1997, 14 min). For parents. Explains the different polio vaccination schedules. For information on how to obtain this video, call (517) 353-2596.

***Varicella Vaccine: A Giant Step Towards Disease Prevention*** (MI State U, 1998, 16 min). Motivating and graphic, urges vaccination of children and teens. \$15. Call (517) 353-2596.

***REVISED! Before It's Too Late, Vaccinate!*** (AAP, 1999, 15 min). Explains the importance of immunizations to parents. Available in English & Spanish. \$20.45. Call Sandra at (847) 981-7091.

***Precious Chance*** (Scottish Rite Children's Medical Center, 1992, 17 min). For parents. Reviews vaccine-preventable diseases, vaccine side effects, and contraindications. Available in English, Spanish, Russian, Hmong, Cambodian, Vietnamese, & Laotian. \$59.95. For more information, call Julie Bilyeu at (404) 929-8392.

***Shot Talk - Immunize Your Little Guys*** (Scottish Rite Children's Medical Center, 1997, 13 min). A video for teen parents about childhood immunization. \$59.95. Call (404) 250-2319.

***Health is the Prize*** (Mpls. Indian Health Board, 1996, 9 min). A "hip hop" music video to encourage teen parents to vaccinate their children. \$20. Call (612) 721-9880.

***Wally Takes Charge*** (Mid-America Immunization Coalition, 1995, 12 min). For teachers to educate elementary students so they can teach their own families about immunizations. Available in English and Spanish. \$25. Call (816) 235-5479.

***Hepatitis-the Silent Killer*** (Hepatitis Foundation International, 1995, 26 min). Describes hepatitis A, B, and C. \$30 (includes a membership to the Foundation). Call (800) 891-0707.

***Hepatitis B Video*** (Hepatitis B Foundation, 1995, 28 min). Covers hepatitis B issues such as vaccination, care of the carrier, discrimination against carriers, daycare, etc. \$10. Call (215) 489-4900.

***A Paralyzing Fear: The Story of Polio in America*** (PBS, 1998 90 min). A documentary that chronicles the polio era from epidemic to vaccine. \$19.95. To order, call (800) 344-3337.

## Videos for Asians and Pacific Islanders

***Family Album*** (UCLA, 1997, 15 min). A video to encourage S.E. Asian parents to immunize their children on time. Available in English, Cambodian, Hmong, Laotian, and Mien. Comes with a booklet and poster. \$10/each. (Item #V4000) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/apiacat.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***Our Family, Our Strength*** (ALF, 1986, 19 min). A doctor discusses hepatitis B with a pregnant Asian woman who is HBsAg-positive. Her extended family is present. On the same cassette, Dr. W. T. London counsels a pregnant woman who is a hepatitis B carrier. \$10. (Item #V4001) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/apiacat.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***Key Koom Siab - Immunization and Hepatitis B Information*** (KTCI-TV, 1992, 54 min). In Hmong with English subtitles. \$10. (Item #V4020) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/apiacat.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***Hepatitis B - A Family's Story*** (1995, 15 min). A hepatitis B video dubbed into Cambodian. Promotes testing and vaccination. Includes English script. \$10. (Item #V4025) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/apiacat.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

***Benh viem gan B va gia dinh bac Tam - Hepatitis B and Uncle Tam's Family*** (Vietnamese Community Health Promotions, 1995, 16 min). A top-notch Vietnamese hepatitis B video with English script. \$10. (Item #V4030) To

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## Special Telephone Lines

**CDC's Immunization Hotline.** Call to get ACIP statements, Vaccine Information Statements (VISs), or to speak with an information specialist. This hotline also answers consumer questions in English and Spanish. Hours: 8am to 11pm EST Mon-Fri. Call (800) 232-2522; for Spanish, call (800) 232-0233.

**National Clinicians' Post-Exposure Prophylaxis Hotline: PEPLine** (UCSF). A 24-hour emergency hotline to provide guidance to clinicians whose patients have suffered occupational exposures to blood. Call (888) 448-4911.

**Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS)** is a nationwide reporting system for monitoring adverse events following immunization. Providers are encouraged to report all clinically significant adverse events following the administration of any U.S.-licensed vaccine in any age group. Call (800) 822-7967 or visit:  
<http://www.fda.gov/cber/vaers/vaers.htm>

**National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (VICP).** A federal "no-fault" system designed to compensate those who have been injured by childhood vaccines administered in the private or public sectors. Call (800) 338-2382 or visit:  
[www.hrsa.dhhs.gov/bhpr/vicp](http://www.hrsa.dhhs.gov/bhpr/vicp)

**Varivax Pregnancy Registry.** To monitor maternal-fetal outcomes in women who received varicella vaccine 3 months before or any time during pregnancy. Report cases to (800) 986-8999.

## Immunization Registries

**Immunization Registries.** Contact Kris Saarlal, *All Kids Count*, at (404) 687-5615 ([www.allkidscount.org](http://www.allkidscount.org)) or contact CDC's *Immunization Registry Clearinghouse* website at <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/registry>

**Developing Immunization Registries: Experiences from the All Kids Count Program** (American Journal of Preventive Medicine, supplement, 1997). To receive a copy of this report, fax your request to All Kids Count at (404) 371-0415.

**Clinic Assessment Software Application (CASA).** This CDC software program assesses your clinic's immunization rates. To order, call your local or state immunization program; call Igor Bulim at (404) 639-8739 or download directly from <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/casa/default.htm>

**AFIX Assessment, feedback, incentives, exchange** (CDC). Need help assessing/improving immunization rates? Call (404) 639-8739 or visit: <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/afix/>

**Make Every Visit Count!** (CDC, AAP) Self-assessment tool for providers of immunization services to children. Call (404) 639-8550 for a copy or visit:  
<http://www.cdc.gov/nip/afix/links.htm>

## Miscellaneous

**Embassy Chart** (J Tsotsonis, 1998). A 30" x 40" immunization wall chart in 25 languages that helps you read foreign shot records. \$58.50. For more information, call (508) 778-5646, or to order, send a fax to (508) 862-8252.

**FREE! Dr. Seuss Posters** (CDC). Promote childhood immunization with posters featuring Dr. Seuss' artwork. In English and Spanish. Order soon! This resource will no longer be available after December 1999. Fax a request to Joy Dorsey at (404) 639-8555 or order at:  
[www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/seuss.htm](http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/seuss.htm)

**Kids Care Fair Program Kit** (American Red Cross, 1995). Complete kit on how to coordinate and implement children's health and immunization fairs. \$39.95. Call (213) 739-6853.

**America's Youth Passport, America's Adult Health Record, and America's Senior Health Record** (Securitec Corp). Sturdy booklets in which to keep immunizations records for children, adults and seniors. Cost varies depending on order size. For more information, call Jim Kahl at (800) 783-2145 or visit <http://www.securitec.com/Prod%20intro.html>

**Photo notebook of vaccine-preventable diseases.** Includes 20 full-page color photos of children and adults with vaccine-preventable diseases and simple text that describes the diseases. Perfect for taking out into the community to give presentations. Outreach workers love it! (8/99). \$75. (Item #R2053) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nslt.d/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

**Vaccine-preventable diseases slide set and script.** Includes 31 slides of children and adults with vaccine-preventable diseases. Suitable for use by public health departments, community outreach workers, nursing schools, and medical teaching programs. Comes with English and/or Spanish scripts. Every clinic should have a set of these slides (8/99). \$25. (Item #S3010) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nslt.d/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

## Adolescent and College Age Immunization Resources

### Adolescent Reference Materials

**ACIP Adolescent Statement.** To get a copy, contact CDC's Immunization Hotline at (800) 232-2522 or your state immunization program.

**Adolescent Vaccinations.** A special issue of the Journal of School Health, Sept. 1997. Contains case studies, features, and resources. \$16, ASHA members, \$18, non-members. Call Linda Hrobak, ASHA, at (330) 678-1603, ext. 100.

**Adolescent Immunization Workshop.** A CDC national workshop report on how groups can implement the national recommendation for the adolescent immunization visit. Free. Fax requests to the Immunization Action Coalition at (651) 647-9131.

**A Review of Adolescent School-based Hepatitis B Vaccination Projects.** CDC's 115-page in-depth report on

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hepatitis B projects at 15 schools. Free. Fax your request to CDC at (404) 639-8828.

**GAPS (Guidelines for Adolescent Preventive Services)** (AMA, 1996). Recommendations on immunization, teen health, etc. One copy free, additional copies \$1 each. Call Mary Kizer at (312) 464-5570.

**Roll Up BOTH Sleeves!** (San Francisco Unified School District). This expanded version of "Roll Up Your Sleeves" will help you provide vaccination and TB testing to students and school staff. Includes video for teens, "Case of the Missing Shots." \$21.50. To order call ASHA and contact Linda Hroback at (330) 678-1603, ext 100.

**Primer for Teachers, Quick & Easy** (HFI, 1996). A liver wellness curriculum (K-12) for teachers. Includes messages about hepatitis B and substance abuse prevention. Price: 1packet/\$3, 25pk/\$20, 100pk/\$65. Call (800) 891-0707 or you can also order on-line: <http://www40.rapidsite.net/hepfio/secorder.htm>

## Adolescent videos

**Partnership for Prevention** (SKB, 1995, 6 min). A hepatitis B video for 10- to 12-year olds. May be shown in classrooms, clinics, etc., but may not be shown on TV. \$10. (Item #V3012) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

**Get the Facts, Then Get the Vax!** (ASHA, 1995, 6 min). Presents hepatitis B information for high school students. May be used in any setting. \$10. (Item #V3015) To order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

**Respect Yourself, Protect Yourself** Teens talking to teens about liver wellness. (HFI, 1998, 8 min). Full of action and animation. \$35. Call (800) 891-0707 or to order on-line: <http://www40.rapidsite.net/hepfio/secorder.htm>

## Teen brochures/poster from IAC

IAC has teen immunization materials including brochures, a poster, immunization guidelines, and more. Some teen brochures are available in Spanish as well as several Asian languages. All items (except poster) can be downloaded free: <http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/free.htm> Or, to order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

**Hepatitis B: Why Take the Risk?** (American College Health Assn, 1998, 3 min). A video, manual, posters, brochures, to implement an education and vaccination campaign for college students. To find out how to obtain these materials, call ACHA at (410) 859-1500 ext 222.

## Adult Resources

**VACCINATE ADULTS!** (Immunization Action Coalition, a semi-annual publication). This 12-page publication contains information about adult immunization issues as well as hepatitis prevention, diagnosis, and treatment. It is designed as a quick read for busy adult medicine specialists. Everything published in *VACCINATE ADULTS!* is extracted from the

Coalition's publication, *NEEDLE TIPS & the Hepatitis B Coalition News*. If you receive *NEEDLE TIPS*, you are already getting the information that is published in *VACCINATE ADULTS!* Free, but a \$40 membership contribution is appreciated. To be added to the mailing list, e-mail your request to [admin@immunize.org](mailto:admin@immunize.org) or send a fax to (651) 647-9131. Complete text is available on the Coalition's website: <http://www.immunize.org/va/va4cov.htm>

The Immunization Action Coalition has other adult immunization materials including brochures and immunization guidelines. All items are available free on our web site at <http://www.immunize.org/catg.d/free.htm> Or, to order, access the IAC order form at: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

**Immunization...not just kids' stuff** (Immunization Action Coalition). A two-color 7" x 14" poster. Hang this poster up in every exam room. This poster has a companion brochure which is ready for you to copy and distribute to your patients! \$1.00/10 posters. (Item #Q2020.) To order, you can access the IAC order form at by clicking here: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n17/catalog1.htm> or call us to request a form at (651) 647-9009.

**CDC's Immunization Information Hotline**. Call to receive a copy of "Summary of Adult Immunization Recommendations - 7/16/97." Ask about other materials CDC can send you. Call (800) 232-2522.

The **American Lung Association** has brochures, posters, and other items about influenza and pneumococcal disease. For more information call (800) 586-4872 and you will be connected to your local chapter.

**Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA)** has posters (English and Spanish) and reminder postcards (English, Spanish, Korean, Vietnamese, and Chinese) that promote adult immunization against influenza and pneumococcal disease. For more information, contact your regional HCFA office or call Michelle Opheim at (816) 426-5233 or Linda Horsch at (214) 767-4467.

**Adult Immunization Action Plan** (DHHS, 1998). The government's plan on how it will increase adult immunization rates. To request a copy, send an e-mail to Steve Sepe at [sjs2@cdc.gov](mailto:sjs2@cdc.gov) or call (404) 687-6672.

**ACIP Influenza Statement** (6/1/99) and **ACIP Pneumococcal Statement** (4/25/97). There are several ways to obtain these documents including:

- 1) Download individual statements from CDC's web site: <http://www.cdc.gov/epo/mmwr/mmwr.html>;
- 2) e-mail your request to [nipinfo@cdc.gov](mailto:nipinfo@cdc.gov);
- 3) call CDC's Immunization Hotline at (800) 232-2522;
- 4) access the ACIP recommendations for routinely given vaccines from CDC's web site at: <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/ACIP-list.htm>;
- 5) call your state's immunization program (which is on IAC's website) at: <http://www.immunize.org/nsltd/n18/coord18.htm>;
- 6) request them from your medical library.



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