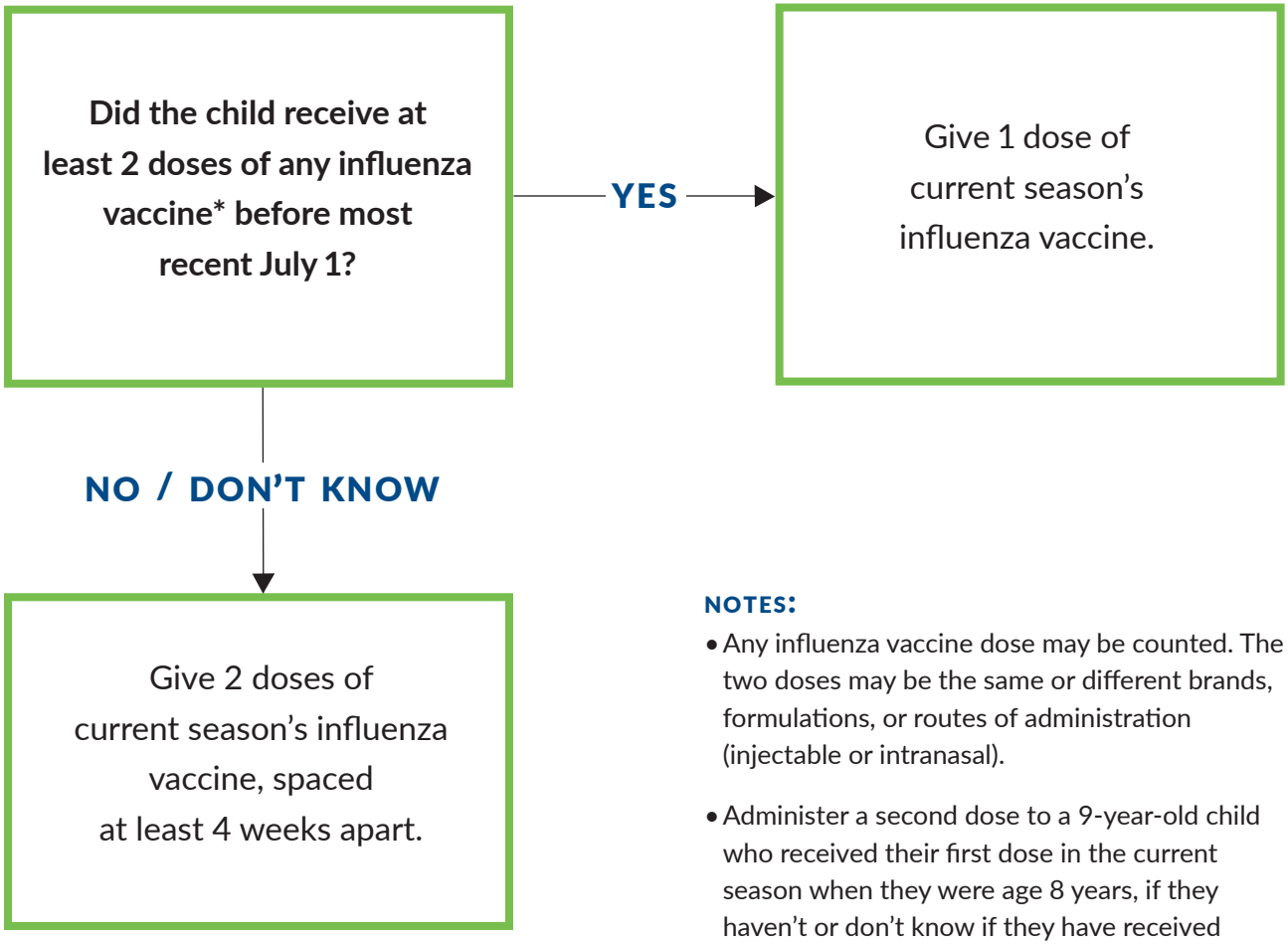
Guide for Determining the Number of Doses of Influenza Vaccine to Give to Children Age 6 Months Through 8 Years



* The two doses need not have been received during the same season or consecutive seasons.

NOTES:

- Any influenza vaccine dose may be counted. The two doses may be the same or different brands, formulations, or routes of administration (injectable or intranasal).
- Administer a second dose to a 9-year-old child who received their first dose in the current season when they were age 8 years, if they haven't or don't know if they have received 2 doses in prior years.

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