2014 Vaccine Inventory Funding Source Update

New CDC vaccine inventory separation requirements take effect on August 1, 2014. With these changes:

- Each vaccine lot must be identified by its funding source (e.g., VFC, Private, 317, State General Fund).
- The vaccine lot selected for the patient must match the patient’s eligibility for that vaccine (e.g., a patient who is VFC eligible may only be given vaccine from a lot identified as VFC).

Therefore, it is critical that your vaccine lots are correctly defined in Healthy Futures based on their funding source (e.g., VFC, Private, etc.) and that you administer the correct lot to the patient based on their eligibility to receive that vaccine.

Overview

1. When adding a new vaccine lot into the system, you must select the Funding Source – VFC, Private, 317, or State GF.
2. If the patient is eligible for VFC or 317, this should be recorded in the “Eligibility” tab in the patient record.
3. When recording a new immunization for a patient, the “Vaccine administered” list will show the vaccine lots that the patient is eligible for at the top, followed by other vaccine lots.
4. The “Inventory Item Overview Report” has been updated to display the “Funding Source” for each lot.

NOTE: Only Local Health Departments (LHDs) and designated Health Department Authorized sites (HDAS) receive 317 and State General Fund (GF) vaccines. These are the only sites that are allowed to designate vaccine lots as ‘317’ or ‘State GF’. If your site does not receive these vaccines, do not select these codes when creating vaccine lots in Healthy Futures.

Please contact the Help Desk with any questions, at: support@myhealthyfutures.org or 209-468-2292.

Changes to Inventory

The ability to record vaccine Funding Source has been added to the inventory system. For each vaccine lot in the system, the following information should be recorded:
• **Funding Source** – Private, VFC, 317, State GF (General Fund)  □ **Distributor** – 317, State, VFC, Private, etc.

• **Eligibility** – one or more of the following: 317 Funding, VFC Program, None, Privately-purchased vaccine

---

### Existing Lots

On August 1st, 2014, the vaccine lots currently in the system will be automatically converted to reflect these changes:

- If Eligibility was already set to either VFC or Private:
  - VFC -> VFC  □ Private -> Private
- If Eligibility was “Not Provided” or not set, the Distributor will be used to determine the Funding Source:
Adding New Lots
When adding a new vaccine lot into Healthy Futures, all three of the following items should be entered:

- **Funding Source** – Private, VFC, 317, State GF (General Fund) o **Private** – vaccines purchased privately.
  - VFC – vaccines supplied by the Vaccines For Children program for eligible patients 0-18 years of age.
  - 317 – vaccines funded by Federal Section 317 to immunize selective non-VFC populations, normally uninsured/underinsured adults.
  - State GF – vaccines supplied by the State General Fund to immunize selective populations.
- **Distributor** – 317, State, VFC, Private, etc.
- **Eligibility** – one of the following: 317 Funding, VFC Program, None, Privately-purchased vaccine

Note: Only Local Health Departments (LHDs) and designated Health Department Authorized Sites (HDAS) receive 317 and State GF vaccines. These are the only sites that should select “317” or “State GF”.

Recording Patient Eligibility
If a patient is eligible for a vaccine program such as VFC or 317, this should be recorded in the patient’s record in the Eligibility tab.

The following options are available:

- **VFC Eligibility** o VFC Eligible: Medi-Cal/CHDP o VFC Eligible: Ntv American/AK Native o VFC Eligible: Underinsured (FQHC/RHC only) o VFC Eligible: Uninsured
- **317 Funding** o 317 Eligible: Contacts of HBsAg+ woman o 317 Eligible: Historical Data <- existing 317 eligible patients will be set to this o 317 Eligible: Special circumstance – disaster relief o 317
Eligible: Special circumstance – outbreak control ○ 317 Eligible: Special circumstance – post-exposure prophylaxis ○ 317 Eligible: Underinsured, 19 yrs of age or older ○ 317 Eligible: Uninsured, 19 yrs of age or older <- this is the default ○ 317 NOT Eligible

Note: When recording a new immunization for a patient, the “Vaccine administered” list will show the vaccine lots that the patient is eligible for at the top, followed by other vaccine lots.