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Dear Health Care Provider:

Re: Return of Expired Vaccines (Flu & Others) Reminder

Please return all expired vaccines to the Provincial Vaccine Warehouse as follows:

- Flu vaccine must be returned no later than 4 months after it expires.
- All other vaccines may be returned up to 1 year after they have expired.
- Along with your returned vaccines, please submit the completed Return Form found in the *Immunizing Agents and Biologics Return Policy & Procedure* which is attached & available at:

<http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/publichealth/cdc/div/docs/iabrpp.pdf>

- For any questions regarding the return of product, please contact the Provincial Vaccine Warehouse at 948-1333 or toll-free at 1-855-683-3306 or by e-mail at vacmda@gov.mb.ca.
- An updated Immunizing Agents and Biologics Order Form is attached & available at: <http://www.gov.mb.ca/health/publichealth/cdc/protocol/vaccinebiologics.pdf>.

Please share this information with all relevant colleagues in your facility or clinic.

Sincerely,

“Original signed by”

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