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Dear Health Care Provider:

RE: Seasonal Influenza Immunization Program 2013-14

Manitoba Health will be continuing with a Universal Seasonal Influenza Immunization Program for 2013-14 and **all** Manitobans will be eligible for the seasonal influenza vaccine at no charge.

In an effort to increase our seasonal influenza immunization rates, health care providers are encouraged to offer seasonal influenza vaccine **to all Manitobans 6 months of age and older** at every opportunity.

Further information regarding ordering influenza vaccine and resources will be shared at the end of summer.

Reminder: please return all remaining influenza vaccine from 2012-13 to the Provincial Vaccine Warehouse. Contact 204-948-1333 or toll-free 855-683-3306 for more information.

Thank you for sharing this information with all relevant colleagues in your facility or clinic.

Sincerely,

"Original Signed By"

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