

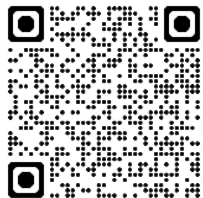



# Childhood Flu Vaccination Service: Online information sources for parents and carers


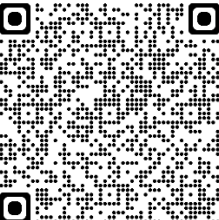



When pharmacy professionals are providing vaccinations to protect children from flu, there are websites that parents and carers can be signposted to for further information on the vaccines or on flu.

To support any vaccines provided, pharmacy professionals should signpost parents and carers to the marketing authorisation holder's patient information leaflets (hard copies will be available within the medicine's packaging, with copies also being available from [medicines.org.uk/emc](https://www.medicines.org.uk/emc)).

Hyperlinks to the websites are listed below, alongside QR codes for each website. Parents and carers can scan the QR code to access the website link on their mobile phones.

## Information sources to obtain additional information and advice regarding flu

Sources	
<p><a href="#"><u>NHS Website – Flu</u></a></p> <p>Aims to give information to anyone who wants to know more about flu and the treatment of it.</p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>NHS Website – Children's flu vaccine</u></a></p> <p>Aims to give practical information to anyone who wants to know more about the children's flu vaccine.</p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>Protect your child against flu – information for parents and carers of children in primary school or pre-school</u></a></p> <p>Translations of this leaflet are available to download.</p>	
<p><a href="#"><u>A guide to vaccination for pre-school</u></a></p> <p>This booklet is a guide to pre-school vaccinations from 2 to 5 years.</p>	

<p><u><a href="#">Fluenz nasal spray suspension Influenza vaccine (live, nasal) – Patient Information Leaflet (PIL) – (emc)</a></u></p> <p>Patient information leaflet for the Fluenz nasal spray suspension influenza vaccine.</p>	
<p><u><a href="#">Vaccines and porcine gelatine</a></u></p> <p>This leaflet describes how and why porcine gelatine is used in vaccines</p>	
<p><u><a href="#">Cell-based Trivalent Influenza Vaccine (Surface Antigen, Inactivated) Seqirus suspension for injection in pre-filled syringe – Patient Information Leaflet (PIL) – (emc)</a></u></p> <p>Patient information leaflet for the Cell-based Trivalent Influenza Vaccine (Surface Antigen, Inactivated) Seqirus suspension for injection in pre-filled syringe.</p>	
<p><u><a href="#">Why vaccination is important and the safest way to protect yourself – NHS</a></u></p> <p>Explains how vaccines work, what they contain and the most common side effects.</p>	
<p><u><a href="#">Protect yourself from flu, have the flu vaccine</a></u></p> <p>This resource is aimed at people who have, or care for someone with, a learning disability.</p>	
<p><u><a href="#">The flu vaccination. Who should have it and why</a></u></p> <p>This guidance explains to patients how they can help protect themselves and their children against flu this winter.</p> <p>Translations of this leaflet are available to download</p>	