# **ALASKA IMMUNIZATION WORKSHOPS - 2015**

#### Regional workshops:

October 2, 2015 - Fairbanks, AK (Chief Andrew Isaac Health Center)

October 6, 2015 - Nome, AK (Nome Mini-Convention Center)

October 9, 2015 - Anchorage, AK (Providence Alaska Cancer Center)

October 13, 2015 – Bethel, AK (Yupiit Piciryarait Cultural Center)

October 16, 2015 – Juneau, AK (Centennial Hall)

November 13, 2015 – Webinar (Statewide)









#### **Continuing Education**

#### **Nursing Contact Hour Information**

The Alaska Division of Public Health is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Montana Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

#### **CHA/P CE Information**

This course meets the requirements provided by the Community Health Aid Program Certification Board Standards and Procedures, as amended, Chapter 3. Continuing Education, Section 3.10.100 (c). Course approval granted 10/2/15, will expire 10/31/2018.

- The criteria for successful completion include attendance of at least 80% of this event and submission of a completed evaluation form will provide 7.25 contact hours.
- The planning committee members and all speakers have declared no conflict of interest.

Immunization Program Overview

Sport Theme for Workshop Presentation

#### WELCOME



## IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM MANAGEMENT TEAM

- ▶ Gerri Yett
  - ► Immunization Program Manager
- ► Matt Bobo
  - Deputy Immunization Program Manager
- Lorraine Alfsen
  - ► Field Operations Manager (VFC, AFIX, and School and Child Care Compliance)
- ► Tricia Franklin
  - VacTrAK Manager
- Stephanie Massay
  - Education and Training Manager
- Alicia Spillman
  - Epidemiology Vaccine Depot Manager

### Agenda

8:00 am – 8:15 am	Sign In
8:15 am – 9:00 am	Welcome and Introductions
9:00 am – 9:30 am	Team Strategy for Immunizations – <b>Players</b>
9:30 am – 9:45 am	Break
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Team Strategy for Immunizations – <b>Fans</b> (vaccine recipients and community)
10:15 am – 11:45 am	Team Strategy for Immunizations – <b>Playbook</b>
11:45 am – 12:45 pm	Lunch
12:45 pm – 1:45 pm	Team Strategy for Immunizations – <b>Booster Club</b>
1:45 pm – 2:00 pm	Break
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Team Strategy for Immunizations – Game Time
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Team Strategy for Immunizations – <b>Scoreboard</b>
4:30 pm – 4:45 pm	Closing Remarks
4:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Evaluation

### Team Strategy for Immunizations

9:00 am – 9:30 am	<ul> <li>Team Strategy for Immunizations – Players</li> <li>Healthcare practice involvement in immunizations</li> <li>Immunization champion recognition</li> </ul>
9:45 am – 10:15 am	<ul> <li>Team Strategy for Immunizations – Fans (vaccine recipients and community)</li> <li>Why vaccines are so important to safeguard health</li> <li>Immunization coverage target goals</li> <li>Influences on acceptance</li> </ul>
10:15 am – 11:45 am	<ul> <li>Team Strategy for Immunizations – Playbook</li> <li>Vaccination recommendations for children, adolescents, and adults</li> <li>Updates</li> <li>Immunization practice standards</li> <li>Federal &amp; State immunization reporting requirements</li> </ul>

### Team Strategy for Immunizations

12:45 pm – 1:45 pm	<ul> <li>Team Strategy for Immunizations – Booster Club</li> <li>Vaccine procurement</li> <li>Vaccine storage and handling</li> <li>Temperature monitoring</li> <li>Vaccine management practices to minimize loss and waste</li> <li>Site Visits</li> </ul>
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	<ul> <li>Team Strategy for Immunizations – Game Time</li> <li>Vaccine ordering and inventory maintenance</li> <li>Accessing &amp; updating patient records in VacTrAK</li> <li>State-supplied vaccine screening and documentation of eligibility status</li> <li>Insurance and billing for vaccine administration fee</li> <li>Documenting administration of vaccine(s)</li> <li>Provider accountability responsibilities</li> </ul>
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	<ul> <li>Team Strategy for Immunizations – Scoreboard</li> <li>VacTrAK</li> <li>Site visits</li> <li>Immunization coverage rate surveillance data</li> </ul>

#### WORKSHOP OBJECTIVES

- Review principles of immunization to prevent disease.
- ▶ Describe current ACIP immunization recommendations.
- Implement CDC evidence-based standards for administering immunizations to prevent disease.
- Use CDC best practices for vaccine inventory control and storage and handling.
- Apply three tools in VacTrAK, Alaska's Immunization Information System, to improve patient protection from vaccine-preventable disease and manage vaccine supply.
- Classify patient eligibility for public and private supplies of vaccine.

# MISSION OF THE IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM

- ► The mission of the Immunization Program is to prevent and control vaccine preventable disease in Alaska by:
  - Providing vaccines to health care providers at no charge;
  - Providing an immunization information system for use by health care providers and schools to maintain consolidated immunization records for Alaskans of all ages;
  - Ensuring school and childcare compliance with immunization regulations;
  - Providing immunization education and training for health care providers and the general public;
  - Coordinating surveillance and control efforts for vaccine preventable diseases;
     and,
  - Supporting efforts to increase vaccinations for all Alaskans

# Components of the Alaska Immunization Program

VacTrAK, Alaska's Immunization Information System (IIS)

Vaccine Distribution
Program

School and Child Care Immunization Compliance Program

Assessment, Feedback, Incentives, and eXchange (AFIX)

Perinatal Hepatitis B Case Management Program Vaccine Preventable
Disease Surveillance
and Adverse Event
Reporting

Vaccines for Children (VFC)
Program

Alaska Vaccine Assessment Program (AVAP)

Emergency Preparedness Training and Education

**Program Evaluation** 

Program Management