

Flu vaccines 2024 to 2025 season

| 6 months to less than 2 years in a clinical risk group ^(v) | 2 years to less than 18 years in eligible year groups or in a clinical risk group ^(v) | | 18 years to less than 60 years in a clinical risk group ^(v) and pregnant women | 60 years to less than 65 years ^(iv) in a clinical risk group | 65 years ^(iv) and over |
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| <p>QIVc (Cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine)</p> <p>or QIVe (Quadrivalent influenza vaccine, egg grown) if QIVc not available</p> <p>1⁽ⁱ⁾ or 3⁽ⁱⁱ⁾ 4⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾</p> | <p>No contraindications to LAIV</p> <p>LAIV (Live attenuated influenza vaccine, nasal spray suspension)</p> <p>2⁽ⁱ⁾</p> | <p>If LAIV contraindicated or otherwise unsuitable⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾</p> <p>QIVc (Cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine)</p> <p>or QIVe (Quadrivalent influenza vaccine, egg grown) if QIVc not available</p> <p>1⁽ⁱ⁾ or 3⁽ⁱⁱ⁾ 4⁽ⁱⁱⁱ⁾</p> | <p>QIVc (Cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine)</p> <p>or QIVe (Quadrivalent influenza vaccine, egg-grown) if QIVc not available</p> <p>1 or 3 4</p> | <p>QIVc (Cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine)</p> <p>QIV-HD (High-dose quadrivalent influenza vaccine, egg grown)</p> <p>or QIVe (Quadrivalent influenza vaccine, egg grown) if QIVc and QIV-HD not available</p> <p>1 5 or 3 4</p> | <p>aQIV (Adjuvanted egg-grown quadrivalent influenza vaccine)^(iv)</p> <p>QIV-HD (High dose quadrivalent influenza vaccine, egg-grown)</p> <p>or QIVc (Cell-based quadrivalent influenza vaccine) if aQIV or QIV-HD not available</p> <p>6 5 or 1</p> |

Cell-based Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine ▼
CSL Seqirus

QIVc
Egg-free

1

licensed from 6 months of age

Fluenz
AstraZeneca

LAIV

2

licensed from 2 years to less than 18 years of age

Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine
Sanofi

QIVe

3

licensed from 6 months of age

Influenza Tetra MYL
Viatrix

QIVe

4

licensed from 6 months of age

Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine – High Dose ▼
Sanofi

QIV-HD

5

licensed from 60 years of age

Adjuvanted Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine ▼
CSL Seqirus

aQIV

6

licensed from 65 years of age

Eligible groups

- aged 2 and 3 years on 31 August 2024
- eligible school-aged children (Reception to Year 11)
- those aged 6 months to under 65 years in clinical risk groups
- pregnant women
- all those aged 65 years and over
- those in long-stay residential care homes

- carers in receipt of carer's allowance or main carer of an older or disabled person
- household contacts of immunocompromised individuals
- frontline health and social care staff

See Green Book Influenza Chapter 19 for full details on eligible groups

Resources

Annual flu programme
www.gov.uk/government/collections/annual-flu-programme

Green Book Influenza Chapter 19
www.gov.uk/government/publications/influenza-the-green-book-chapter-19

- (i) QIVc and LAIV for eligible children (under 18 years of age) available to order from ImmForm
- (ii) QIVe is not supplied by ImmForm
- (iii) If the parent of an eligible child declines LAIV because of its porcine gelatine content they can request an alternative injectable vaccine. QIVc is available to order from ImmForm for these children
- (iv) Those who become 65 years of age before 31 March 2025 may be offered aQIV 'off-label'
- (v) Or household contact of an immunocompromised individual

Flu immunisation

Helping to protect people, every winter