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ILLINOIS QUAD CITY AREA H1N1 UPDATE

ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

OCTOBER 7, 2009

FLU HOTLINE

ILLINOIS:

866.848.2094 (English)
 866.241.2138 (Spanish)

Remember the 3 C's

Fight the



Cover Your Cough.

Use a tissue or your elbow.



Clean Your Hands.

Use soap and water or hand sanitizer



Contain Germs.

Stay home when sick.

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

Surveillance

Through Wednesday, October 7, 2009, there have been

2 H1N1 Confirmed Hospitalized Cases

0 H1N1 deaths

Vaccine

RICHD has submitted an initial order of H1N1 vaccine. IDPH anticipates orders will be shipped weekly once they become available.

There has been no indication from the State of Illinois or the CDC of a shortage of vaccine, nor any indication from either that initial priority groups should be sub-prioritized at this time. RICHD and health care providers will be following the established CDC guidelines for vaccinating priority groups. Those who have registered to provide vaccine will have vaccine shipped directly to their offices. If demand exceeds supply or if there is a shortage due to lack of supply, the State of Illinois has indicated that CDC would most likely sub-prioritize at that time. However, at this time RICHD feels that there will be ample vaccine available to the many providers that should allow for everyone in the priority group who wishes to be vaccinated for H1N1 throughout the next few months.

Providers include the Health Department, OB/GYNs, pediatricians, family practice clinics, urgent care clinics, visiting nurse

associations, commercial pharmacies, hospitals and more. RICHD will be monitoring the vaccine distribution throughout Rock Island County and will adjust clinics or supply as needed.

Mitigation

Mitigation strategies thus far include promoting the 3 C's: Cover, Clean, Contain and recommending getting seasonal and H1N1 vaccinations when available.

RICHD Public Information Officer is now meeting weekly with other Public Information Officers from both hospital systems and the Scott County Health Department in efforts to coordinate messages.

Community Outreach

RICHD seasonal flu shot clinics began October 6, 2009. For a complete list of dates and locations, please visit www.richd.org and click on the "Seasonal Flu" tab.

RICHD has put the Rock Island County Medical Reserve Corps on alert status for potential activation during the H1N1 vaccination campaign.

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IOWA QUAD CITY AREA H1N1 UPDATE

SCOTT COUNTY

OCTOBER 7, 2009

FLU HOTLINE

IOWA:
 800.447.1985
 (Interpretation Services Available)

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WHAT'S HAPPENING IN SCOTT COUNTY

A small amount of FluMist® intranasal H1N1 vaccine is expected to begin arriving in Scott County during the next week. FluMist® cannot be given to many of the people in the Center for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) priority groups including pregnant women, anyone with a chronic health condition, children under two years old and anyone in the priority groups who is 50 years of age or older.

When the CDC made their priority groups, they made them broad to allow for flexibility to meet local vaccine needs and demands. Scott County Health Department has created a plan, found below, that prioritizes the members of the priority groups as it relates to getting FluMist®. Working with our community partners, we will provide FluMist® as it becomes available to persons in Group A first, then the subsequent groups will be included as supply allows.

Prioritization for FluMist® in Scott County:

Group A:	Health-care workers, including school nurses/health aides, and emergency medical services personnel who are 49 years old or younger, with no underlying health conditions and who have direct contact with patients or infectious material
Group B:	Persons who live with or provide care for infants aged <6 months who are between the ages of 2 years and 49 years old with no underlying health conditions Children aged 2-4 years without underlying health conditions
Group C:	Persons 5 years -24 years without underlying health conditions K-12 staff who are 49 years old and younger with no underlying health conditions
Group D:	Corrections officers who are 49 years old and younger with no underlying health conditions Police officers who are 49 years old and younger with no underlying health conditions Child care provider staff who do not care for infants <6 months who are 49 years old and younger with no underlying health conditions
Group E:	Anyone 25-49 years old with no underlying health conditions

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