

COVID-19 Vaccine Update

From the Chief Pharmacy Officer

Effective **February 28**, the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) announced a new recommendation for adults **65 years of age and older** to receive an **additional updated 2023-2024 COVID-19 vaccine dose**. Doses should not be given until <u>at least four months</u> from the last dose.

As a result, on **Thursday, April 18**, the **COVID-19 Vaccine Screening PowerForm** will be updated to support current recommendations.

Click here to see the NLH Bug-Drug Guide for COVID-19 vaccine recommendations.

The attached <u>flyer</u> provides in-depth details about where to find and how to use the updated COVID-19 Vaccine Screening PowerForm.

Clinical Informatics – Please share this information and make a topic of discussion in upcoming rounding with **All Inpatient/Ambulatory Providers and Ambulatory Clinical Staff**.

Behavioral Health: This information **does** affect behavioral health caregivers.

NOTE: This mailbox is not frequently monitored. Please direct any questions to the Clinical Informatics team using this link.