



Vaccination Schemes

疫苗計劃

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Outline

- **Overview of Vaccination Schemes**
 - **Childhood Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme (CIVSS)**
 - **Elderly Vaccination Subsidy Scheme (EVSS)**
- **Introduction to eHealth System**
- **Question & Answer**



Vaccination Subsidy Schemes

- **Childhood Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme (CIVSS)**
 - Previously named as Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme (IVSS) in 2008/09
 - Provide subsidy for eligible children to receive seasonal influenza vaccine received from private sector
- **Elderly Vaccination Subsidy Scheme (EVSS)**
 - New initiative
 - Provide subsidy for eligible elders to receive seasonal influenza and pneumococcal vaccines received from private sector

Role of Public and Private sectors

		Public	Private
Children 6 month to <6 yrs	Seasonal Influenza	on CSSA	Others (CIVSS)
Elders 65 years or above	Seasonal Influenza	on CSSA OR	Others (EVSS)
	Pneumo- coccal	Chronic illnesses attending public clinics	



Subsidy and pricing

■ Level of Government subsidy

□ CIVSS (vaccine cost)

- ◆ Seasonal influenza vaccine: HK\$80
- ◆ Up to 2 doses in 2009/10

□ EVSS (vaccine fee + injection cost)

- ◆ Seasonal influenza vaccine: HK\$80 + \$50 (1 dose in 2009/10)
- ◆ Pneumococcal vaccine: HK\$140 + \$50 (1 dose)

■ No restriction on doctor's pricing

■ Require transparency in doctor's pricing

- Display at clinic
- Publish in CHP website (www.chp.gov.hk)



Recipient Eligibility - CIVSS

■ HK resident

- HK Birth Certificate
- HKID card
- Other documents proving HK resident status
(samples in Doctors' Guide for CIVSS at www.chp.gov.hk)

■ Fulfill

- Either aged 6 months to < 6 years old (on the day receiving 1st dose of flu vaccine) *OR*
- aged >6 years attending pre-primary institution
(proof by student handbook/student card/certificate by institution)



Recipient Eligibility - EVSS

■ Documents

- Hong Kong ID card
- Certificate of Exemption

(samples in Doctors' Guide for EVSS at www.chp.gov.hk)

■ Age

- 65 years old or above in the year of injection
i.e. Birth year = 1944 or earlier during 2009
Birth year = 1945 or earlier during 2010



How it works for doctors

– Preparatory phase

- **Order vaccines early**
- **Ensure storage space and cold chain maintenance**
- **Read the “Enrolment Information” at CHP website.**



How it works for doctors

– Enrolment (1)

- **Starting on 1 Sep 2009**
- **For new joiners:**
 - **Online enrolment or paper enrolment**
 - **Print out the forms and sign**
 - **Mail completed forms with required documents to**
Vaccination Office
 - ◆ **The Application Form;**
 - ◆ **The Authority for Payment to a Bank form; and**
 - ◆ **Copies of documentary proofs**

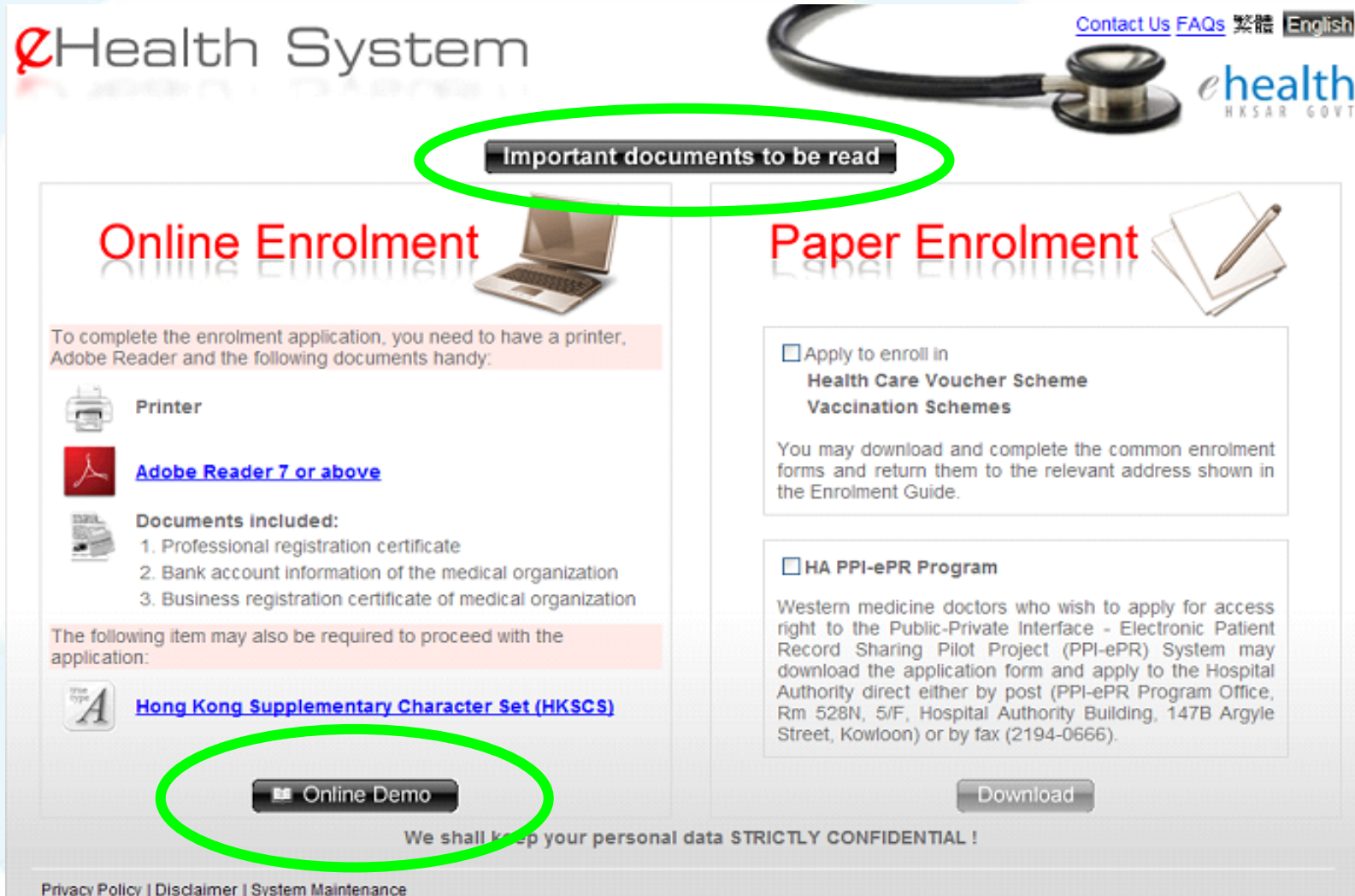


How it works for doctors – Enrolment (2)

- **For private medical practitioners already joined HCVS and/or IVSS 2008/09:**
 - **Same Enrolment procedure but documentary proofs are NOT required unless any updates in information**



Online Enrolment Screen (1)




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Important documents to be read


Online Enrolment



To complete the enrolment application, you need to have a printer, Adobe Reader and the following documents handy:


-  **Printer**
-  [Adobe Reader 7 or above](#)
- Documents included:**
 - Professional registration certificate
 - Bank account information of the medical organization
 - Business registration certificate of medical organization

The following item may also be required to proceed with the application:

-  [Hong Kong Supplementary Character Set \(HKSCS\)](#)

Online Demo

Paper Enrolment



Apply to enroll in
**Health Care Voucher Scheme
Vaccination Schemes**

You may download and complete the common enrolment forms and return them to the relevant address shown in the Enrolment Guide.

HA PPI-ePR Program

Western medicine doctors who wish to apply for access right to the Public-Private Interface - Electronic Patient Record Sharing Pilot Project (PPI-ePR) System may download the application form and apply to the Hospital Authority direct either by post (PPI-ePR Program Office, Rm 528N, 5/F, Hospital Authority Building, 147B Argyle Street, Kowloon) or by fax (2194-0666).

Download

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How it works for doctors

– Enrolment Confirmation

- Receive confirmation letter with schemes materials and email message from DH
- Activate service provider account via eHealth System
- Display the scheme(s) logo(s) & price poster(s) at the clinic
- Ensure availability of *Consent to Use Vaccination Subsidy* forms in clinic



CIVSS- Scheme Logo

Vaccination Period: 19/10/2009 - 31/3/2010

2009 / 10

兒童流感疫苗資助計劃

Childhood Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

注射當日年齡介乎
六個月至未滿六歲的兒童
Children between the age of 6 months and
less than 6 years on the injection day

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Price poster



兒童流感疫苗資助計劃
Childhood Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme
 注射當日年齡介乎六個月至未滿六歲的兒童
 Children between the age of 6 months and less than 6 years on the injection day

政府資助 Government Subsidy: **\$80**
 診所收費 Clinic Charge: **\$**

帶備子女的有效香港居民身分證明文件
 Bring along the child's valid identity document showing Hong Kong resident status
 帶子女到醫生診所接種疫苗，請先填妥使用疫苗資助同意書。(表格可於參與計劃的醫生診所索取或在「衛生防護中心」網站 www.chp.gov.hk 下載。)
 Please fill in the Consent to Use Vaccination Subsidy before taking the child to the doctor's clinic.
 (The form is available at enrolled doctors' clinic or by downloading from CHP website www.chp.gov.hk.)

來自綜援計劃家庭及年齡為六個月至未滿六歲的兒童，可參加由政府提供的防疫注射計劃免費接種流感疫苗。詳情請致電醫院管理局 (2300 6555) 或衛生署 (2575 2789) 查詢。
 Children from families receiving Comprehensive Social Security Assistance and aged between 6 months and less than 6 years can receive free influenza vaccination provided by the Government. For more information, please call Hospital Authority (2300 6555) or the Department of Health (2575 2789).

www.chp.gov.hk
 查詢電話 Enquiry Number
2125 2125



EVSS - Scheme Logo



長者疫苗資助計劃
Elderly Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

今年65歲或以上香港居民
Hong Kong Residents aged 65 or above
this year



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Price poster

長者疫苗資助計劃 Elderly Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

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疫苗 Vaccine	政府資助 Government Subsidy		診所收費 Clinic Charge
	疫苗 Vaccine	注射費 Injection Fee	
季節性流感 Seasonal Influenza 19.10.2009-31.3.2010	\$80	\$50	\$
肺炎球菌 Pneumococcal 19.10.2009起 onwards	\$140	\$50	\$

 同時接種上述兩種疫苗須付 Payment for both vaccines received at the same consultation	\$
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帶備有效香港身分證或豁免登記證明書
Bring along valid Hong Kong Identity Card or Certificate of Exemption

下列人士可參加由政府提供的防疫注射計劃免費接種疫苗：

- 65歲或以上有長期病患而在公營門診覆診的長者
 - 65歲或以上領取綜援的長者
- 詳情請致電醫院管理局(2300 6555)或衛生署(2575 2789)查詢。

The following persons can receive free vaccinations provided by the Government:

- Elderly persons aged 65 or above with chronic illness being followed up in public clinics
 - Those aged 65 or above receiving Comprehensive Social Security Assistance
- For more information, please call Hospital Authority (2300 6555) or the Department of Health (2575 2789).

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查詢電話
Enquiry Number
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How it works for doctors – Vaccination (1)

■ Check:

- Identity document for eligibility
- Vaccination card
- Consent to Use Vaccination Subsidy* form
is duly completed and signed

■ Create eHealth account of recipients



How it works for doctors – Vaccination (2)

- Explain vaccine benefit, possible side effects and their management
- Administer vaccine(s)
- Fill in vaccination card
- Advise return for second dose if appropriate (CIVSS)



How it works for doctors – Reimbursement

- **Claim subsidy online for each injection given within 7 days after providing vaccination services (max 2 doses for CIVSS)**
- **NO paper claim**
- **Check monthly statements**



How it works for doctors

– Delegate clerk for data entry

- **Facilitate data management**

- Retrieve or create eHealth account**

- Register transaction information**

- **Clerk has restricted access right only**

- **Transactions need to be confirmed by doctor**



Important points:

- Inform DH any change of information (Change Form) by fax
- Report serious or unusual adverse reactions (<http://www.psdh.gov.hk/eps/webpages.jsp>)
- Be prepared for calls & on site inspection from Vaccination Office on payment checks
- Retain consent forms and preschool proofs for at least 7 years



Important timelines

- **1 Sep 2009**
Start date for doctors' enrolment
- **19 Oct 2009**
Start date of vaccinations
- **31 Mar 2010**
End date for 1st dose influenza vaccine subsidy
- **31 May 2010**
End date for 2nd dose influenza subsidy (CIVSS)
- **Ongoing**
Pneumococcal vaccine subsidy



Mutual understanding required

- Time needed for account validation and updating pricing information
- No subsidy for vaccines given before 19 October 2009
- Creation of eHealth account before vaccination service recommended
- Claim of third dose of influenza vaccine will be barred in eHealth system for same child
- Questions over eligibility: call hotline 2125 2125



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Childhood Immunisation Programme (Pneumococcal Vaccine NEW!)

Childhood Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

Elderly Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

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Enrolment Information

Childhood Influenza Vaccination Subsidy Scheme

Elderly Vaccination Subsidy Scheme



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