July 24, 2023

Dear COVID-19 Vaccine Providers,

In anticipation of an updated COVID-19 vaccine available mid to late September 2023, the **United States Government will not continue the regular ordering process of all current COVID-19 vaccines as of August 3, 2023**.

Providers should maintain their existing inventories of all current COVID-19 vaccines until the vaccine exceeds its shelf life, or additional directions are provided, whichever occurs first.

Providers are encouraged to place necessary orders prior to the cutoff date of August 3, 2023. If a provider requires additional supply to be responsive to demand after the cutoff date, providers may place an order via an established out-of-cycle request process.

The Texas Department of State Health Services will provide an update on the ordering of the updated COVID-19 vaccines as information becomes available.

Please email <a href="mailto:covid19vacshipments@dshs.texas.gov">covid19vacshipments@dshs.texas.gov</a> if you have any questions.

Thank you for your continued support and participation in the COVID-19 Vaccine Program.