The Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS) is issuing a correction to a previous email sent at 12:46 p.m. The corrected email should read "In 2022, the Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) Program administered 8.5 million vaccines to eligible children in Texas." The corrected message is also listed below.

In 2022, the Texas Vaccines for Children (TVFC) Program administered 8.5 million vaccines to eligible children in Texas. By enrolling in the TVFC Program, your hospital can gain access to a wide range of vaccines at no cost and contribute to the reduction of vaccine-preventable diseases.

The TVFC Program provides vaccines recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) for routine immunization of children. Vaccination improves children's overall well-being and improves public health in communities in Texas.

Eligible TVFC patients are children 18 years of age or younger who meet one or more of the criteria:

- Uninsured
- Underinsured
- Medicaid-enrolled or Medicaid-eligible
- American Indian/Alaskan Native
- Enrolled in Children's Health Insurance Plan (CHIP)

For more information about the TVFC Program, benefits, the eligibility process, vaccines and requirements, please review this TVFC toolkit.

For additional questions, please contact the <u>VacCallCenter@dshs.texas.gov</u> with "TVFC Hospital Recruitment" included in the subject line or call 888-777-5320.