

Vaccinator Provider's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## **COVID-19 Vaccine General Competency EXAMPLE Exam**

1. **COVID-19 vaccination providers should refer to the Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) Fact Sheet for Healthcare Providers, prescribing information and manufacturer's information for detailed storage and handling of vaccines.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
2. **When reporting storage unit temperatures, always record:**
  - a. Minimum / maximum temperature
  - b. Date and Time
  - c. Name of person checking and recording temperature
  - d. All of the above
  
3. **If a vaccine is stored at a temperature outside the range recommended by the manufacturer, the provider should contact the manufacturer, report the excursion using the [IHS COVID-19 Vaccine Temperature Excursion Worksheet](#), and continue to use the vaccine until the provider receives manufacturer guidance.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
4. **HHS is providing ancillary supply kits for the administration of COVID-19 vaccine. The ancillary supply kits contain the supplies needed to prepare and administer vaccines, including needles, syringes, and other relevant supplies.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
5. **Always check the expiration date and beyond-use date (BUD) of the vaccine and diluent before preparing vaccine.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
6. **To determine the expiration date for an unopened vial of Moderna or Janssen COVID vaccine stored under the original conditions when shipped from the distributor, provide the LOT number in the designated field on the manufacturer's website, which is also available by scanning the QR code that comes with the vaccine.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
7. **If a vaccine gets a shorter expiration date (also known as "beyond-use date" or "BUD") due to a change in storage temperature (i.e., storing from freezer to refrigerator as appropriate), the vaccine product should be labeled with an updated BUD immediately. These labels are also found on the [CDC Website](#) for [Pfizer](#), [Moderna](#), and [Janssen](#).**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
8. **COVID-19 vaccine products are not interchangeable. The same product should be used for each subsequent dose needed to complete the series as applicable.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
9. **A COVID-19 vaccination card must be given to a patient following vaccination. Patients should be encouraged to bring this card to their next vaccine appointment if more doses are needed to finish the series or for additional doses. The patient may take a photo of the card with their phone as a backup record.**
  - a. True
  - b. False
  
10. **Pregnant patients should be encouraged to get the COVID-19 vaccine.**
  - a. True
  - b. False

11. Patients defined as moderately to severely immunocompromised by the [CDC](#) should receive an additional dose of COVID-19 vaccine  $\geq 28$  days after completing the primary series. Which vaccine product(s) does this recommendation for an additional vaccine dose apply to?
- Pfizer
  - Moderna
  - Janssen
  - Both (a) & (b) are correct
  - All of the above are correct
12. Which vaccines should be separated from the COVID-19 vaccine?
- Influenza vaccine
  - Shingles vaccine
  - Tetanus vaccine
  - None of the above; COVID-19 vaccines may be administered with other vaccines without regard to timing
13. According to the updated [Prevaccination Checklist for COVID-19 Vaccines](#), which group of patients should be especially informed of the rare but increased risk of thrombosis with thrombocytopenia syndrome (TTS) after receipt of the Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine?
- Males 18-49 years of age
  - Women 50-75 years of age
  - Males 50-75 years of age
  - Women 18-49 years of age
14. Males between 12-29 years of age should be informed of the low risk of developing myocarditis or pericarditis after receipt of an mRNA vaccine. This includes symptoms of chest pain, shortness of breath, and feelings of fast-beating, fluttering, or pounding heart. Seek medical care if this occurs within a week of receiving vaccination.
- True
  - False
15. Currently in the U.S., it is appropriate to give a COVID-19 vaccine off-label (i.e., against FDA and CDC recommendations) as long as the vaccine is fully FDA approved.
- True
  - False
16. Providers must document vaccine administration in the patient's medical record within 48 hours.
- True
  - False
17. What site do vaccine providers use to report adverse events?
- <https://vaers.hhs.gov>
  - <https://www.cdc.gov>
  - <https://immunize.org>
18. When reporting an adverse event to VAERS relating to a vaccine within the Indian Health Service, it is important to type "IHS" in item #26 in the [VAERS report](#) so that IHS can properly receive and review these submissions.
- True
  - False
19. V-Safe is a smartphone-based tool that provides personalized health check-ins for a COVID-19 vaccine recipient.
- True
  - False

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Vaccine Provider's Printed Name

Signature

Date