

Comparison of Target Groups for Seasonal and H1N1 2009 Vaccination

Seasonal Vaccine Target Groups	H1N1 2009 Vaccine Initial Target Groups
Pregnant women	Pregnant women
Children aged 6 mo-18 yrs	Persons aged 6 mo-24 yrs
Persons aged 19-49 yrs with a medical condition that puts them at higher risk*	Persons aged 25-64 yrs with a medical condition that puts them at higher risk* ±
Adults aged 50 yrs and older	± see below
Health care personnel	Health care personnel Emergency Medical Services (EMS) personnel
Persons living with or caring for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · children birth through 4 years of age · adults over 49 years of age · persons with a medical risk condition 	Persons living with or caring for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> · infants less than 6 mo of age
Residents of long-term care facilities	± see below

***Medical risk conditions are similar for both and include:** Children 6 mo-18 yrs on long-term aspirin therapy, persons with chronic pulmonary (including asthma), cardiovascular (except hypertension), renal, hepatic, hematologic neurologic/neuromuscular, or metabolic disorders (including diabetes), immunosuppression (including that caused by medications or HIV).

± **Expanding vaccination beyond initial target groups:** When it is determined by state and local health departments that vaccine is in greater supply, vaccine should be offered to healthy persons 25-64 yrs of age and then persons 65 years of age and older.