

Kia ora,

## **Reimbursement for influenza vaccinations**

Firstly, a big thank you to all health and disability care workers for their mahi during this flu season. Your service during this time has, and continues to be, truly appreciated.

## Reimbursement

Te Whatu Ora encourages health and disability care employers to ensure their patient and client-facing staff are vaccinated against influenza. Reimbursement for the costs of immunising eligible staff is available to employers via the Influenza Reimbursement Scheme Claim Portal. The reimbursement scheme will be available from 1 May 2022 to 30 September 2022.

Please follow the sign-up steps in the user guide attached to create an account. Claims can then be submitted by an employer through the online portal: <u>https://healthproviderrequests.powerappsportals.com/</u>

## Workplace vaccinations

A workplace vaccinator can come to your workplace to administer vaccines on-site and can often be scheduled to work around an organisation's needs and timetables. A list of workplace vaccinators and contact details is available here: <u>https://www.health.govt.nz/your-health/conditions-and-treatments/diseases-and-illnesses/influenza/flu-influenza-vaccines/flu-jabs-information-employers</u>

## Need help or further information?

If you have any questions, email help@imms.min.health.nz or phone 0800 223 987 (select from one of the initial options, then press 2 for flu vaccinations). More information is available here: <u>https://www.health.govt.nz/our-work/diseases-and-conditions/influenza</u>

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