



Federal Pharmacy Partnership Strategy for COVID-19 Vaccination – Phase 2

This Week's Highlights

As guidance and requirements evolve, our goal is to keep you up to date with this weekly newsletter. We are aiming to have all members prepared to vaccinate by February 1st. **We encourage you to get started now in taking the many necessary steps.** Review our updated [Implementation Guide](#) for an even more comprehensive look at what you can do to prepare. The [updated Implementation Guide](#) includes billing, reporting, training, and paperwork requirements, along with marketing, workflow, and staffing considerations. Be sure to refresh the browser after opening this document to ensure you're viewing the most up-to-date version.

As a reminder, this week you received instructions for completing the required COVID-19 CDC Training and attestation by 1/31 through *Good Neighbor Pharmacy University*. **This training is required for vaccine allocation.** [Read the instructions and access the training here.](#)

For those who were unable to attend this week's town hall, you can now access the [recording](#) and the [Federal Pharmacy Partnership Strategy slides](#).

Details on how the COVID-19 Vaccine Federal Network Administrator Partnership will be executed

- AmerisourceBergen is finalizing operational efforts with the CDC to support the Federal Pharmacy Partnership Program.
- It is still not known when Phase 2 will start but AmerisourceBergen is preparing for a February 1, 2021 readiness date, with contingencies in place to support sooner on a smaller scale if needed.
- When Phase 2 is initiated at the Federal level, the Federal Pharmacy Partnership Program will be initiated and program participants will be notified with details on what to expect.
- The CDC will set aside allocation for AmerisourceBergen on behalf of the Federal Partnership and AmerisourceBergen will provide individual pharmacy allocated quantities back to the CDC.
- Shipment information will be emailed directly to program participants after the allocation order is submitted to the CDC by AmerisourceBergen.
- Vaccine inventory will be directly shipped to your pharmacy from the CDC's designated distribution center.
- You will not have the ability to order COVID-19 vaccines directly from the CDC designated distribution center or through ABC Order.
- AmerisourceBergen will not be shipping vaccine inventory to your pharmacy.

Resources

We are continuing to put together a wealth of resources to ensure your success in implementing your pharmacy's COVID-19 vaccine capabilities. Visit the [COVID-19 Vaccine Webpage](#) regularly for the most up-to-date resources. Be sure to refresh the browser after opening each resource to ensure you're viewing the most up-to-date version.

- [CDC Required COVID-19 Vaccine Training Access Guide](#)
- [COVID-19 Vaccine Implementation Guide](#)
- [COVID-19 FAQ](#)
- Marketing materials and information – coming soon!

Have questions?

Please continue to reach out to COVIDvaccines@AmerisourceBergen.com with questions. If for any reason you no longer wish to participate in our Federal Network Administrator program, please email your sales executive.

