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Dear Doctor,

Influenza Vaccination

As you may be aware, the Scientific Committee on Vaccine Preventable Diseases recommended the use of influenza vaccine to the following groups of people for the coming influenza season:-

- (1) Elderly persons living in residential care homes
- (2) Long-stay residents of institutions of the disabled
- (3) Elderly persons aged 65 years or above
- (4) Persons with chronic illnesses
- (5) Health care workers
- (6) Poultry workers
- (7) Children aged 6 to 23 months

The vaccine composition recommended by the World Health Organization for 2004/05 is as follows:-

- (1) A/New Caledonia/20/99(H1N1)-like virus
- (2) A/Fujian/411/2002(H3N2)-like virus
- (3) B/Shanghai /361/2002-like virus

Collaboration between the public and private sectors is crucial to achieve good vaccination coverage rate among target groups recommended by the Scientific Committee. Details about the scope of government's influenza vaccination program can be assessed at this website: <http://www.chp.gov.hk>

We appeal to your support in vaccinating your patients and staff who fall under the target groups recommended by the Scientific Committee. To facilitate public-private interface in influenza vaccination, we enclose a poster and a sample of Adult Immunization Record for your reference. You are welcome to collect free copies of Adult Immunization Records from offices of the Central Health Education Unit, by completing and fax the enclosed reply slip in advance.

Thank you for your kind attention.

Yours sincerely,



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Request for the cards on “Immunization Record for Adults”

To: Centre for Health Protection, Department of Health
(Fax:: **2591 6127**)

I would like to collect from you the cards on “Immunization Records for Adults”.
Quantity requested, schedule and venue for collection are listed as below.

No. of copies requested:	
Preferred date of collection:	
Preferred time * of collection:	
Location for collection: (Please tick as appropriate)	<input type="checkbox"/> Central Health Education Unit 7/F, Southorn Centre, 130 Hennessy Road, Wan Chai Tel. No.: 2835 1820 <input type="checkbox"/> Tsuen Wan Health Education Centre 13/F, Tsuen Wan Government Office, 38 Sai Lau Kok Road, Tsuen Wan, NT Tel. No.: 2417 6505

* Please note that the operation hours of the Health Education Centres are:

Weekdays 0830 am to 1700 pm

Weekend (Sat) 0830 am to 1300 pm

(Closed on Public Holidays and Sundays)

Name of Contact Person:	Contact Telephone No.:
Fax no.:	Name and signature of the Doctor: