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**Vaccination saves lives**



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## 2024/25 influenza season NHS Wales recommended flu vaccines

Age of eligible individual	aQIV	LAIV	QIVc	QIV-HD*
<b>6 months to under 2 years of age</b>	No	No	1 <sup>st</sup> **	No
<b>2-17 years of age</b>	No	1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup> ***	No
<b>18-64 years of age</b>	No	No	1 <sup>st</sup>	No*
<b>Aged 65 or over</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> ****	No	2 <sup>nd</sup> *****	1 <sup>st</sup>

\*QIV-HD was not previously available in the UK. Now available for the 2024/25 flu season for adults 60 years and older.

\*\*There is no central supply of this vaccine.

\*\*\* For the children in this age cohort who are contraindicated or decline LAIV due to gelatine content

\*\*\*\* aQIV may be offered off label to those who become 65 years of age before 31 March 2025

\*\*\*\*\* Where aQIV/QIV-HD is not available

### Key:

- aQIV** Adjuvanted quadrivalent influenza vaccine
- LAIV** Live attenuated influenza vaccine (trivalent)
- QIVc** Quadrivalent cell culture influenza vaccine
- QIV-HD** High dose quadrivalent inactivated influenza vaccine

LAIV will be available to order centrally via ImmForm.

Always check Summary of medical Product Characteristics (SmPC) to ensure vaccine suitability on an individual patient basis.

SmPCs are available here: [Home - electronic medicines compendium \(emc\)](#)

Joint Committee on Vaccination and Immunisation: Advice on influenza vaccines for 2024/25 available [here](#)

[Welsh Health Circular \(WHC/2024/028\)](#): The National Influenza Immunisation Programme 2024/25.

[Welsh Health Circular \(WHC/2024/047\)](#): Influenza vaccines and eligible cohorts for the 2024/25 season.

For more information on flu and flu vaccines: [Flu Vaccination - Public Health Wales \(nhs.wales\)](#)