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RE: Ontario's 2024-2025 Respiratory Syncytial Virus Prophylaxis Program Update

Dear Health Care Provider/Health Care Setting,

As we approach the end of the 2024/25 respiratory illness season, we are providing this letter to provide you with the following program update regarding the 2024-2025 Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) prophylaxis program.

High-Risk Older Adult RSV Vaccine Program

- The 2024-2025 adult RSV program will **continue** into the spring and vaccines for [eligible individuals](#) are available through your local public health unit.

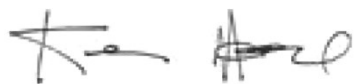
Infant and High-Risk Children RSV Prevention Program

- The 2024-2025 infant and high-risk children RSV prevention program has ended and doses of Beyfortus and Abrysvo should no longer be ordered or administered to infants, children, or pregnant individuals.
- To ensure protection through respiratory season, it is recommended children receive their dose of Beyfortus in the fall as the immunization offers 6 months of protection.
- All remaining non-expired inventory is to be stored under appropriate cold chain for use next season in provider's offices.
- Health care providers and health care settings that have product should follow up with their local public health unit to determine next steps for Beyfortus inventory in their fridges.
- If doses of Beyfortus are required after the date of this letter, they may be provided on a case-by-case basis if the RSV season is considered active and on-going in your local area. All requests should be directed to the Vaccine Policy and Programs Branch at vacpro@ontario.ca

Please visit the Ministry of Health's [health care provider website](#) for more information and resources about the RSV program. For details and questions contact your local public health unit.

Thank you for your dedication to protecting the health and well-being of infants, children, families, and communities in Ontario.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Kieran Moore', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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