



## VACCINES FOR CHILDREN

If records need to be kept for 3 years, in what format should they be kept?

*OSIS should always be kept up to date. The provider needs to keep anything dealing with storage and handling of the vaccines and eligibility screening for 3 years in whatever format they use, whether electronic or paper. Patient health records must be kept as outlined in SoonerCare policy.*

What type of backup thermometer is required?

*A continuous monitoring digital data logger.*

Where do underinsured patients need to get their vaccines?

*Underinsured patients must be seen at the health department, an FQHC or an RHC.*

Where can a provider access the routine storage worksheet and the emergency vaccine worksheet?

*CDC's Storage and Handling Toolkit has a more up-date-copy (combining both worksheets) on pages 31-34, or the provider's Immunization Field Consultant (IFC) can provide a copy.*

*Here is the link to CDC's Storage and Handling Toolkit:*

[Vaccine Storage and Handling Toolkit-Updated with COVID-19 Vaccine Storage and Handling Information, Addendum Aril 12, 2022 \(cdc.gov\)](#)

*Note: Always check with your IFC regarding Oklahoma VFC requirements.*



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