

## H1N1 Guidance Documents

### SUMMARY OF US GUIDANCE DOCUMENTS ON OR CONCERNING H1N1

Note-Recommendations are also included and prefaced by 'Recommendations' in the title box. Q&As not included here

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#### White House Summary

Report to the President on US Preparations for 2009 H1N1 Influenza [http://www.whitehouse.gov/assets/documents/PCAST\\_H1N1\\_Report.pdf](http://www.whitehouse.gov/assets/documents/PCAST_H1N1_Report.pdf)

#### Guidance Type

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Epidemiology	Interim Guidance on Case Definitions to be Used For Investigations of Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Cases*	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/casedef.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/casedef.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Screening for Novel Influenza A (H1N1) (Swine Flu) by State and Local Health Departments, Hospitals, and Clinicians in Regions with Few or no Reported Cases of Novel Influenza A (H1N1)	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/screening.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/screening.htm</a>
Vaccine	Interim guidance for use of 23-valent pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccine during novel influenza A (H1N1) outbreak	<a href="http://www.flu.gov/vaccine/pneumococcal.html">http://www.flu.gov/vaccine/pneumococcal.html</a>
	Doses Administered Reporting	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/H1N1flu/vaccination/statelocal/pdf/H1N1_DosesAdministered.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/H1N1flu/vaccination/statelocal/pdf/H1N1_DosesAdministered.pdf</a>
	<i>Recommendation:</i> CDC Advisors Make Recommendations for Use of Vaccine Against Novel H1N1	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/media/pressrel/2009/r090729b.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/media/pressrel/2009/r090729b.htm</a>
	<i>Recommendation:</i> Novel H1N1 Vaccination Recommendations	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/acip.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/acip.htm</a>
Vaccine Safety Monitoring	<i>Recommendations:</i> Influenza A (H1N1) 2009 Monovalent Vaccine Safety Monitoring: CDC Planning Recommendations for State, Local, Tribal, and Territorial Health Officials	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/safety_planning.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/safety_planning.htm</a>
Vaccination Clinic Set-up	Outline for Planning and Operating a Large-Scale Influenza Vaccination Clinic	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/pdf/B_Wortley_H1N1_guidelines_vaccination.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/pdf/B_Wortley_H1N1_guidelines_vaccination.pdf</a>
	Guidelines for Large Scale Pandemic Influenza Vaccination Clinics	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/pdf/D_Wortley_H1N1_guidelines_pandemic.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/pdf/D_Wortley_H1N1_guidelines_pandemic.pdf</a>
	Large-Scale Vaccination Clinic Output and Staffing Estimates: an Example	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/pdf/A_Wortley_H1N1_sample_clinic.pdf">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/pdf/A_Wortley_H1N1_sample_clinic.pdf</a>

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Antivirals	Updated Interim Recommendations for the Use of Antiviral Medications in the Treatment and Prevention of Influenza for the 2009-2010 Season	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/recommendations.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/recommendations.htm</a>
Diagnosics/Lab testing	Interim Guidance for the Detection of Novel Influenza A Virus Using Rapid Influenza Diagnostic Tests	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/rapid_testing.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/rapid_testing.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance on Specimen Collection, Processing, and Testing for Patients with Suspected Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Infection	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/specimencollection.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/specimencollection.htm</a>
	Guidelines for the Submission of Tissue Specimens for the Pathologic Evaluation of Influenza Virus Infections	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/tissuesubmission.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/tissuesubmission.htm</a>
	DSAT Guidance on CDC Import Permits for Swine-Originated Flu	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/DSAT.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/DSAT.htm</a>
Facemask/Respirator Use	<i>Recommendations:</i> Interim Recommendations for Facemask and Respirator Use to Reduce Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Transmission	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/masks.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/masks.htm</a>
Medical Offices/Outpatient Facilities/Clinicians	10 Steps You Can Take: Actions for Novel H1N1 Influenza Planning and Response for Medical Offices and Outpatient Facilities	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/10steps.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/10steps.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Clinicians on Identifying and Caring for Patients with Swine-origin Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Infection	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/identifyingpatients.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/identifyingpatients.htm</a>
	Clinical Data Collection Forms and Templates for Collection of Information on Patients Infected with Novel Influenza A (H1N1)	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/clinicians/clinician_forms_templates.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/clinicians/clinician_forms_templates.htm</a>
	Considerations Regarding Novel H1N1 Flu Virus in Obstetric Settings	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/obstetric.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/obstetric.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance—HIV-Infected Adults and Adolescents: Considerations for Clinicians Regarding Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_HIV.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_HIV.htm</a>

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	H1N1 Flu and Patients With Cardiovascular Disease (Heart Disease and Stroke): Interim Guidance and Considerations for Health Care Providers and for State and Local Public Health Agencies	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/cardiovascular.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/cardiovascular.htm</a>
	Pregnant Women and Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus: Considerations for Clinicians	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/clinician_pregnant.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/clinician_pregnant.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Clinicians on the Prevention and Treatment of Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Influenza Virus Infection in Infants and Children	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/childrentreatment.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/childrentreatment.htm</a>
	Home Care Guidance: Physician Directions to Patient/Parent	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_homecare_directions.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_homecare_directions.htm</a>
Infection Control	Interim Guidance for Homeless and Emergency Shelters on the Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/homeless.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/homeless.htm</a>
	Post-mortem Care and Safe Autopsy Procedures for Novel H1N1 Influenza	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/post_mortem.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/post_mortem.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Correctional and Detention Facilities on Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/correctional_facilities.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/correctional_facilities.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Infection Control for Care of Patients with Confirmed or Suspected Swine Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Infection in a Healthcare Setting	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidelines_infection_control.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidelines_infection_control.htm</a>
	Interim Biosafety Guidance for All Individuals handling Clinical Specimens or Isolates containing 2009-H1N1 Influenza A Virus (Novel H1N1), including Vaccine Strains	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidelines_labworkers.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidelines_labworkers.htm</a>
	Interim Additional Guidance for Infection Control for Care of Patients with Confirmed, Probable, or Suspected Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Infection in Outpatient Hemodialysis Settings	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/hemodialysis_centers.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/hemodialysis_centers.htm</a>

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Emergency Personnel	Managing Calls and Call Centers during a Large-Scale Influenza Outbreak: Implementation Tool	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/callcenters.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/callcenters.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Systems and 9-1-1 Public Safety Answering Points (PSAPs) for Management of Patients with Confirmed or Suspected Swine-Origin Influenza A (H1N1) Infection	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_ems.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_ems.htm</a>
Community Settings	<i>Recommendations:</i> CDC Recommendations for the Amount of Time Persons with Influenza-Like Illness Should be Away from Others	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/exclusion.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/exclusion.htm</a>
	Interim CDC Guidance for Public Gatherings in Response to Human Infections with Novel Influenza A (H1N1)	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/public_gatherings.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/public_gatherings.htm</a>
	Interim Recommendations for Facemask and Respirator Use to Reduce Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus Transmission	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/masks.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/masks.htm</a>
Schools/Child care	CDC Guidance for Responses to Influenza for Institutions of Higher Education during the 2009-2010 Academic Year	<a href="http://www.flu.gov/plan/school/higheredguidance.pdf">http://www.flu.gov/plan/school/higheredguidance.pdf</a>
	Technical Report on CDC Guidance for Responses to Influenza for Institutions of Higher Education during the 2009-2010 Academic Year	<a href="http://www.flu.gov/plan/school/higheredtechreport.html">http://www.flu.gov/plan/school/higheredtechreport.html</a>
	Preparing for the Flu: A Communication Toolkit for Institutions of Higher Education	<a href="http://www.flu.gov/plan/school/higheredtoolkit.pdf">http://www.flu.gov/plan/school/higheredtoolkit.pdf</a>
	CDC Guidance for State and Local Public Health Officials and School Administrators for School (K-12) Responses to Influenza during the 2009-2010 School Year	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/schools/schoolguidance.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/schools/schoolguidance.htm</a>
	Technical Report for State and Local Public Health Officials and School Administrators on CDC Guidance for School (K-12) Responses to Influenza during the 2009-2010 School Year	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/schools/technicalreport.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/schools/technicalreport.htm</a>

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	Preparing for the Flu: A Communication Toolkit for Schools (Grades K-12)	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/schools/toolkit/">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/schools/toolkit/</a>
	Interim CDC Guidance on Day and Residential Camps in Response to Human Infections with the Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Virus	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/camp.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/camp.htm</a>
Business/Employers	Guidance for Businesses and Employers to Plan and Respond to the 2009 – 2010 Influenza Season	<a href="http://www.flu.gov/plan/workplaceplanning/guidance.html">http://www.flu.gov/plan/workplaceplanning/guidance.html</a>
	Preparing for the Flu: A Communication Toolkit for Businesses and Employers	<a href="http://www.flu.gov/plan/workplaceplanning/toolkit.html">http://www.flu.gov/plan/workplaceplanning/toolkit.html</a>
Travel Industry	Interim Guidance for Airlines Regarding Flight Crews Arriving from Domestic and International Areas Affected by Swine Influenza	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/air-crew-dom-intl.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/air-crew-dom-intl.htm</a>
	Interim Novel Influenza A (H1N1) Guidance for Cruise Ships	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/cruiseships.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/cruiseships.htm</a>
For the Public	H1N1 Flu: Interim Guidance for People With Heart Disease, Stroke, or Cardiovascular Disease	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/heart.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/heart.htm</a>
	Interim Guidance for Novel H1N1 Flu (Swine Flu): Taking Care of a Sick Person in Your Home	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_homecare.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance_homecare.htm</a>
	Considerations for Pregnant Women who are More likely to be Exposed to Novel H1N1 Flu (Swine Flu) at work: Information for Women in Education, Child Care, and Health Care	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/pregnant-hcw-educators.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/pregnant-hcw-educators.htm</a>
	What to Do If You Get Flu-Like Symptoms	<a href="http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/sick.htm">http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/sick.htm</a>