



Older Adult High-Risk RSV Vaccine Program: Order Now

Respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) is a major cause of lower respiratory illness in older adults. In Ontario, most deaths from RSV occurred in those aged 60 years and older. **Administration of RSV vaccines for older adults should begin immediately and are available to order now.**

Arexvy OR Abrysvo™

The Arexvy and Abrysvo™ vaccines are publicly funded (one dose) for **all individuals 75 years and older**, as well as individuals **60 to 74 years of age** who meet the following **high-risk** criteria:

- Residents of long-term care homes, elder care lodges or retirement homes, and similar settings
- Individuals in hospital receiving alternate level of care (ALC), and similar settings
- Patients with glomerulonephritis (GN) who are moderately to severely immunocompromised
- Individuals receiving hemodialysis or peritoneal dialysis
- Recipients of solid organ or hematopoietic stem cell transplants
- Individuals experiencing homelessness
- Individuals who identify as First Nations, Inuit, or Métis

If an individual has previously received a dose of RSV vaccine, they do not need to receive another dose this season. Booster doses are not currently recommended.

Ordering

If you have Arexvy or Abrysvo™ stock in your vaccine fridge from last season, begin administering now. **Please check expiry dates prior to administration, using products closest to expiry first.**

To order, use the [New Online Seasonal Vaccine Order Form](#) (durham.ca/hcp > Forms > Order).

This year, **vaccine order notifications will be sent by email instead of by phone.** Please note that orders will be ready for **pick-up within 7–10 business days**, and you will receive an email once your order is available. **To prevent delays during pick up, please ensure your vaccine cooler is prepared according to [vaccine storage and handling guidelines](#).**

For further information, including eligibility and Health Care Provider Fact Sheets, visit durham.ca/hcp (Respiratory illnesses > Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV) > Resources).

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