

Practice Makes Perfect

Maryland Immunization Professionals Training

Sponsored by the Maryland Partnership for Prevention

Practice Makes Perfect (PMP) was developed by the Maryland Partnership for Prevention, Maryland's statewide immunization coalition, to provide immunization professionals with comprehensive resources to support the promotion and safe administration of immunizations.

Description

Practice Makes Perfect is a **FREE, half-day training session** that provides an overview of the following topics that are important to safely and effectively providing immunizations:

- Vaccine recommendations for children, adolescents, and adults;
- Child Care and School Immunization Requirements;
- Vaccine Storage and Handling; and
- Maryland Vaccines For Children Program

**All trainings are scheduled from 9:00 am - 1:15 pm, unless noted otherwise.
A light breakfast and lunch will be provided.**

Objectives

By the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Recognize the general recommendations for childhood and adolescent immunizations;
- Explain the vaccine requirements for child care and school entry in the State of Maryland;
- Recognize the general recommendations for adult and healthcare worker immunizations
- Describe vaccine contraindications and precautions;
- Identify safe and effective vaccine administration techniques;
- Understand Maryland Vaccines for Children Program policy and regulations;
- Recognize proper vaccine storage and handling techniques; and
- Identify sources of reliable immunization information.

Intended Audience

Physicians, nurses, nurse practitioners, physician assistants, paraprofessionals, pharmacists, health educators and their colleagues who either administer vaccines or set policy for their offices, clinics, or communicable disease or infection control programs.

Registration

Complete the registration form (on the reverse) and fax to 410-333-5893. A separate registration form is required for each participant. Please DO NOT submit one form for several individuals in the same practice.

Continuing Education

Nursing - This continuing nursing education activity was approved by the Maryland Nurses Association, an accredited provider by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.

This activity is approved for 3 contact hours.

Health Educator - An application for continuing education credits has been submitted to the National Commission for Health Education Credentialing. Approval is pending.



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To Register:

1. Complete the form below.
2. **Fax completed form to 410-333-5893 no later than two weeks prior the selected date.** You will receive registration confirmation by fax or email.
3. On the date of training, go to your registered location. Registration and breakfast is from 8:00 am to 9:00 am. Training begins promptly at 9:00 am. Lunch will be provided.

Time: 9:00 am - 1:15 pm

September 23, 2008

Baltimore Metro Area

****New Date****

Maryland Department of Health & Mental Hygiene
201 West Preston Street
Conference Room L-1 (Lobby Level)
Baltimore, MD 21201

October 22, 2008

Western Maryland

Allegany County Health Dept
12501 Willowbrook Road
Community Room # G-010 (Ground Floor)
Cumberland, MD 21502

The Maryland Partnership for Prevention reserves the right to cancel or reschedule any training.

Name: _____

Provider Office Name: _____ VFC Pin # _____

Address: _____

Tel: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____

QUESTIONS?

Call the Maryland Partnership for Prevention at 410-902-4677 or email info@immunizemaryland.org