

Summit Adult Vaccine Recommendations Review (SAVRR) Council Meeting

June 9, 2026

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Discussion Facilitator: L.J Tan, MS, PhD, Co-Chair, NAIS



Agenda

- Opening statement- Bob Hopkins
- Updates on latest timelines for VIP and professional medical society recommendations- L.J Tan
- Discuss & finalize guidance to providers on fall respiratory season recommendations- Bob Hopkins
- Vote on guidance- Bob Hopkins
- Discuss coordinated communication of recommendations- L.J Tan
- Other items from the membership- Jane Zucker
- Next meeting – July 14 from 1:00 – 2:30 pm ET



Opening statement



SAVRR Council Scope and Objectives

SAVRR stands for the Summit Adult Vaccination Recommendations Review; accordingly, this group is the SAVRR Council.

Because the Summit covers influenza vaccination across the lifespan, the Council will address influenza recommendations across all ages in addition to adult vaccination recommendations.

Objective 1: Provide stakeholder feedback on recommendations

- The Council will serve as a forum—similar to the function that was previously provided by the liaisons to the ACIP—to provide stakeholder feedback to recommendation-developing bodies (currently the medical societies and professional organization who are members of SAVRR) during development and, as needed, after publication.

Objective 2: Support implementation of evidence-based recommendations

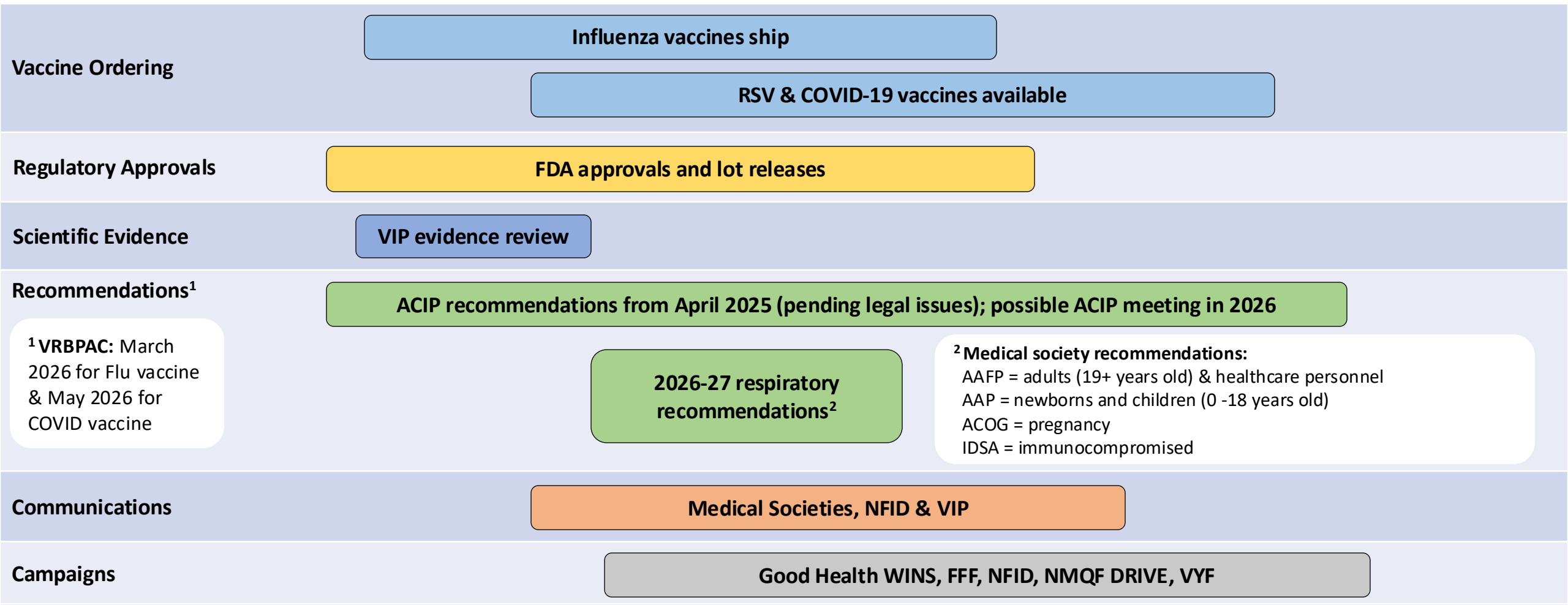
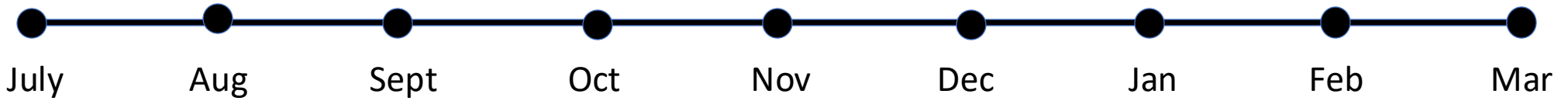
- The Council will provide guidance to support effective clinical implementation of evidence-based vaccine recommendations from professional medical societies and ACIP, as appropriate.
- This work includes identifying and clarifying differences among recommendations; highlighting gaps and opportunities for alignment; identifying interventions for the Summit's working groups and its partners; and helping to disseminate clear, practical guidance through the National Adult and Influenza Immunization Summit (NAIIS) communication channels.



Updates on latest timelines for VIP and professional medical society recommendations



Respiratory Virus Season Calendar (July 2026 – March 2027)



Acronyms: FDA- Food and Drug Administration; VIP- Vaccine Integrity Project; ACIP- Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices; VRBPAC- Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee; AAFP- American Academy of Family Physicians; AAP- American Academy of Pediatrics; ACOG- American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology; IDSA- Infectious Diseases Society of America; NFID- National Foundation for Infectious Diseases; WINS- Women’s Immunization Networks; FFF- Families Fighting Flu; NMQF- National Minority Quality Forum; VYF- Vaccinate Your Family



2026-27 Respiratory Season Project Update

June 2026



2026-27 Respiratory Season

Collaboration was launched early in 2026 **with the American Medical Association.**

- Coordinated and unified release of evidence and recommendations by the participating societies before the start of respiratory virus (goal: first week of September).
- Engage medical societies, public health leaders, insurers, academic experts, etc., early and throughout the process.
- Produce a scientifically rigorous evidence review across RSV, influenza, and COVID-19 vaccines.
- Maintain strong communications and transparency.
- Deliver practical resources for clinicians, parents, and the public; help meet the needs and priorities outlined by the medical specialty societies.

Respiratory Recommendation Crosswalk

	Pediatrics (0-18 years)	Adults (19+ years)	Immuno- compromised	Healthcare Personnel*	Pregnancy
RSV	AAP	AAFP	IDSA	AAFP	ACOG
Flu	AAP	AAFP	IDSA	AAFP	ACOG
COVID-19	AAP	AAFP	IDSA	AAFP	ACOG

*Assistance from IDSA

June Update

- Pathogen-specific evidence synthesis underway
- Pathogen-specific expert panels continue to meet regularly
- Special topic engagements scheduled
- Manufacturer briefings scheduled
- AMA communication needs assessment underway; update will be presented to SAVVR next month including key takeaways and focus areas for communication materials and outreach plans

Discuss & finalize guidance to providers on fall respiratory season recommendations



Overview of Additions to the Guidance

- Background on the SAVRR Council and the Vaccine Integrity Project.
- Links to recommendations from AAFP, ACOG, AAP, and IDSA.
- Recommendations on vaccination of immunocompromised persons for all respiratory vaccines.
- Guidance on COVID-19 vaccination when both 2025-2026 and 2026-2027 vaccine stocks are available.
- Information about VRBPAC's influenza vaccine and COVID-19 vaccine strain selections.
- Statement on AHIP vaccination coverage.



Implementation Guidance Discussion Points

- The SAVRR Council provides guidance on the influenza vaccine across the lifespan.
- For now, the SAVRR Council will limit its guidance to adult vaccines, except for the influenza vaccine.
- The SAVRR Council appreciates that SHEA will make recommendations on vaccination for healthcare personnel, and that PALTmed will make recommendations for long-term care.



Finalization of Implementation Guidance

- Questions and discussion on guidance
- Motion to vote on the guidance document



Vote on implementation guidance



Voting Members

Organization	Representative
American Academy of Family Physicians (AAFP)	Laura Morris
American Association of Nurse Practitioners (AANP)	Mary Koslap-Petraco
American College of Nurse Midwives (ACNM)	Cristina Alonso Lord
American Geriatrics Society (AGS)	Kenneth Schmader
American Immunization Registry Association (AIRA)	Rebecca Coyle
American Nurses Association (ANA)	Audrey Stevenson
American Pharmacists Association (APhA)	Oliva Kinney
American Society of Health-System Pharmacists (ASHP)	Michael Gabay
Gerontological Society of America (GSA)	Ben Seligman
Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Medical Association (PALTmed)	Robin Jump
The Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America (SHEA)	David Weber
Vaccinate Your Family (VYF)	Amy Pisani
Infectious Diseases Society of America (IDSA)	Jane Zucker (Co-chair)
National Foundation for Infectious Diseases (NFID)	Bob Hopkins (Co-chair)



Discuss coordinated communication of recommendations



Other items from the membership



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