

Summit Adult Vaccine Recommendations Review (SAVRR) Council Meeting

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Agenda

- Opening statement – Bob Hopkins
- Welcome American Thoracic Society (ATS) members
- Updates on COVID-19 vaccine distribution: Moderna, Pfizer, and Sanofi
- Moderna presentation on 2026/27 distribution plans of new mRNA influenza vaccine and anticipated implementation challenges
- Discussion: Respiratory virus season vaccine implementation
- Brief Respiratory Season Update- Andrea Garcia (American Medical Association) and Kevin Griffis/Sherri Berger (Vaccine Integrity Project)
- Other items from the membership
- Next meeting – September 8 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.



Welcome to the Council!

American Thoracic Society (ATS):
Justin Ortiz and Tina Hartert



Updates on COVID-19 vaccine distribution

Pfizer- Adam MacNeil, Vinnie Snow, and Lisa Coen



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Sanofi- Courtney Fahey and Amanda Cohn



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Moderna- April Cohen



Discussion: Respiratory virus season vaccine implementation



Brief Respiratory Season Update-

Andrea Garcia (AMA) and Kevin Griffis/Sherri Berger (VIP)



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