



The Department of State Health Services has established a system for ordering the novel H1N1 vaccine, which is free to providers and recipients. Texas Health Steps providers are encouraged to order vaccine, if they have not already. For more information go to <http://www.dshs.state.tx.us/txflu/flu-vaccineprovider.shtm>.

The Texas Medicaid program is providing reimbursement for the administration of the vaccine effective October 1, 2009. Information is available on the Texas Medicaid and Healthcare Partnership's website at <http://www.tmhp.com/default.aspx> and click on the picture of the syringe in the bull's eye, or call 1-800-925-9126.

Visit TexasFlu.org, the DSHS site for flu information in Texas. Bookmark it. Sign up to receive [e-mail notices](#) when information is posted.