



**MASSACHUSETTS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM
VACCINES FOR CHILDREN PROGRAM (VFC)**

Patient Eligibility Screening Form

For use in Federally Qualified Community Health Centers

Initial screening

Initial screening date _____ Child's date of birth _____

Child's full name _____

Parent, guardian or legal representative's full name _____

Health care provider's full name _____

Check only one box below:

This child is eligible for immunizations through the federal VFC program because he/she*:

- is enrolled in Medicaid (includes MassHealth and HMOs, etc., if enrolled in Medicaid)
- is underinsured (has health insurance that does not pay for vaccinations)
- does not have health insurance
- is American Indian (Native American) or Alaska Native

This child is not VFC-eligible because he/she:

- has health insurance (that covers all recommended childhood and adolescent vaccinations) and is not American Indian (Native American) or Alaska Native

This form must be completed for all children under 19 years old at their initial visit, updated every time a vaccine is given and kept in the child's medical record or on file in the office.

The form may be completed by the parent, guardian, or legal representative, or by the health care provider.

Verification of responses is not required.

*This form identifies which children are eligible for vaccines through the federal Vaccines for Children (VFC) program. If one of the first four boxes in the section above is checked, the child is VFC eligible.

Screening at each subsequent visit (documentation required)

	VFC Eligible				Not VFC Eligible
Date	Is enrolled in Medicaid (includes MassHealth and HMOs, etc., if enrolled through Medicaid)	Is underinsured (has health insurance that does not pay for vaccinations)	Does not have health insurance	Is American Indian (Native American) or Alaska Native	Has health insurance

