Massachusetts Department of Public Health
Massachusetts Immunization Program

Daily Procedure for Monitoring Temperatures Using Fridge-Tag®

1. Current Temp
   - In the morning, look at data logger display to view the current temperature and check for "ALARMS" ("X" or "▲")

2. Press "READ"
   - Press the “Read” button on the display to view the maximum (warmest) temperature since midnight.

3. Press "READ"
   - Press the “Read” button on the display a second time to view the minimum (coldest) temperature since midnight.

4. Press "READ"
   - Press the “Read” button to display the warmest temperature from the previous day.

5. Press "READ"
   - Press the "Read" button to display the coldest temperature from the previous day.*

   *By performing this final step you would see if the temperature went out of range after you closed the previous day and before midnight.

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**EVERY AM**

- "AM" and "PM" will print under the Events column on the data logger report. This will fulfill the CDC requirement that someone monitored the temperature twice daily.

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**EVERY PM**

**REFRIGERATOR**

- **IF THE CURRENT OR MINIMUM TEMPERATURE IS COLDER THAN:** 2°C (or 35°F)
- **IF THE CURRENT OR MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE IS WARMER THAN:** 8°C (or 46°F)
  - FOR > 60 MINUTES

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**FREEZER**

- **IF THE CURRENT TEMPERATURE IS WARMER THAN:** -15°C (or +5°F) FOR > 60 MINUTES
- **IF THE MAXIMUM TEMPERATURE IN THE FREEZER IS:** WARMER THAN -10°C (or 14°F)

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1-3 REPEAT STEPS 1 THROUGH 3 ABOVE