

Vaccine Storage and Handling Pre Test

1. The CDC and NHIP require all vaccines to be stored properly. What are two effects of exposing vaccines to excess heat or cold?
2. When inactivated vaccines are exposed to freezing temperatures they will all show signs of visible loss of potency? (True/false)
3. What is the purpose of using water bottles in the refrigerator and freezer packs in the freezer?
4. Vaccines should not be stored in the refrigerator's vegetable bins because the temperature in this area is different than other parts of the refrigerator. (True/false)
5. All locations that house vaccines must check the refrigerator /freezer temperatures twice a day. What is the best time to do this?
6. Thermometers should be placed in the center of the refrigerator unit. (True/false)
7. Live vaccines are sensitive to heat and some must be stored in the freezer. What is the required freezer temperature range? Where could you find this information?
8. Vaccines are not light sensitive. (True /false)
9. All open multidose vials of vaccine are good until the manufacture's expiration date. (True/false)
10. It is permissible to keep food and drinks in the refrigerator as long as you store them in the door. (True /false)
11. What would you do if you found a box of MMR vaccine on the counter in the med room?
12. Once a vaccine leaves the freezer how long do you have before you must administer the vaccine?