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To: Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program Providers

From: Iowa VFC Program

Re: LogTag VFC 400 Digital Data Loggers (DDLs)

VFC providers are reminded the Iowa VFC Program no longer provides digital data loggers to enrolled providers. The following information and resources should be used to meet CDC VFC Program vaccine temperature monitoring requirements.

Digital Data Logger Requirements

VFC Program providers must use continuous temperature monitoring devices (digital data loggers, DDL) to monitor VFC vaccine temperatures during routine clinic storage and when transporting vaccine. Information regarding VFC Program data logger requirements can be found [here](#).

The Iowa Immunization Program has established a new contract with Control Solutions for the purchase of DDLs through December 30, 2021. Health care providers participating in the Iowa VFC Program are authorized to use this contract and receive contract pricing. The Immunization Program does not endorse the use of a specific DDL manufacturer or product and recognizes a variety of manufacturers and or products may meet VFC Program DDL requirements. VFC Program providers may purchase and use any DDL, which meets VFC Program data logger requirements.

VFC Program providers may purchase a new VFC400 DDL kit including a 2-year warranty, 2-year calibration, extra battery and installation components for \$87.00 per unit from Control Solutions. To purchase a new DDL contact Control Solutions at www.vfcdataloggers.com and use Promotion Code IOWAVFC at check out for contract price. The promotion code must be entered at the time order is placed or discount price will not be honored. If ordering by phone call 503-410-5996 and reference the State of Iowa DDL contract for VFC providers.

VFC providers are responsible for all costs incurred for recalibration; upgrading or purchasing new DDLs. VFC Program providers may purchase and use any DDL that meets VFC Program data logger requirements.

For questions regarding VFC Program temperature monitoring requirements, please contact Shelly Jensen at 1-800-831-6293 ext. 5 or shelly.jensen@idph.iowa.gov.