

# AZ Vaccine EUA Update



- Earliest date emergency use authorisation (EUA) may be granted is 24<sup>th</sup> December
- If EUA granted on the 24th December, the earliest date that stock may begin to flow from Movianto is the 29th December.

## **Distribution to VHCs**

- Distribution to locations registered to receive the Pfizer vaccine is via the PHE contract (Immform ordering and Movianto Delivery).
- · No deliveries or order processing by Movianto UK on:
  - o Friday 25 December 2020
  - o Monday 28 December 2020
  - o Friday 1 January 2021
- · Order processing but no deliveries on:
  - o Monday 4 January 2021
- · NHS Highland and Island Boards bespoke arrangements
- If MHRA issue an EUA on 24th December, the earliest possible date for the first VHC orders is 29th December for 30th December deliveries (next day service)

## **Distribution to All Other Locations**



- Distribution to all other locations (GP practices, community pharmacies and hospital locations that aren't Pfizer vaccine receiving sites) via the NP contract with Movianto.
- · Same delivery arrangements as the flu vaccine. Every site has a:
  - · Fixed weekly order cut-off
  - Fixed weekly delivery day
- Majority of sites have a 48 hour turnaround (e.g. place order by noon on Wednesday for delivery the following Monday) but some areas in Highlands & Islands and Grampian will have longer (72 or 96 hours)
- · Sites should already be familiar with their cut off/delivery days

# **Primary Care Service Start Date**



- The first possible deliveries to primary care locations will be from Wednesday 6 January (this will be to sites with Wednesday as their standard Movianto scheduled delivery day).
- The earliest possible date for sites with a scheduled delivery day of Monday or Tuesday, will be Monday 11<sup>th</sup> January and Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> January respectively.
- The order cut off to achieve this will be during w/c 28 December. Given the risk of delays caused by orders not being placed by sites before their order-cut off, the plan is for National Procurement to raise orders on behalf of primary care sites initially (as requested by Boards).

### **Allocations**



 Current indications are that stock will be limited initially. Current forecast:

BN		No of Packs (100 Doses each)
IDTDP1	Tuesday 29th December	420
IDTDP2	Thursday 9th January	514
IDTDP3	Wednesday 15th January	523

 From 15<sup>th</sup> January, the expectation is that there will be regular deliveries into Movianto so the supply constraint is hoped to be relatively short-term.

# PHE notify NP of Scottish allocation NP assign board-level allocations (Based on proportion of patients 50+) NP forward board allocation and list of sites to each board for feedback on which sites should receive an allocation from each shipment.

## **Action Required from Boards**



- · NP have issued a spreadsheet to lead planners today:
  - · All locations listed (hospital and primary care)
  - · HB level allocation for first 3 shipments of AZ vaccine
- Spreadsheet to be returned to NP by 11am on Wednesday 23 December
- NID will
  - Communicate allocations to PHE (as soon as stock available to order; sites on the PHE delivery service will receive notification from the Immform team as per normal process)
  - · Centrally place orders for all other sites
- HBs should contact the sites that have been allocated stock to ensure they
  are aware that that they will receive a delivery. Once the order has been
  confirmed e.g. post emergency use authorisation being granted; the primary
  care site will receive an order confirmation email from Movianto stating the
  delivery date.

# **Risk Of Delays**



- There are a range of risks including:
  - The potential for delays in the authorisation and release of individual batches if the MHRA require batch specific authorisation again.
  - The potential for lag times being longer than expected within Movianto.
    - In both cases, this might mean that order cut-offs are missed, delaying delivery to some sites by a week.
  - The potential for the regulator or the JCVI not supporting use of the vaccine in the over 80s (changing GP Practice demand for the vaccine)
- Health Boards:
  - Should be aware of these risks when allocating to site level and when communicating to GP Practices.
  - Provide NP with contact details for staff that can be contacted at short notice 29<sup>th</sup> – 31<sup>st</sup> January for any urgent questions on allocations.

# **Movianto Capacity Issue Week One**



- Movianto have reduced capacity on 6<sup>th</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> January. Maximum 100 primary care deliveries per day
- Given limited stock, it is potential that this will not be an issue in practice however if requested deliveries exceed 100/day on the 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> or 8<sup>th</sup>, there will be a need to transfer some deliveries to the following week.
- · NP will keep Boards informed.
- 950 primary care locations/week can be supported from 11th January.

## **Longer Term View**



- Propose to adopt this process until further notice for the AZ Vaccine.
- By mid-late January stock levels should exceed demand so the expectation is we will move to weekly allocations (aggregating shipments into one weekly allocation process).
- It is possible that the MHRA will require that stock to be able to administer a second dose is held back (same arrangement as Pfizer vaccine).