# Patient Information Sheet Fluzone® High-Dose Quadrivalent Influenza Vaccine

Inactive ingredients include formaldehyde and octylphenol ethoxylate.

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Rx Only

Please read this information sheet before getting Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine. This summary is not intended to take the place of talking with your healthcare provider. If you have questions or would like more information, please talk with your healthcare provider.

#### What is Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine?

Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent is a vaccine that helps protect against influenza illness (flu).

Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine is for people 65 years of age and older.

Vaccination with Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine may not protect all people who receive the vaccine.

#### Who should not get Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine?

You should not get Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine if you:

- ever had a severe allergic reaction to eggs or egg products.
- ever had a severe allergic reaction after getting any flu vaccine.
- are younger than 65 years of age.

Tell your healthcare provider if you have or have had:

- Guillain-Barré syndrome (severe muscle weakness) after getting a flu vaccine.
- problems with your immune system as the immune response may be diminished.

#### How is Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine given?

Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine is a shot given into the muscle of the arm.

### What are the possible side effects of Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine?

The most common side effects of Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine are:

- pain, redness, and swelling where you got the shot
- · muscle ache
- tiredness
- headache

These are not all of the possible side effects of Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine. You can ask your healthcare provider for a list of other side effects that is available to healthcare professionals.

Call your healthcare provider for advice about any side effects that concern you. You may report side effects to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS) at 1-800-822-7967 or https://vaers.hhs.gov.

# Why should I get Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine instead of a standard-dose quadrivalent influenza vaccine?

Among persons 65 years of age and older, Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent generated a similar immune response to Fluzone High-Dose and is expected to provide better protection against influenza compared to standard-dose quadrivalent influenza vaccines.

## What are the ingredients in Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine?

Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent vaccine contains 4 killed flu virus strains. There is no live flu virus in Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent. Fluzone High-Dose Quadrivalent cannot cause the flu.