

National Standards for Vaccine Storage and Transportation for Immunisation Providers 2017

2nd edition



Process so far

- Initial changes made in consultation with IMAC's cold chain lead
- Consultation with a small group from the sector
- July 2019 - wider sector consultation
- Editing and formatting
- Publishing expected: September 2019

Overview of changes

- the principles of the standards have not changed
- validation of temperature monitoring equipment as part of refrigerator annual service
- spatial logging for all providers required every three years minimum

Overview of changes

- options around monitoring of chilly bins dependent on purpose
- DHB hospital site vaccine transport recommendations included
- buffered probes

Overview of changes

- continuous monitoring systems
- two sensors required
- DHB cool stores

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Questions?

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