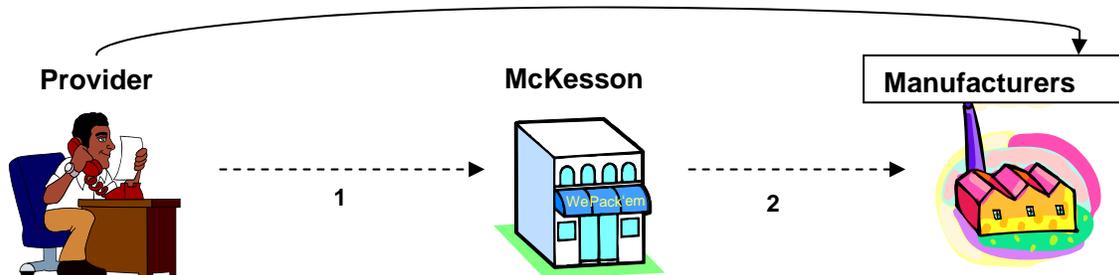


Return of Wasted or Expired Vaccine

The following diagram outlines the new process for returning wasted or expired vaccine from Idaho providers to McKesson after July 23, 2007.



Under centralized distribution, **all providers will return all non-viable vaccine** directly to McKesson. (Return all state-supplied vaccine including influenza vaccine)

Process Steps

1. The Idaho Immunization Program (IIP) will supply a [McKesson Vaccine Return form](#) to all providers. (See attached Return form), the form may also be downloaded from the internet at: iris.idaho.gov, go to the [VFC PROVIDERS](#) section for the [McKesson Vaccine Return form](#).
2. Provider prepares 2 copies of the [McKesson Vaccine Return form](#) for all wasted and expired vaccine and sends one completed [McKesson Vaccine Return Form](#) to the IIP (may be faxed or mailed).
3. Provider ships non-viable vaccine and a copy of completed [McKesson Vaccine Return form to McKesson](#) in existing shipping container(s) or provider obtained box.

Important Return Procedures and Information

- Viable vaccine should never be returned.
- Flu vaccine should not be returned until after it has expired.
- Providers need to contact the IIP with all questions about returning vaccines.
- Providers can reuse the original shipment containers provided by McKesson and send non-viable vaccine via the U.S. Postal Service.
- Make sure there is a [McKesson Vaccine Return form](#) included in every box of returning vaccines.
- Fax a **copy of the Vaccine Return form** to the IIP at 208-334-4914 or mail a copy to: **IDHW Immunization Program ♦ P O Box 83720 ♦ Boise, Id 83720-0036**
- McKesson will pay the return shipping costs. Return labels will be included in each shipment.

- McKesson will process non-viable vaccine and ship it back to manufacturers for the Federal Excise Tax Credit.