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Infant and High-Risk Children RSV Prevention Program to End April 17, 2026 for This Season

Attention: Physicians, Hospitals, CNE, ER Manager, ER Physician, Infection Control Practitioners, Occupational Health Professionals, Community Health Centres, Walk-In Urgent Care Clinic, Nurse Practitioner, Ontario Health Central, Ontario Health Teams, Midwives, Family Health Teams, Indigenous Healthcare & Community

Date: April 13, 2026

The Ministry of Health has announced that the 2025/2026 maternal, infant, and high-risk children RSV prevention program will come to an end for this season on **April 17, 2026**.

Doses of the monoclonal antibody (Beyfortus®) and the maternal vaccine (Abrysvo®) should not be administered to infants, children, or pregnant individuals after this date.

Any remaining doses of Beyfortus® or Abrysvo® that health care providers have left in their fridge are to continue to be stored under cold chain to be used next RSV season. The health unit is unable to accept doses back into inventory that have been released to HCPs. If you have multiple doses of Beyfortus® remaining in your fridge, we can store your stock for you at your local health unit office over the summer months. Please call 705-721-7520 ext. 8806 to make arrangements for this.

Guidance for the 2026/2027 program will be provided leading up to the fall respiratory season and will include recommendations for those infants and children who received RSV protection late this season.

