



Vaccine Update 506- Sanofi Act-HIB vaccine product presentation change, webinar on COVID-19 vaccine transition to the National Immunisation Program

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Sanofi Act- HIB vaccine product presentation change

From November 2026, the Sanofi Act-Hib *Haemophilus influenzae* type b (Hib) vaccine product distributed to providers will only be available in 10-pack presentation. The manufacture of single pack presentation has been discontinued globally by Sanofi.

Single packs whilst still in stock are only available when ordering small quantities if still available.

Always refer to the available product information on your [Onelink Australia](#) vaccine ordering account.

Webinar on COVID-19 vaccine transition to the National Immunisation Program

From October 1 2026, COVID-19 vaccines will be funded under the National Immunisation Program (NIP). This replaces the stand-alone National COVID-19 Vaccine Program (NCVP).

The [National Centre for Immunisation Research and Surveillance \(NCIRS\)](#) is hosting a practical webinar on **Thursday 24 September 2026 from 10am-11.30am (AWST)** exploring what the transition to the NIP means for immunisation providers.

The webinar will cover:

- current burden of COVID-19 disease in Australia
- latest evidence on COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness and safety
- updated COVID-19 vaccine recommendations, the reasons for these changes and eligibility for a funded dose
- implications of the transition to the NIP for providers and patients
- practical approaches to discussing vaccination recommendations with patients

[Registration](#) is open now. Those who can't attend while the webinar is live are encouraged to register to receive a link to the recorded webinar.

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