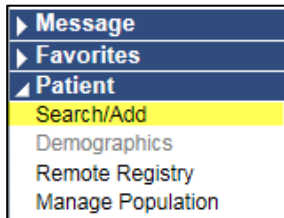


Contraindications and Deferrals

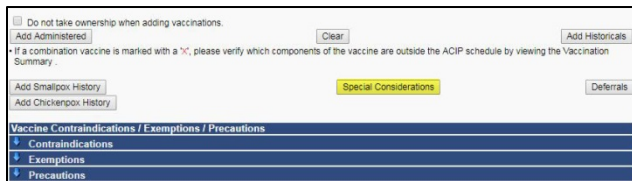
Contraindications are added to patient records to indicate permanent or temporary exemptions for vaccinations. Deferrals are added for temporary deferrals for vaccinations for reasons such as a current temporary illness or a vaccine shortage.

Add a Contraindication

1. Log in and click the **Patient > Search/Add** menu link.



2. Enter the search criteria for the patient and click **Search** (or press Enter). The search results display with sortable columns.
3. Locate the patient in the list and click on the row to view and/or edit the patient's demographic information.
4. Click the **Vaccinations > View/Add** menu link.
5. On the Vaccination View/Add page, click the **Special Considerations** button.



6. Enter information for at least the required fields.

- If not populated, select the facility where the contraindication was documented. (A)
- Select the vaccine indicated for contraindication. (B)

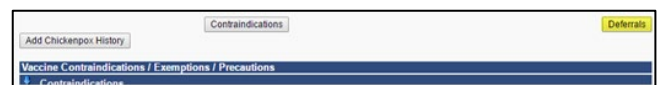
- Select the appropriate contraindication. Possible options include immunity based on testing, patient/parent refusal, previous reactions, etc. (C)
 - If the contraindication is permanent, select the Permanent option. (D)
 - If applicable, enter the Month/Year of the disease (for a history of Varicella infection, for example). (E)
 - If applicable, enter the patient's age at the time of the disease. (F)
7. Click the **Save** button to save and record the information to the patient's record.
 8. To delete a contraindication from a record, click the **Delete** button next to the contraindication on the Vaccination View/Add page.

Vaccine Contraindications / Exemptions / Precautions			
Vaccine	Contraindication	Permanent	Disease Date
varicella	History of Varicella Infection	Y	01/01/1979

NOTE: Only the organization/facility that entered the contraindication can delete a contraindication. When a user from another organization/facility views the contraindication, they see the organization/facility number for the organization or facility that entered the data, without comments.

Add a Deferral

1. After selecting the patient, click the **Vaccinations > View/Add** menu link.
2. On the Vaccination View/Add page, click the **Deferrals** button.



3. Enter at least the required information.

- Select the vaccine from the drop-down list. (A)
- Enter the dose number (i.e., 1, 2, 3). (B)
- Optional: Select the reason for the deferral from the drop-down list. (C)
- Optional: Enter the start date. For example, if the reason is a temporary illness, enter the date of the onset of illness. (D)
- Optional: Enter the end date. For example, the anticipated end date for the deferral. (E)

4. Click **Save**.
5. To delete a deferral from a record, click the **Deferral** button on the record. On the Vaccine Deferrals page that opens, click the **Delete** button corresponding to the deferral. Note that Client users can delete deferrals regardless of the organization/facility that entered the deferral.

Vaccine Deferrals				
Vaccine	Dose	Reason	Start Date	End Date
DTP	1	Temporary Acute Illness	09/15/2016	09/22/2016

Add Chickenpox History

Add chickenpox history by clicking the **Add Chickenpox History** button at the bottom of the Vaccination View/Add page. The word *History* displays in red next to Varicella on the record, and the forecast updates accordingly.

The screenshot shows a form for adding a vaccine. At the bottom, the 'Add Chickenpox History' button is highlighted with a red box and a yellow callout bubble containing the number 1. Other buttons visible include 'Add Administered', 'Clear', 'Add Historicals', 'Contraindications', and 'Deferrals'.