DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES Public Health Service

Centers for Disease Control
and Prevention (CDC)
Atlanta, GA 30341-3724

February 6th, 2008

Dear Public Health Provider,

This letter is to notify you that all lots of Dryvax® smallpox vaccine will expire on February 29, 2008 and should no longer be used after that date.

After this date, you must immediately cease using any Dryvax® and destroy the product on site. Please use this letter (see below) to provide written documentation of this destruction to the CDC Drug Service. Disposal of the vaccine must be carried out within 30 days of the expiration date (February 29, 2008) in accordance with the current CDC Policy on Unused Smallpox Vaccine, found at: http://www.bt.cdc.gov/agent/smallpox/vaccination/unusedvaccinepolicy.asp

COMPLETE THIS SHEET AND RETURN TO THE CDC DRUG SERVICE BY EITHER FAX (404-639-3717) OR SCAN & EMAIL TO DRUGSERVICE@CDC.GOV

Facility Name					
Address		**City**			
Telephone	( )	**State**		**ZIP**	
# vials currently in inventory		**# vials destroyed**			
DATE DESTROYED					

Check method of disposal used:
- ☐ Autoclave
- ☐ Incineration
- ☐ Other; please explain _____

I, _____, _____ *verify that all Dryvax® (vaccinia vaccine) in our possession has been destroyed.*
(printed name) (title/position)

SIGNATURE _____**DATE**_____

Thank you for your assistance in this matter. Any questions regarding Dryvax or its destruction may be directed to the CDC Drug Service at 404-639-3670.