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Dear Valued Client,

We are writing to inform you of the latest CDC guidelines regarding the timing of the COVID-19 vaccine administration as it relates to receiving other vaccinations and/or performing post-offer /annual TB surveillance testing. The CDC advises that additional vaccinations should not be given within 2 weeks prior to receiving the 1st COVID vaccine or 2 weeks after the 2nd COVID vaccine has been given. The CDC also recommends delaying PPDs or drawing IGRA blood tests for at least 4 weeks after the second COVID vaccination. In certain situations such as receiving a tetanus shot for a laceration, the benefit of giving a vaccine may outweigh the risk of observing the 2 week window. Otherwise, WORKNET providers will observe the 2 week/4 week window recommendation. We understand that these changes may cause some challenges for your business, but we are dedicated to working with you through out this process.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions or concerns.

Sincerely,

The WORKNET Team

<https://www.cdc.gov/tb/publications/letters/covid19-mrna.html>

<https://scdhec.gov/covid19/covid-19-vaccine/covid-19-vaccine-faqs>

CDC recommendation and not an IU directive.