

## Refugee Health Program Guidelines Summary Sheet-Haiti

### Services

- Screening for communicable diseases,
- General physical assessment,
- Immunizations (adults and children),
- Additional screenings based on medical history and risk factors.

### Eligibility

There are several immigration statuses eligible for medical services through the Refugee Health Program including:

- Haitian entrants/parolees in accordance with requirements in 45 CFR part 401,
- Unaccompanied Refugee and Alien Minors.

### Time limits

- The initial health assessment needs to be completed within 90 days of arrival in the U.S.
- No reimbursement time limit exists for completion of an immunization series that began within the eight months after arrival. (The client must have received the initial health assessment within 90 days of arrival, in order for the CHD to receive reimbursement for immunizations).

### Documentation

**A copy of the I-94 card (or other document verifying immigration status) must be included in the client record. A photo of the client should also be included in the client record.**

### Reimbursement

Refugee health assessment forms (invoices) shall be completed for each client and should be submitted (hardcopy or electronic) to the Refugee Health Program within one month of the date services were provided. Exceptions will be made pending confirmatory testing and the receipt of lab results.

All confidential information should be sent via traceable mail (i.e.USPS or FedEx) to: **Florida Department of Health, Bureau of TB & Refugee Health, 2585 Merchants Row Boulevard, Suite 240, Tallahassee, FL 32399-0700.**

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