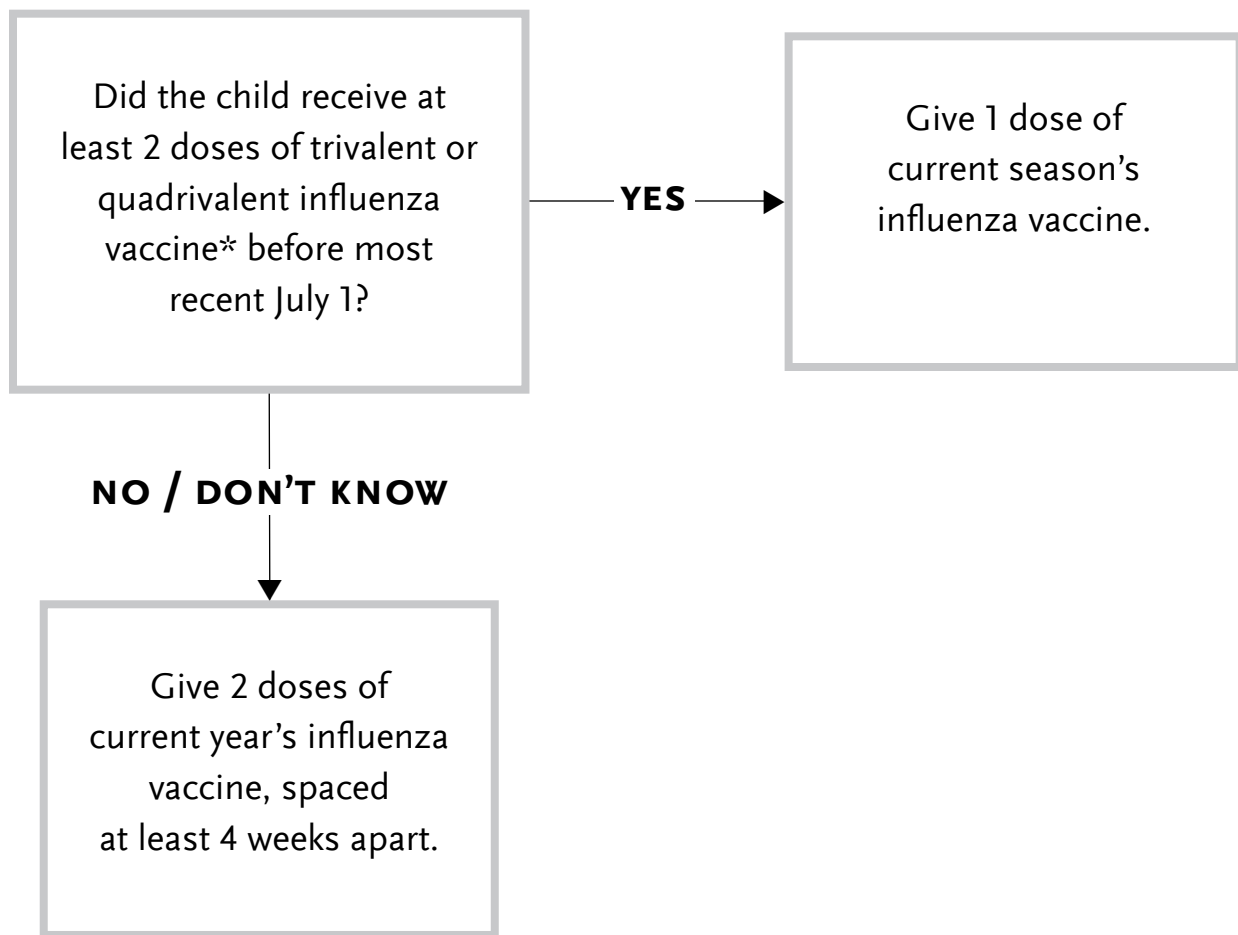


# Guide for Determining the Number of Doses of Influenza Vaccine to Give to Children Age 6 Months Through 8 Years



\* The two doses need not have been received during the same season or consecutive seasons.

**NOTES:**

- The two doses can both be inactivated influenza vaccine (IIV), or, for children age 2 through 8 years who have no contraindications to live attenuated influenza vaccine (LAIV), can both be LAIV, or alternatively, 1 dose of IIV and 1 dose of LAIV.
- Administer a second dose to a 9-year-old child who received their first dose in the current season when they were age 8 years, if they haven't or don't know if they have received 2 doses in prior years.

**REFERENCE**

Adapted from CDC. "Prevention and Control of Seasonal Influenza with Vaccines: Recommendations of the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices – United States, . . ." Access links to current ACIP recommendations at [www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/flu.html](http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/acip-recs/vacc-specific/flu.html).