

Press Release

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National Influenza Vaccination Week December 5-11, 2010

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Franklin, NH — National Influenza Vaccination Week (NIVW) is a national observance that was established to highlight the importance of continuing influenza vaccination into January and beyond. To support this national observance, The Caring Community Network of the Twin Rivers in partnership with the New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services Immunization Program is proud to be donating the book The Flu and You by Gerri Rodda, RN, to all daycares, public libraries, elementary/middle school libraries, and pediatric/family practice clinics in the Franklin-Bristol Public Health Region, consisting of the towns of Alexandria, Andover, Bridgewater, Bristol, Danbury, Franklin, Groton, Hebron, Hill, New Hampton, Northfield, Salisbury, and Sanbornton.

The Flu and You is a wonderfully illustrated and educational book that not only highlights the importance of influenza vaccination, but also offers readers other techniques to prevent the spread of flu.

The Caring Community Network of the Twin Rivers would like to remind you that everyone over the age of 6 months should get a influenza vaccination – It's not too late! There is plenty of vaccine available and clinics are still occurring throughout the region. Healthcare offices, physicians, visiting nurse associations, and pharmacies are also providing vaccine.

For assistance in finding vaccine near you, please call Maren Bicknell, Immunization Outreach Coordinator, CCNTR at 934-0177 x162.



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