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Dear C.A.A.C. Patients:

It is now mid November, and we have not yet received our seasonal influenza vaccine order that was placed in March 2009.

We have been in contact with the vaccine distributor, and it is now apparent that they will not honor our order.

We have tried to find vaccine from other distributors but have not been able to acquire anywhere near enough for our needs.

It is with regret that we tell you that Connecticut Asthma & Allergy will not be able to promise or likely provide adequate seasonal influenza vaccinations this flu year, 2009-2010. If you have waited for us to acquire the vaccine, we apologize for the inconvenience.

For our patients who have not yet received the seasonal flu vaccine, we would suggest that you check with your primary care physician for vaccination. You may also check the website of the American Lung Association, <http://www.flucliniclocator.org> for seasonal influenza vaccination clinics in your area.

For those individuals who have waited for a thimerosal-free vaccine, we were unable to get this order filled as well.

Please understand that our inability to obtain the seasonal flu vaccine this year was not our fault. Our order from March was not honored.

We hope that you will be able to obtain your seasonal flu shot.

We remain,

Sincerely yours,

The Partners at Connecticut Asthma & Allergy