



Assessment for JEV vaccine eligibility (Immunisation Provider to complete)		
Practice Name:	Phone number:	
Patient initials:	DOB:	
Eligibility Criteria (tick applicable criteria): <b>The patient must meet one of the criteria below</b>		
<b>Does this patient meet the priority group eligibility for a government funded JEV vaccine?</b> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Involvement with piggeries/pork industry as per one of the following categories: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Works or resides at, or has a planned, non-deferable visit to a piggery, including but not limited to farm workers and their families (including children aged 2 months and older) living at the piggery,</li> <li>transport workers who transport pigs to piggeries, veterinarians and others involved in the care of pigs at piggeries,</li> <li>Works at, or has a planned, non-deferable visit to a pork abattoir or pork rendering plant.</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <input type="checkbox"/> Works directly with mosquitoes through their surveillance (field or laboratory based) or control and management, and indirectly through management of vertebrate mosquito-borne disease surveillance systems (e.g., sentinel animals) such as: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>environmental health officers and workers (urban and remote)</li> <li>entomologists or other personnel who work directly with mosquitoes</li> </ul> <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <input type="checkbox"/> All diagnostic and research laboratory workers who may be exposed to the virus, such as persons working with JEV cultures or mosquitoes with the potential to transmit JEV; as per the Australian Immunisation Handbook. <p style="text-align: center;">OR</p> <input type="checkbox"/> People who are engaged in the prolonged outdoor recovery efforts (clean up) of stagnant waters following floods (as a volunteer or through work related to flood response efforts) in any of the affected local government areas in NSW or Victoria. <i>Affected LGAs in NSW and Victoria can be found:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NSW: <a href="https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/jev/Pages/vaccination.aspx#eligible">https://www.health.nsw.gov.au/Infectious/jev/Pages/vaccination.aspx#eligible</a></li> <li>Victoria: <a href="https://www.health.vic.gov.au/infectious-diseases/japanese-encephalitis-virus#vaccination">https://www.health.vic.gov.au/infectious-diseases/japanese-encephalitis-virus#vaccination</a></li> </ul>		
Review the <a href="#">Australian Immunisation Handbook</a> and information available on the <a href="#">Australian Government Department of Health</a> website regarding JEV vaccine including for people who are immunocompromised, doses for children, route of administration, contraindications, precautions and booster dose recommendations.		
<b>Vaccine Required:</b>	Imojev <input type="checkbox"/>	JEspect (IXIARO may be supplied) <input type="checkbox"/>
Is this vaccine for a:	Primary Course <input type="checkbox"/>	Booster dose <input type="checkbox"/>
<b>If requesting JEspect, please provide a reason for requesting this vaccine:</b>		
Patient is pregnant <input type="checkbox"/>	Patient is immunocompromised <input type="checkbox"/>	
Patient is ≥ 2 months and < 9 months of age <input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	
Number of doses required for this patient (JEspect only):	1 <input type="checkbox"/>	2 <input type="checkbox"/>
Clinician Name:	Clinician Signature:	Date:
Please return this form to <a href="mailto:immunisation@act.gov.au">immunisation@act.gov.au</a> or fax on 5124 9307 once complete.		
<b>Office use only</b>	Date:	Comments:
Vaccine approved	By:	
Date delivered to practice:	Dose 1:	Dose 2 (if applicable):
information added to spreadsheet:	<input type="checkbox"/>	

For any enquires relating to this form please contact the Immunisation unit on 5124 9800 or email [Immunisation@act.gov.au](mailto:Immunisation@act.gov.au)

## Instructions for completion of JEV Form

Japanese encephalitis virus (JEV) vaccine is being provided for eligible people only, who meet priority groups for JEV vaccination. Please ensure that you are completing the latest version of this form with up-to-date priority groups, which is available from this link: <https://health.act.gov.au/jev>

For information about choice of JEV vaccine, doses for children, route of administration, precautions, contraindications, and booster dose recommendations please refer to:

- [Australian Immunisation Handbook](#); and
- [JEV vaccines](#) information on the Australian Department of Health website

### General Practitioners:

If a patient requests JEV vaccination, assess whether the patient is eligible to receive government funded JEV vaccine, as per the current priority groups. If eligible:

- Complete assessment for JEV vaccine eligibility and return it to [immunisation@act.gov.au](mailto:immunisation@act.gov.au) or fax on 5124 9307.
- The Health Protection Service Immunisation Unit will organise delivery of the vaccine to your practice within two working days. Delivery will only occur between 9am and 5pm Monday to Friday (excluding public holidays). Please allow for this when booking a follow-up appointment for vaccine administration. Should there be any issues with delivery, the Immunisation Unit will advise your practice of this.
- The vaccine will be in a clear see-through bag, with the order form attached.

For more information, please see:

- Australian Government Department of Health – JEV vaccines: <https://www.health.gov.au/health-alerts/japanese-encephalitis-virus-jev/vaccines>
- ACT Health JEV webpage: <https://health.act.gov.au/jev>
- Australian Immunisation Handbook – vaccination for people who are immunocompromised: <https://immunisationhandbook.health.gov.au/vaccination-for-special-riskgroups/vaccination-for-people-who-are-immunocompromise>