

Stability of *Boostrix* When Stored Above Recommended Temperatures

Summary

- *Boostrix* (Tetanus Toxoid, Reduced Diphtheria Toxoid and Acellular Pertussis Vaccine, Adsorbed) should be stored at temperatures ranging between 2°C and 8°C (36°F-46°F).¹
- From the time the vaccine arrives at the healthcare professional's (HCP) facility/pharmacy until it is administered, a maximum cumulative time of 168 hours is permitted for the vaccine to be at temperatures above 8°C through 25°C (above 46°F through 77°F).² The stability information provided here does not apply to temperature excursions that may occur during shipping and/or transportation before arrival at the HCP facility/pharmacy.
- If these conditions are met, the expiry date on the vaccine's label or packaging still applies.
- Important safety information is found in the Prescribing Information

Some information contained in this response may be outside the approved Prescribing Information. This response is not intended to offer recommendations for administering in a manner inconsistent with its approved labeling.

In order for GlaxoSmithKline to monitor the safety of our products, we encourage healthcare professionals to report adverse events or suspected overdoses to the company at 888-825-5249. Please consult the attached Prescribing Information.

This response was developed according to the principles of evidence-based medicine and, therefore, references may not be all-inclusive.

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REFERENCES

1. Prescribing Information for *Boostrix*.
2. Data on File. TD_BOOST_RV01.