



To the Canadian Immunocompromised Advocacy Network



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Dear partners,

At Sanofi we understand that the Nuvaxovid® vaccine represents a valuable option to prevent Covid-19 for all Canadians over 12 years old, and in some cases the only option, for those individuals who are unable to benefit from current mRNA-based vaccines. We know that Canadians are very hopeful that Nuvaxovid® will soon be available to them. We would like to outline the status of Nuvaxovid® in Canada and how Sanofi is working to make it available to you.

As of October 2025:

- We are in the process of transitioning the management of Nuvaxovid® from Novavax to Sanofi in Canada. We are working to accelerate this transition process and expect it to be completed by April 2026.
- In July 2025, Novavax received Notice of Compliance from Health Canada / Biologic and Radiopharmaceutical Drugs Directorate (BRDD) for the updated format of Nuvaxovid® Prefilled Syringe with a six-month shelf life.
- Some countries received approval before Canada and had contractual obligations in place with Novavax. Fulfilling existing obligations for the 2025/2026 respiratory season is a priority for Novavax.
- As a result, Sanofi is not able to bring Nuvaxovid® to Canada for the 2025 respiratory season.
- We are working with healthcare stakeholders at the federal and provincial level to identify needs for Nuvaxovid® in the upcoming 2026/2027 season and working towards making it available at that time.

Use of US Label in Canada

- Bringing US-labeled vaccine doses into Canada is currently not an option available to Sanofi.
- In 2022, as part of Canada's pandemic strategy, Health Canada allowed Novavax to import US-labeled Nuvaxovid® into Canada. However, that exemption was for a limited time and has since expired.

Moving forward, Sanofi will provide the Canadian Immunocompromised Advocacy Network and its members with updated information regarding the availability of Nuvaxovid® in Canada as the information becomes available.

Best regards

The Sanofi team in Canada