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The United Family's pharmacy teams gear up for World Immunization Week

LUBBOCK, Texas — The United Family's pharmacy teams gear up as the end of April marks World Immunization Week (April 24-30), a CDC-supported initiative promoting the importance of vaccination in helping protect our communities from vaccine-preventable diseases.

Over the past few years, The United Family's pharmacy teams have become an integral part of the healthcare landscape across their communities. Too often, there are guests across those communities who do not have immediate access to a physician or clinic. So, from flu shots to the RSV vaccine, pharmacy teams have filled that gap and helped thousands across their communities stay well through accessible vaccinations.

"Vaccines are one of the most powerful tools we have to keep ourselves well," said Tim Purser, director of pharmacy for The United Family. "They are proven to reduce the severity of several diseases and offer people a chance to take preventative action to stay well before they get sick. We are so proud of the work our pharmacy teams have done over the last few years. They have answered the call time and time again to help keep their communities well."

Vaccination appointments can be scheduled by appointment or walk-in, with most locations offering evening and weekend time slots. Guests can also schedule multiple immunizations at once if needed. Follow [this link](#) for the online vaccine appointment scheduler.

In honor of World Immunization Week, for every vaccination received at a United Family pharmacy, guests will be issued a coupon eligible for 10 percent off their next grocery purchase up to \$200, and access to a free digital vaccine record.

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