

FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION (FDA)
Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (CBER)
Vaccines and Related Biological Products Advisory Committee (VRBPAC)
Meeting
October 1, 2026
DRAFT AGENDA

Topic: To discuss strain selection for influenza virus vaccines for the 2027 Southern Hemisphere influenza season and provide recommendations.

EST Time	Presentation/Presenter
9:00 a.m.	<u>Opening Remarks: Call to Order and Welcome (5 min)</u> Anna Durbin, MD, Acting Chairperson, VRBPAC <u>Administrative Announcements, Roll Call, Introduction of Committee, Conflict of Interest Statement (15 min)</u> LCDR Cicely C. Reese, PharmD, US Public Health Service Designated Federal Officer, VRBPAC Advisory Committee Oversight Management Staff
9:20 a.m.	<u>Introduction to Seasonal Influenza Vaccine Strain Selection Southern Hemisphere 2027 (15 min total including Q&A)</u> Jerry Weir, PhD (10 min) Director, Division of Viral Products, OVRP, CBER, FDA Q&A: 5 Min
9:35 a.m.	<u>CDC: Global Seasonal Influenza Virus Surveillance and Characterization (60 min total including Q&A)</u> Rebecca G. Kondor, PhD (45 min) Influenza Division National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Q&A: 15 min
10:35 a.m.	Break (30 min)
11:05 a.m.	<u>Open Public Hearing (60 min)</u>
12:05 p.m.	<u>Committee Discussion, Recommendations, and Voting (55 min)</u>
1:00 p.m.	Closing Remarks and Adjournment