

# INFORMATION SHEET



## How to become a registered Q Fever Vaccination Provider

### Step 1: Training

#### Australian College of Rural & Remote Medicine (ACRRM)

An accredited '[Q fever – early diagnosis and vaccination](http://www.acrrm.org.au/home)' education module (worth 2 CPD points) is available online at ACRRM website: <http://www.acrrm.org.au/home> (search 'q fever' in the search bar)

The module is available for free to all ACRRM members and RRMEQ subscribers.

NSW GPs can access the module at no cost courtesy of Health Protection NSW by using the campaign code 'NSWGP18'. The number of funded places is limited. Cost for non-funded places is \$95.

#### Seqirus

Seqirus provides an online training session at this website: [www.qfeverfacts.com.au](http://www.qfeverfacts.com.au)

- Login as a Health Care Professional (top right hand side)

**Username:** QVAXHCP

**Password:** QFever

*\*Please note that user name and password are case sensitive and must be entered as they are written.*

Choose the topics on the left hand side to learn more about Q fever. There are also guides and brochures can be downloaded under "**Q fever clinical resources**". For Q fever pre-screening and immunisation record cards or copies of the resources, please contact Seqirus Pty Ltd on +61 3 9389 2000.

### Step 2: Register with the Q Fever Register

Go to the Australian Q Fever Register website: [www.qfever.org](http://www.qfever.org), on top right hand, click "Forms".

There are two forms that must be completed to become a Registered User:

- Application for an Organisation to Access the Register** - This form is completed once for each organisation (medical practice or abattoir etc.) wishing to submit data to, or query data from the Register.
- Individual User Registration Form** - This form is to be filled in by each individual staff member within the organisation who will actually be doing the work i.e. accessing and using the Register (e.g. GP and possibly Practice Manager).

Complete the forms and send to the Register.

### Step 3: List your practice as a vaccination provider on the Q Fever Register (Optional)

Go to the Australian Q Fever Register website: [www.qfever.org](http://www.qfever.org), on top right hand, click "Forms".

Under "Forms for practices that wish to be listed as a vaccine provider on the Register website", download the form "Application Form to be listed as a Q Fever Vaccination". Provider to complete the form and send it to the Q Fever Register.

Once processed, the GP and practice should be listed on the Register. To check, go to The Q fever register: [www.qfever.org](http://www.qfever.org), click "Find a Vaccinator", choose a State and enter a postcode to search.

### Step 4: Order Vaccines

The Q Fever vaccine (Q-VAX) and skin test are available in Australia through the private market. Central and Eastern Sydney PHN does not endorse any vaccine suppliers.

### Contacts and Links

**Australian Q Fever Register:** <https://www.qfever.org/>

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| Help-Line: | 1300 QFEVER (1300 733 837)<br>(02) 6228 6210 (if calling from a mobile)<br><b>Help-line hours</b><br>Monday to Thursday: 8:30 am to 4.30 pm<br>Friday: 8:30 am to 4:00 pm<br>All times based on Australian Eastern Standard Time (ACT) |
| Fax:       | (02) 6228 6299   |
| E-mail:    | <a href="mailto:register@qfever.org">register@qfever.org</a>   |

**Public Health Units: call 1300 066 055 (NSW)**

[Australian Immunisation Handbook - chapter on Q fever](#)

[Q Fever Facts \(Seqirus\)](#)