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BOARD NOTICE

The Board would like to pass along this notice concerning a request brought to the Board at our regular meeting of March 21st, 2018. A request was made on the types of immunizations a pharmacist may administer, specifically combination products containing more than one of the approved vaccines currently available for pharmacists to administer. Hepatitis A and Hepatitis B(recombinant) vaccines are available as a combination product Twinrix®. The Board has reviewed this request and approved this vaccine for pharmacist administration. Until a CDC Vaccine Information Sheet is available specifically for Twinrix® the Board requests that an VIS sheet for both Hepatitis A and Hepatitis B (recombinant) vaccines be given to the patient along with necessary counseling on the vaccination.

For more information on Twinrix® contact:

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By Order of the Board,

Michael D. Bullek, BSP, R.Ph. Administrator / Chief of Compliance