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Synagis Update 2009-10 RSV Season

There is a new Numbered Letter 04-0509 (<http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs/Documents/ccsnl040509.pdf>) this year for Synagis policy, and the Synagis Calculator (<http://www.dhcs.ca.gov/services/ccs/cmsnet/Documents/synagiscalculator.xls>) has been updated for a maximum of 5 doses. Except for changes to the maximum number of doses, there is no change to the method for authorizing Synagis for the 2009-10 RSV season. "This Computes! #179 Revised" has been updated to reference the new Numbered Letter and continues to be the guidance for Synagis authorizations.