

## Vaccine Tips

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## Digital Data Loggers (DDLs) help protect vaccines.

## Are you doing your part?

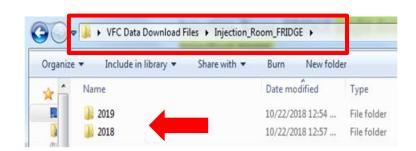
✓ Configure alarm settings for the temperature scale used to monitor temperatures (Celsius/Fahrenheit).

Settings	Refrigerator	Freezer
LO	35.9°F (1.9°C)	-58.1°F (-50.1°C)
НІ	46.1°F (8.1°C)	+5.1°F (-14.9°C)

- ✓ Turn on alarms so you know if the temp goes too low or too high.
- ✓ Take immediate action if an alarm goes off.
- ✓ Document all temperature excursions in SHOTS.
- ✓ Make sure your data logger is plugged-in and recording temperatures after each download.



- ✓ Have a battery operated DDL for monitoring temperatures during transport.
- ✓ Make sure every DDL has a valid & current Certificate of Calibration.
- ✓ Keep VFC-related temperature documentation, including temperature logs, electronic data logger files and DDL Certificates of Calibration, for three years.



## **Review Monitoring Storage Unit Temperatures in the POM**



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