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IMMUNIZATION POLICY

To all Health Professions Fall 2020 Student and Health Professions Staff:

This information sheet is provided to assist you and your health provider with all the requirements that are now needed for all Health Professions students and Health Professions staff. Hopefully, this notice may clear up any questions you or your provider may have.

The attached forms must be completed and returned to the Health Services Office **no later than Thursday, August 6th, 2020 for the FALL 2020** semester. It is understood if only first dose of a series is being submitted. Please return **ALL** your forms at one time following directions from your acceptance packet.

Our clinical affiliate hospitals have imposed effectively immediately, the following requirements that affect all Nursing Students, Health Professions and Health Professions staff.

1. A recent physical form needs to be filled out by your provider. The physical form cannot be older than 6 months.

2. All Nursing, Health Professions students and Health Professions staff are required to have titers drawn for Measles (Rubeola), Mumps, Rubella, Varicella and Hepatitis B surface antibody. Laboratory reports must be attached. If the test/titer is negative you must be revaccinated.

3. Meningococcal at age 11 yrs. old -18 yrs. old 2 doses or at age 19 yrs. old-30 yrs. old 1 dose

4. If Hepatitis B Surface Antibody blood titer is negative and you have proof that you did receive the vaccine, you can sign a declination (attached) if you want, but you must submit the three dates in the appropriate area as requested.

5. A recent Tdap vaccine. (Please note that a TD, or Dtap is not in compliance.)

6. Tuberculosis TB screening must be a 2-step for first year students, or a Quantiferon Gold blood test or Spot Blood test. Copy of titer must be attached. (Form is attached for 2-step.)

7. **Drug screening (A form is attached with specific requirements and time frame of when it should be completed by.) Not following the specific dates may affect your externship.**

8. Copy of Health/Medical Insurance Company/Group card. (If you do not have health insurance, you can purchase a limited policy thru the Bursar's office Room L 127. Please contact the Bursar's office Room L127 for more information)

9. Flu vaccination documentation must be submitted in accordance with flu season **Oct 1, 2020 for Fall admission**