



Flu Vaccination Pre-Registration

Q & A

I have not attended a North Central District Health Dept (NCDHD) sponsored flu vaccination clinic in the past. Will I be able to get vaccinated at a NCDHD clinic this year?

Yes.

I have never received an influenza vaccine, should I get one?

Yes, everyone 6 months of age and older should get a flu vaccine every season.

Will it be safe to get a vaccination due to COVID-19?

Our clinics will be run with patient safety as our top priority. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic our current plan is to offer walk-up outside vaccination where possible.

What types of flu vaccine will you have?

We will offer the FluLaval & Flucelvax Quadrivalent vaccine for those ages 4 thru 64 and the Fluzone high dose for those 65 +.

Will you be vaccinating all age groups?

No. We will not be vaccinating children under 4 years of age at our clinics. Parents with children under 4 years of age should contact their pediatrician.

When will the Flu vaccine be available?

NCDHD anticipates starting vaccinations mid to late September (high dose late Sept. early Oct.)

Where do I need to reside to pre-register for a flu shot?

Anywhere in Connecticut.

Is pre-registration required?

Yes.

I want to pre-register, however I may decide to get a vaccination from another source ex. (Physician's office, Pharmacy); Is that OK?

Yes. Pre-registration with NCDHD does not commit you to our clinic. Please inform us if you have changed your mind.

Can I fill out one pre-registration consent form for my entire family?

No. Each person receiving a vaccination needs their own form.

Do I need my parent or legal guardian to be present when I receive my vaccine?

Yes, if you are under 18 years old.

May a grandparent, friend etc. bring me to a vaccination site if my parent or legal guardian is not available and I am under 18 years old?

No. A parent or legal guardian must be present.

How will I be notified when I can get vaccinated? When and where will I go?

We will use pre-registration responses and other variable to best determine vaccination scheduling and location(s). You will be notified via phone call and/or email as to when and where pre-registered individuals/families can get vaccinated.

What Insurance will NCDHD accept?

- Aetna
- Anthem
- Cigna
- CTCare
- HarvardPilgrim
- Husky
- Medicare Part B
- Medicare if insurance if through an insurance we accept
- United Healthcare (Medicare Only)

If you have other insurance, you should contact another provider or your primary care office or if you are over the age of 18, the fee for the standard dose is \$25.00, the high dose is \$55.00.

If you do not have insurance and this vaccine is for someone between 4-18 years of age, please contact the NCDHD office.

No child will be refused if they currently do not have the ability to pay.

Questions?

Please direct all inquires to our Public Health Nurse, Tricia Sedelow:

tsedelow@ncdhd.org or call 860-745-0383

If you leave a message please include name, number and best time you can be reached.

Thank You

Patrice A Sulik, MPH, RS – Director of Health