

INFORMATION OF REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS 2017-2018

University of Pittsburgh School of Medicine requires completion of the **AAMC Standardized Immunization Form** for all visiting student applicants.

UPSOM **additionally** requires documentation of childhood DPT or DTaP vaccination series –this may be included in the Additional Information box on page 3 or be attached to the AAMC form.

Do not send personal health records.

In general, this is what is required:

- Measles (2 doses), Mumps (2 doses), and Rubella (1 dose). Or the combined MMR vaccine (2 doses). We may accept titers showing immunity if immunization records are not available.
- Varicella (2 doses) or titer showing immunity
- Hepatitis B (vaccination dates AND a quantitative titer showing immunity)
- Childhood DPT or DTaP (Provide all dates of the complete series). If these records are not available, make-up dosing requirements are found in your application's immunization form.
- Tdap Adult (1 dose within the 10 years of the dates of the elective)
- TB screening result from within one year of the dates of the elective. Either PPD or Quantiferon Gold is accepted. If you have tested positive for TB, you must submit documentation of a clear chest x-ray (analytical result, not the actual film) within the past one year.

FLU SHOT POLICY:

Students rotating during flu season must submit current flu shot documentation by email at least 2 weeks before their start date.

Flu season months are established annually by UPMC, and announced during the summer. We will notify all accepted students by email if their visit dates require flu shot documentation. Except in the case of pre-approved medical or religious exemption, compliance is mandatory. If you need to request an exemption, contact visiting@medschool.pitt.edu as early as possible after you are officially accepted.

Still have questions? Need help?
Contact the Office of Student Affairs Visiting Student Coordinator at:
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