

UMSL Immunization/TB Screening Requirements

Please read carefully. Failure to complete as instructed could result in second semester class registration delays.

For questions on completion, please call (314) 516-5671.

Part I is mandatory for all students. Parts II and III are mandatory for students as indicated. Send immunization documents directly to the University of Missouri-St. Louis at the address below. Please do not return immunization documents with materials being sent to other university departments.

**University Health Services
University of Missouri- St. Louis
131 Millennium Student Center
One University Blvd.
St. Louis, Mo 63121
-or-
Fax to: (314) 516-5988**

Name: _____	Student ID#: _____
Last First MI	
Address: _____	
Phone #: _____ Date of Birth: Month ___ Day ___ Year ___	
E-Mail Address: _____	

Instructions:

Obtain copies of your immunization records and attach to this form. **Students should retain original documents.** Examples of acceptable documents include:

- Copies of personal immunization records (“baby book”)
- Copies of physician office or Health Department immunization records
- Copies of high school or previous college immunization records
- Copies of military immunization records

Part I	Measles, Mumps, Rubella	Required for all students
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The University of Missouri-St. Louis requires that all newly enrolled or readmitted students born after December 31, 1956 must comply with the two-dose Measles Immunization Policy. If a second immunization is needed, it must be the combined MMR vaccine.

Requirement:

2 doses of MMR vaccine. The first dose must have been given at age 12 months or later. The second dose must have been given at least one month after the first one.

OR

1 dose of MMR vaccine AND 1 dose of rubeola at 12 months of age or later. The second dose must have been given at least one month after the first dose.

OR

Titer (blood test) results proving immunity to measles (rubeola), mumps and rubella. Documentation is required.

Part II	Meningococcal Vaccine	Required for students living in residence halls
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Missouri legislation requires students in university housing to either 1) show documentation of meningococcal vaccine **or** 2) sign a waiver that indicates they have been provided educational materials but have chosen not to receive the vaccine at this time. The waiver form may be downloaded and printed from: http://www.umsl.edu/services/health/pdfs/meng_vac_waiver.pdf

Part III	Tuberculosis (TB) Screening	Completion is required for all students in any of the following categories.
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A. Check any that apply:

- From or have lived for two months or more in Asia, Africa, Central or South America or Eastern Europe.
- Have been diagnosed with a chronic medical condition that may impair your immune system.
- A health care worker.
- A volunteer or employee of a nursing home, prison or other residential institution.
- Contact with a person known to have active tuberculosis.
- None of the above apply.

**B. If any of the above do apply, TB Screening is required.
Call Health Services at (314) 516-5671 for appointment.**

OR

Provide documentation from health care provider treatment

of active TB disease.

Part IV Immunizations recommended, but not required, for all University students.
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- **Tetanus/Diphtheria** administered within the past 10 years.
- **Hepatitis B series** (3 doses). Even if incomplete, provide dates of any doses received.
- **Influenza vaccine.** Available each fall and advisable for all students but in particular those with asthma or other chronic illnesses.
- **Varicella (chicken pox).** No vaccine is needed if there is a good history of natural infection. If history is questionable, a blood test can be done to determine immune status. If history of chicken pox infection, indicate approximate: Month_____ Year_____

If any of these immunizations have been received please send a copy of your record.

IMMUNIZATIONS

University Health Services provides students with routine immunizations. Most immunizations are available at low prices to students. Many people think “shots” or immunizations are just for kids. They’re not! As a college student, you need to be protected against measles, mumps, rubella, tetanus, diphtheria, polio, varicella (chickenpox), Hepatitis B, and influenza (flu). Depending on your risk factors, you may also need protection against Hepatitis A, influenza, pneumococcal pneumonia and meningococcal meningitis.

Many people think diseases like measles have been wiped out. This is not true. During 1995, at least 39% of all reported measles cases in the United States occurred in people 20 years or older.

The following vaccinations are recommended but not required.

- Hepatitis B
- Influenza (Flu)
- Tetanus/Diphtheria
- Meningitis (see special requirements for students living in university housing)
- Polio
- Varicella (Chicken Pox)

IMMUNIZATION POLICY

MMR

The University of Missouri St. Louis, in accordance with Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines, requires that all newly enrolled or readmitted students born after December 31, 1956 must comply with the two dose Measles Immunization Policy. If a second immunization is needed, it must be the combined MMR vaccine.

***Requirements:**

2 doses of MMR vaccine. The first dose must have been given at age 12 months or later. The second dose must have been given at least one month after the first one.

Or

1 dose of MMR vaccine AND 1 dose of Rubeola at 12 months of age or later.

Or

Titer (blood test) results proving immunity to measles (rubeola), mumps and rubella. Documentation is required.

*Students may request a waiver for medical or religious reasons with documented proof. For information call 516-5671.

TUBERCULOSIS (TB) SCREENING

The University of Missouri-St. Louis requires that newly enrolled or readmitted students, where the following situations exist, comply with Tuberculosis (TB) screening, or provide documentation (by a health care provider) of prior treatment of active TB disease.

- You are from or have lived for two months or more in Asia, Africa, Central or South America or Eastern Europe.
- You have been diagnosed with a chronic medical condition that may impair your immune system.
- You are a health care worker.
- You are a volunteer or employee of a nursing home, prison or other residential institution.

If any of the above apply, the following is **required**:

Screening: Call University Health Services at (314) 516-5671 to schedule an appointment for screening. Chest x-rays will be required for anyone with a positive skin test.

OR

Provide documentation of TB screening (PPD Mantoux skin test read in millimeters of induration) done in the U.S. within the past 12 months.

OR

Provide documentation by a health care provider of prior treatment of active TB disease.

MENINGITIS

Missouri legislation requires residential students to either 1) show documentation of meningococcal vaccine **or** 2) sign a waiver that indicates they have been provided educational materials but have chosen not to receive the vaccine at this time. To obtain the waiver for meningococcal vaccine, the pdf may be downloaded and printed from: http://www.umsl.edu/services/health/pdfs/meng_vac_waiver.pdf

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