## Frequently Asked Questions: Immunizations (English)

**MEASLES, MUMPS & RUBELLA (MMR)** 

## Q: I received individual doses of Measles, Mumps, and Rubella, is that still sufficient?

**A**: Yes, if each dosage was on or after your first birthday and you received two doses of each, separated by at least 28 days.

#### Q: I received the first dosage of MMR before my first birthday, what do I do?

**A**: You must receive a third dosage.

## VARICELLA

## Q: If I had Chicken Pox as a child does that mean I am cleared for the Varicella requirement?

**A**: No, even if you had Chicken Pox as child, you still need to get a titer (blood test) to prove immunity.

#### Q: I only got the titer for Varicella, is that sufficient?

**A**: Yes, if the titer is positive, that will satisfy the Varicella immunity requirement. If the titer is negative, documentation of 2 doses is required.

### Q: I got the first dose of Varicella before my first birthday, what do I do?

**A**: You must receive a third dosage.

## **TUBERCULOSIS (TB)**

### **Q: Is the TB screening mandatory?**

**A**: Yes. Resident and International students are required to submit proof of Negative TB skin test OR Negative Quantiferon-TB Gold laboratory report of a negative Quantiferon-TB Gold test completed in the United States or Canada prior to entry to Woodbury.

## Q: What if I had the BCG vaccine?

**A**: A history of BCG immunization does NOT fulfill this requirement. Quantiferon-TB Gold test or Chest xray is acceptable.

### Q: What if I had a reactive/positive T-Spot or QuantiFeron-TB Gold test?

**A**: You must submit proof of the positive result and a normal/negative Chest X-Ray report done within 6 months prior to entry to Woodbury to confirm that you do not have active Tuberculosis (TB). X-ray images will not be accepted; the report must be submitted.

## **MENINGOCOCCAL DISEASE**

## Q: I received a Meningococcal B, Trumenba, or Bexsero vaccine, does that satisfy the requirement?

**A**: No. You must receive a dose of Menactra or Menveo (Meningococcal ACWY/MCV4) on or after the age of 16.

#### Q: Do you allow titers for Meningococcal?

**A**: No. We only accept documentation of the vaccine on or after the age of 16.

### Q: I got the Meningococcal vaccine before my 16th birthday, what do I do?

**A**: You will need another dose (booster) of the Meningococcal vaccine to satisfy the requirement.

## **DEADLINE & COMPLIANCE FAQS**

## Q: What is the deadline for completing the immunization requirements?

**A**: All new and returning students should submit their documentation prior to move-in and no later than August 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023.

### Q: How can I check to see if I am missing any immunizations?

**A**: You can check your student portal at SNAP Health Portal (<u>studentehr.com</u>) to see if you have satisfied the requirements. You can also email the Health Center.

## Q: Can I get an extension on the deadline so I can fulfill the requirements?

**A**: Extensions are granted on a case-by-case basis. Please contact the Health Center (<u>healthcenter@woodbury.edu</u>) to discuss.

### Q: Will I get a confirmation email once I fulfill the requirements?

**A**: No, you can check your student portal at SNAP Health Portal (<u>studentehr.com</u>) to see if you have satisfied the requirements.

Q: What if I miss the deadline for completing the immunization requirements:

A: Students who do not meet the requirements set by the health office will have a hold put on their account. This hold will be removed once the student is deemed compliant by the Health Center. Note: Housing may be revoked before students can move in.

## **EXEMPTIONS**

### Q: How do I submit my Medical Exemption form?

A: Students with a medical condition that is a CDC contraindication to vaccination for the following vaccines: (MMR, Varicella, Meningococcal conjugate, Hepatitis B or Tetanus Toxoid). Print the Exemption form and bring it to your provider to complete. The form can be found at SNAP Health Portal (studentehr.com). Once completed, upload it into your SNAP Health Portal (studentehr.com).

\*\*NOTE: YOU WILL ONLY HEAR BACK FROM WOODBURY STUDENT HEALTH CENTER IF YOUR EXEMPTION IS NOT APPROVED.

## QUESTIONS REGARDING the SNAP Health Portal -(studentehr.com).

# Q: What forms are required in SNAP Health Portal (studentehr.com) before I begin my studies at Woodbury?

**A**: To complete immunization requirements, students must complete Immunization Requirements and History form and upload supporting documents. Prior to the first appointment at Student Health, students are required to complete Consent to Treatment and Health History forms also available at SNAP Health Portal (studentehr.com).

## Q: What types of documents are accepted?

**A**: You have the option to submit your vaccine records **OR** have your provider complete the Immunizations Checklist. We recommend combining all documentation into a single file (PDF, PNG, JPG, or GIF file types accepted).

## Q: What should submissions include?

**A**: Submissions must include all pages of your vaccination history (i.e., yellow immunization card, etc.) and patient name and date of birth must be clearly listed. All documentation must include an official signature or stamp from your physician or clinic. Incomplete documents will not be accepted.

### Q: What should lab results include?

**A**: All laboratory results must include the full report including a numeric value and reference range.

## Q: If I submitted my immunization records or labs, do I need to fill out the required immunization fields in SNAP Health Portal (<u>studentehr.com</u>)?

**A**: Yes, you are still required to fill out immunization date fields that are visible on SNAP Health Portal (studentehr.com) immunizations page. Your documentation will not be reviewed unless the date fields were filled out.