

RECOMMENDED VACCINES

for Incoming Students

VACCINE	# OF DOSES	NOTES
COVID-19	1 or 2 doses, depending on manufacturer	A complete series of FDA or WHO approved vaccines will exempt students from mandatory COVID-19 testing.
Hepatitis A	2-dose series, given over a 6-month period	This is a lifetime vaccination and recommended for travel.
Hepatitis B	3-dose series, given over a 6-month period	For most, this is considered a lifetime vaccination. A 2-dose series is available for those who qualify.
HPV	2 or 3-dose series, given over a 6-month period	Considered a lifetime vaccination which protects against the human papillomaviruses that cause most cervical cancers, anal cancer, and genital warts.
Influenza	1-dose, given seasonally	Seasonal vaccine and should be updated yearly.
Meningococcal (MenACWY)	1-dose, usually given in middle school and then another in high school before college	Considered effective protection against meningitis caused by serogroups A, C, W, & Y for approximately 5 years, and might need to be updated for travel into endemic areas.
Meningitis B	2 or 3-dose series, given over a 1-6 month period	Considered to offer protection against meningitis caused by serogroup B.
MMR* (Measles/Mumps/Rubella)	2-dose series	2-MMRs are considered a lifetime vaccination.
Polio	3 to 4-dose series	For most, this is considered a lifetime vaccination. In some instances, a booster may be recommended for travel.
Td OR Tdap (Tetanus/Diphtheria; Tetanuss/Diphtheria/Acellular Pertussis)	Childhood series then 1-dose booster every 10 years	A Tdap is recommended when traveling within the last 10 years.
Varicella (Chicken Pox)	2-dose series	For those who did not have chicken pox as a child. It is considered a lifetime vaccination.

Each vaccination has risks and possible complications. Questions? Contact the UArizona Campus Health Immunization Nurse at (520) 621-2292, your healthcare provider, or the CDC at www.cdc.gov.



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*The University of Arizona requires proof of measles and mumps (MMR) vaccination for all students born after 12/31/56.