

INFLUENZA SEASON IS UPON US AND THAT MEANS SO IS OUR INFLUENZA FALL CAMPAIGN!!

- The Influenza Campaign will launch Oct 11th Nov 3rd.
- No patient should get influenza from our staff while in our care. Without the protection of the vaccine, you are not immune.
- You can spread influenza to your patients, coworkers, loved ones and community one day before you know you are sick.
- Getting immunized is crucial to making our workplaces safe and healthy for our patients and each other.

Important Information to Note:



You will require to bring your AHS ID and Personal Health Number <mark>(this is a provincial requirement –</mark> without it we can't immunize you). Your PHN can be a physical copy, photo, or memorized number.

On site Rexall & KEC Outpatient Pharmacies will be immunizing both public and staff. Their campaign will run October 16-27th Monday-Friday 0830-1630 in their respective atriums. They will have both regular and high dose vaccine, as well as COVID -19 mRNA XBB formulations. They also will have the ability to vaccinate those over 65 for provincially funded Pneumovax 23.



If you get your immunization from a pharmacy, physician, or Public Health? Don't forget to report your immunization to WHS. Got My Flu Shot Form | Insite (albertahealthservices.ca)

Site Influenza Immunizers

- We will have stationary pop-up stations throughout the site to assist in immunizing all Staff and Physicians.
- Hours will vary by program.
- They will encompass days, evenings, and weekends!
- Immunization hours will be adjusted to accommodate night staff.
- * The immunizers will <u>only</u> be administering the flu vaccine and <u>not</u> any Covid immunizations.



WHS Clinics

- All WHS clinics will be offering influenza immunizations to all health care workers at AHS sites across the zone. UAH site location is in the lower Bernard Snell Hall.
- ↔ WHS will have stationary clinics that offer **both** the Influenza and COVID immunizations.
- **Please note:** COVID immunizations are **only** available by appointment.
- It is anticipated that the updated Covid-19 mRNA XBB vaccine formulation will be available by launch date.
- Influenza immunizations can be booked by appointment or drop-in.
- To book an appointment please go to: <u>Influenza Immunization Appointment (alberta.ca)</u>



Booking Tool & Schedule Information

- The booking tool went live Tuesday Oct 3rd.
- There will also be a link on Insite where people can look at where all the WHS walk-in clinics are located.

The Site Influenza Team

