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Health Department Providing Flu Shots at Community Clinics

Eau Claire, WI. October 11, 2019 – The Health Department received grant funding to offer a free flu shot to all children under 19 years old at Health Department community flu clinics. These clinics will be held at several school sites and the Indoor Sports Center. All children and adults are welcome to attend any of the clinics. Adults can get a flu shot for \$45.

The flu can be especially dangerous for many people, including young children, pregnant women, people age 65 and older, and others whose immune systems are not working well. Eau Claire County residents of all ages are hospitalized with respiratory influenza every year.

“The best way to avoid getting sick with the flu is to get a flu shot,” says Paulette Magur, Communicable Disease Division Manager. “Getting the flu shot protects you, your family, and others in the community. The more people who are vaccinated, the less chance the flu can spread throughout our community.”

Last year, over 800 children received flu shots at the Health Department community clinics.

For more information, see flushot.ehealthdepartment.org.



Health Department Community Flu Clinics		
*All children under 19 years old can get a free flu shot at the clinics below. Adults can get a flu shot for \$45.		
Location	Date	Time
Indoor Sports Center	Mon., Oct 14	3:00 – 7:00 PM
Northstar Middle School	Wed., Oct. 16	1:00 - 5:00 PM
Altoona Elementary School	Mon., Oct. 21	9:00 – 11:00 AM
Altoona High School	Tues., Oct. 22	4:00 – 5:30 PM
Delong Middle School	Wed., Oct 23	1:00 - 5:00 PM
Fall Creek Elementary School	Tues., Oct 29	9:00 AM – Noon
Augusta High School	Tues., Oct 29	2:00 - 5:00 PM
South Middle School	Wed., Oct 30	1:00 – 5:00 PM

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