



Student Health Services

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H1N1 Live Attenuated Influenza Vaccine (LAIV) Nasal Spray is Available and Free

To Mason Students, Faculty, and Staff,

Student Health Services, at the Fairfax Campus, has received a limited amount of the H1N1 live attenuated influenza vaccine nasal spray. The Arlington and Prince William Campuses are still awaiting shipments. We will administer this vaccine during the following Clinic, while supplies last. All Mason students, faculty and staff are welcome to the Clinic at the Fairfax Campus.

Date: Tuesday, November 3, 2009

Time: 10am – 1pm

Location: Dewberry Hall, Johnson Center, Fairfax Campus

Cost: Free

Bring: Your Mason ID

Who should get the H1N1 live attenuated influenza vaccine nasal spray?

1. Healthy people from 18-24 years of age.
2. Healthy people 25-49 years of age *who live with or care for infants younger than 6 months of age.*
3. Healthcare providers and/or emergency medical personnel.

Who should not get the H1N1 live attenuated influenza vaccine nasal spray?

1. Pregnant women.
2. People with asthma, heart disease, or kidney disease.
3. People who have a weakened immune system.
4. People with cancer or who are undergoing cancer treatment.
5. People over 50 years of age.
6. Adolescents (18 year old or younger) receiving aspirin therapy or taking aspirin on a regular basis.
7. People with severe allergies to chicken eggs.

Individuals with the above conditions may be eligible for the inactivated/injectable form of H1N1 influenza vaccine when it is available.

Please visit the [Student Health Services](http://shs.gmu.edu) website (<http://shs.gmu.edu>) and/or the [Human Resources](http://hr.gmu.edu) website (<http://hr.gmu.edu>) for updates regarding availability of the inactivated/injectable form of H1N1 influenza vaccine.

For more information about LAIV please visit the [CDC website](http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/nasalspray_qa.htm) (http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/vaccination/nasalspray_qa.htm).