IMPORTANT NOTICE TO POST-SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

HEALTH REQUIREMENTS EFFECTIVE: JULY 1, 2020

### What does Hawai'i State Law require for Post-Secondary School attendance?

The Hawai'i Administrative Rules, Chapter 11-157 require all students to meet immunization requirements before they attend any post-secondary school in the state.

A post-secondary school is any school enrolling or registering students above the age of required school attendance, including:

- · Adult Education School
- Business School
- Trade School
- · Community College
- College
- University



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# What are the health requirements for Post-Secondary School attendance in Hawai'i?

1 Immunizations

A record of immunizations, signed or stamped by a U.S. licensed practitioner (physician, Advanced Practice Registered Nurse, or Physician Assistant) or the Hawai'i Department of Health, must be presented for school attendance.

2 Tuberculosis (TB) Clearance

For information regarding TB clearance requirements, contact the Hawai'i Department of Health Tuberculosis Control Branch:

call: (808) 832-5731

www.

web: health.hawaii.gov/tb

### What immunizations are required by the 1st day of school?

- Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)
- Tetanus-diphtheria-pertussis (Tdap)
- Varicella
- Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV)\*

\*First-year students living in on-campus housing only

If you do not have the required immunizations by the first day of school, you must provide an appointment card from your doctor showing you are in the process of completing the missing immunizations.

A student who has not completed all of the immunizations or does not have an appointment card from their doctor by the 1st day of school <u>WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO ATTEND SCHOOL</u> until these requirements are met.

#### Where can I get immunizations?

- Talk to your doctor. If you don't have a doctor and need one, call Aloha United Way 2-1-1.
- Check with the student health center of the school you will be attending for available services.



For more information contact Hawai'i Department of Health Immunization Branch

Neb: health.hawaii.gov/docd/vaccinesimmunizations/school-health-requirements/

Email: immunization@doh.hawaii.gov

Call: (808) 586-8332 or 1 (800) 933-4832

For further information on the immunization requirements, including the number of doses required and minimum spacing between doses, visit http://health.hawaii.gov/docd/vaccines-immunizations/school-health-requirements/.