

To enter any Nursing or Allied Health Program at Alvin Community College the following immunizations/tests are required. (Required by State Law/Clinical Facilities)

PRIOR TO APPLICATION:

Hepatitis B Vaccine: Proof of completion of the hepatitis B vaccination series or serologic confirmation of immunity to hepatitis B is required as a condition of full acceptance to the program.

This is a series of 3 shots and can take up to 6 months to complete. We must see documentation of at least the **first two** immunizations at time of application.

AFTER ACCEPTANCE:

Tuberculin Test (PPD): REQUIRED ANNUALLY

Should be done close to the time you begin the program to last throughout the academic year

Chest x-ray required if PPD is positive (include signed copy of chest x-ray results).

Varicella (Chicken pox):

Vaccination with two doses of Varicella vaccine administered 4-8 weeks apart. **OR**

Serologic test positive for Varicella antibody. (Attach laboratory proof of varicella immunity)

OR

Documented history or diagnosis of Varicella

If you had Varicella as a child you will only need to provide a signed statement with month/day/year. The student may sign this statement themselves.

MMR (measles mumps and rubella) – Born in or after 1957, 2 does are required, if born before 1957, once dose is required.

OR

Measles (Rubeola) - Those born on or after January 1, 1957, must show proof of either:

1. Two doses of measles vaccine on or after their first birthday and at least 30 days apart **OR**
2. Serologic test positive for measles antibody (Attach laboratory proof of measles immunity)

Mumps - Those born on or after January 1, 1957, must show proof of either:

1. One dose of mumps vaccine on or after their first birthday* **OR**
2. Serologic test positive for mumps antibody (Attach laboratory proof of mumps immunity)

Rubella –Those born on or after January 1, 1957, must show proof of either:

1. One dose of rubella vaccine on or after their first birthday **OR**
- Serologic test for rubella antibody (Attach laboratory proof of rubella immunity)

Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (Tdap): Tdap required.

Seasonal Flu: A seasonal flu vaccine is required annually for continued clinical participation.