

Health Requirements for the 2024-2025 Academic Year

1. Immunization Requirements: apply to all new undergraduate students and graduate students attending class on campus and enrolled in five or more credits. Must upload immunization record.

Tdap	1 dose; given within the last 10 years.
Hepatitis B	3 doses; or laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable; or 2 doses of Heplisav-B given on or after 18 years of age are acceptable.
MMR	2 doses; first dose must be given on or after the 1 st birthday and second dose must be given ≥28 days after first dose; or laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable (positive titers).
Varicella	2 doses; first dose must be given on or after the 1st birthday and second dose must be given ≥2 days after first dose; or laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable.
Meningococcal	1 dose; 1 dose MenACWY (formerly MCV4) required for all full-time students 21 years of age or younger. The dose of MenACWY vaccine must have been received on or after the student's 16th birthday. Doses received at younger ages do not count towards this requirement. Students may decline MenACWY vaccine after they have read and signed the MDPH Meningococcal Information and Waiver Form provided by their institution. Meningococcal B vaccine is not required and does not meet this requirement

<u>College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences, PharmD (online and on campus) and pharmacogenomics</u> students are required to meet additional health requirements for their clinical placements, including COVID-19 vaccination. <u>OTD students</u> are also required to provide proof of influenza vaccination upon enrollment.

Medical exemptions (statement from a physician stating that a vaccine is medically contraindicated for a student) must be renewed annually at the start of the school year, and religious exemptions (statement from a student or parent/guardian, if the student is <18 years of age, stating that a vaccine is against sincerely held religious beliefs), should be renewed annually at the start of the school year.

- 2. Health History: All students must complete medical history form
- 3. Physical Exam: All students must submit a physical exam completed by a licensed medical provider within 1 year of enrollment.
- 4. **Tuberculosis (TB) Screening Questionnaire:** If you answered "yes" to any of the screening questions, please submit a copy of negative IGRA results or a TB Skin test prior to enrollment.
- 5. Consent for Treatment: All students must complete a consent for treatment for the Center for Health and Well-Being. Students under 18 years of age upon enrollment must complete a consent for minor.
- 6. Student Health Insurance Program (SHIP) Enrollment or Waiver: to be completed every year online. Enrollment or Waiver process opens in June. https://westernnewengland.sharepoint.com/sites/Center-For-Health-And-Well-Being/SitePages/Student-Health-Insurance.aspx

Additional Requirements for NCAA athletes

- 1. **Physical Exam:** must submit a physical exam completed by a licensed medical provider within 6 months of enrollment.
- 2. Athletic Pre-participation Evaluation: includes completion of medical questionnaire by the student including a comprehensive medical history, reviewed and signed by a licensed medical provider at time of physical exam and within 6 months of enrollment.
- 3. Sickle Cell Trait Testing status: which includes a copy of your newborn sickle cell testing results or a recent sickle cell screening test result.
- 4. Sports Medicine Medical Consent and Disclosure Form
- 5. Copy of the front and back of your health insurance card.
- 6. Additional requirements will be determined by the athletic training department.

Students can upload required health documentation through the <u>patient portal</u>. using their WNE single sign-on credentials.

Students may reach out directly to the Center for Health and Well-Being for more information at healthservices@wne.edu or 413-782-1211.

