



Office of the Director of Education

October 28, 2009

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Toronto Public Health has indicated that H1N1 Flu Shot Clinics are beginning as early as tomorrow, October 29th for priority groups. Please note the following schedule and definition of priority groups:

New, additional dates for priority groups!

Dates	Times	Locations
Thursday, October 29, 2009	12 – 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• North York Civic Centre (Members Lounge)—5100 Yonge Street• East York Civic Centre (Lower Level)—850 Coxwell Avenue
Friday, October 30, 2009	10 - 4 12 – 7	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Metro Hall (Room 310)—55 John Street• Scarborough Civic Centre (Rotunda)—150 Borough Drive
Saturday, October 31, 2009	10 – 4	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Timothy Eaton Business and Technical Institute (Cafeteria)—1251 Bridletowne Circle• Melody Public School (Gym)—24 Strathburn Blvd.• East York Civic Centre (Lower Level)—850 Coxwell Avenue• Etobicoke Civic Centre (Meeting Rooms 1, 2, 3)—399 The West Mall

Toronto Public Health is hosting these additional clinics for priority groups including:

- People with chronic medical conditions (asthma, diabetes, etc.) under the age of 65
- Healthy children from six months to five years old
- Health care workers
- Pregnant women - adjuvanted vaccine is available for women who are more than 20 weeks pregnant. Women less than 20 weeks pregnant and who do not have an underlying medical condition can receive the adjuvanted vaccine or unadjuvanted vaccine when it is available
- Household contacts of persons in the above priority groups who cannot be immunized.

H1N1 Vaccine Clinics for the general public will launch Nov. 2

The following schedule of public clinics beginning on November 2nd remains unchanged from the information we shared late last week.

H1N1 Flu Shot Clinic Schedule

H1N1 vaccination clinics begin on November 2 and will run for approximately six weeks. The hours for the first two weeks are:

Monday, November 2 – Friday, November 6 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 7 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Tuesday, November 10 – Friday, November 13 1:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.
Saturday, November 14 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Locations
Metro Hall - Rotunda - 55 John Street
East York Civic Centre - Lower Level - 850 Coxwell Avenue
North York Civic Centre - Members Lounge - 5100 Yonge Street
North Toronto Memorial Community Recreational Centre - 200 Eglinton Avenue West
Etobicoke Civic Centre - Committee rooms 1, 2, 3 - 399 The West Mall
Melody Public School - Gym - 24 Strathburn Blvd. (closed school)
Masaryk-Cowan Community Recreational Centre - 220 Cowan Avenue
Scarborough Civic Centre - Rotunda - 150 Borough Drive
North Kipling Community Recreational Centre - 2 Rowntree Road
Timothy Eaton Business and Technical Institute - Cafeteria - 1251 Bridletowne Circle (closed school)

All locations are wheelchair accessible and located near public transit. Information about the H1N1 flu virus will be available at all the clinics, and nurses will be on hand to answer questions about the vaccine.

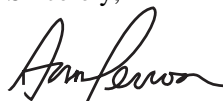
Please note: Hours may be expanded if demand is high. Please call 311 or visit www.toronto.ca/health for current schedule information.

The H1N1 vaccination is voluntary and it is being offered to the public at no charge.

Information about H1N1, including the latest H1N1 Flu Shot Clinic Schedule, continues to be available through the board's website at www.tcdsb.org. This schedule is also being published in the weekly Director's Bulletin.

Should you have questions relating to H1N1, please call Toronto Public Health at 416-338-7600 or Corrado Maltese, Occupational Health and Safety, TCDSB at 416-222-8282 ext. 2665.

Sincerely,



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