

FLU SHOT

Dear Parents:

Flu immunizations will be administered on campus this fall. This injection is strongly recommended, but not mandatory, for students (age fourteen years and older) in a boarding school situation. The fee for the service is \$22.00 per student. This fee will be charged to the student's account.

Please indicate whether you want your child to receive this immunization and return this sheet with the other medical forms.

Thank you for your cooperation,
Dunn School Health Services

This vaccine is NOT recommended for students with KNOWN ALLERGIES TO: CHICKENS, FEATHERS, or EGGS.

Uncommon, but possible adverse reaction to the Flu Immunization:

Fever, vague body aches, muscular pains and other systemic symptoms may occur during the first 6-12 hours after vaccination and may persist for one or two days.

Immediate, presumably allergic reaction such as flare and weal or respiratory problems may develop and are indicative of sensitivity to the components of the serum derived from residual egg protein. This type of response is extremely rare.

Neurological disorders, including encephalopathy and ascending paralysis, have been known to have a temporary association with the administration of the flu vaccine. These occur rarely and are usually self-limiting and reversible.

I, the parent/guardian of _____
(student's name)

Give Do not give permission to have my child immunized against the flu.

Signed: Parent/Guardian _____ Date: _____
(circle one)