

H1N1 Clinic for At Risk Individuals

November 3, 2009

Dear Parent:

The Upshur-Buckhannon Health Department has scheduled an H1N1 vaccination clinic at Buckhannon-Upshur High School on Thursday, November 5, 2009.

Time – Location: 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. – Buckhannon-Upshur High School

General Information:

- Tickets will be given at the door on a first come first serve basis. The number of tickets corresponds to the number of doses available.
- Tickets do not guarantee vaccination. The health department will register those with tickets from 5 to 7 p.m. to determine who is in the qualified target population. Those in the target population will be given the vaccine.
- No intranasal vaccinations will be given at this clinic.
- Participants should wear appropriate, loose-fitting clothing to the clinic.
- The following groups will be targeted for vaccination at the November 5th clinic:
 - Pregnant women,
 - People who live with or care for infants younger than 6 months of age,
 - Health care and emergency personnel,
 - Anyone from 6 months through 24 years of age, and
 - Anyone from 25 through 64 with chronic medical conditions or a weakened immune system.

Consent is needed to administer the vaccination. Consent forms will be available at the clinic. Children under 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Please remember that school is in session. As such, students, faculty, and staff will be parked in the parking lot and buses will be running until approximately 4:00 p.m.

Center for Disease Control (CDC) guidance has been followed when determining all target populations. Scheduling has been dependent on when and how much vaccine the health department receives. As always, should you have any questions or comments, feel free to contact Josh Marsh of the Upshur-Buckhannon Health Department at 304-472-2810.

Sincerely,
Upshur County H1N1 Steering Committee