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Seasonal Flu Clinic Schedule 2009 - Updated September 17, 2009

The Jackson County Health Department is temporarily out of adult seasonal flu vaccine and has had to postpone our public clinics scheduled for next week, September 21- 24. Although we received approximately one third of our vaccine order in mid-August, we have not received any additional supplies. We are confident that the additional vaccine will be received and clinics will be rescheduled. It is very important for those at high risk of complications from flu to get their seasonal flu shot wherever it is available. Please check our website (www.jchdonline.org) or phone message (684-3143, ext. 517) for updated information on clinic dates and times. We will be assessing our situation weekly. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause. Seasonal flu vaccine for children age 18 and younger is still available during our regular immunization clinics on Mondays and Wednesdays from 12 noon to 3:30 pm and on Thursdays from 12 noon to 5:30 pm. Jackson County Health Department will also be providing vaccinations for novel H1N1 (Swine) flu later this fall.

The seasonal flu shots will cost \$30 for adults. Pneumonia shots will also be available for \$53. Eligible State of Illinois employees and retirees with proper ID, who get their flu shots through Jackson County Health Department, may receive flu shots paid for by the State. Medicare Part B is accepted; however, the health department is not allowed to bill Medicare Advantage Insurance Plans (HMO, PPO, PFFS) for flu vaccine. Please bring your red, white, and blue Medicare card and any additional insurance cards with you to the flu clinic. Public Aid medical cards are also accepted for children and adults.

Flu vaccines, including FluMist (no shot nasal spray vaccine) and preservative free vaccine for \$15/dose are available for children age 6 months to 18 years through the Vaccines for Children program. Some restrictions apply. Please call 684-3143, ext. 119 for details and availability.

For those with limited mobility, curb service will be available at all sites listed below, **except the SIUC Student Recreation Center**. Just send someone in to request this service.

Locations

Dates and Times

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Campbell Hill Community Center	Thursday	September 17	1:30 - 3:30 p.m.
Murphysboro Apple Festival (Senior Events)	Friday	September 18	10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m

Christ Lutheran School 146 West Jacob Rd., Jacob	Monday	September 21	9:30 - 10:30 a.m.
Gorham Village Hall 306 Washington St., Gorham	Monday	September 21	11:00 a.m. - noon
First Baptist Church 301 2 nd Street, Grand Tower	Monday	September 21	12:30 - 1:30 p.m.
SIUC Student Recreation Center (State employees and families)	Tuesday	September 22	8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
First Christian Church 306 W. Monroe St., Carbondale	Wednesday	September 23	4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
First United Methodist Church University & Main St., Carbondale	Thursday	September 24	10:00 a.m. - noon
Elkville Civic Center East Kimmel & 6 th St., Elkville	Thursday	September 24	9:00 a.m. - noon
DeSoto Village Hall 210 W. Lincoln St., DeSoto	Thursday	September 24	1:30 - 4:30 p.m.
Carbondale City Hall Civic Center 200 S. Illinois Ave., Room 116, Carbondale	Monday	September 28	Noon - 6:00 p.m.
Jackson County Health Department Back Building	Tuesday	September 29	9:00 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.
SIUC Student Recreation Center (State employees and families)	Wednesday	September 30	8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Carbondale Senior Adult Services 409 N. Springer St., Carbondale	Friday	October 2	9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon
Jackson County Health Department Back Building	Friday	October 9	10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Information on dates, times and locations of flu clinics will be available on our automated phone system at 684-3143, ext. 517, and on our website at www.jchdonline.org.

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