



News Release

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Mass immunization clinics open to general public New clinics scheduled for this evening

Central Health wishes to advise the public that mass immunization clinics are open to the general public effective 3:00 p.m. this afternoon.

Any member of the general public can attend the following mass immunization clinics:

Date & Time	Community	Location
Friday, November 20 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Lewisporte	Pentecostal Church 362 Main Street
Friday, November 20 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Botwood	Roman Catholic Church Hall
Friday, November 20 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Grand Falls-Windsor	Beaumont Armory 1A Memorial Ave
Friday, November 20 3:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.	Gander	Pentecostal Church 59 Elizabeth Drive
Friday, November 20 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.	Baie Verte	Outpatient Department Baie Verte Peninsula Health Centre

More mass immunization clinics will be scheduled for next week. This information will be posted to Central Health's website (www.centralhealth.nl.ca) no later than Monday, November 23, 2009.

Additionally, in the central region, high school students will be immunized in school on Monday, November 23 and Tuesday, November 24 as per arrangements to be made by the Nova Central School District. Residents of long term care facilities operated by Central Health as well as residents and staff of personal care homes in the central region will be immunized on site on Sunday, November 22. Also beginning on Sunday, November 22, continuing care nurses will start immunizing home-bound clients of the continuing care program.

Members of the public are reminded that they need to bring their MCP card with them to register at mass immunization clinics. Also, children must be accompanied by a parent or legal guardian who can sign a legal consent form for them to receive the H1N1 vaccine.

For further information, please contact the Central Health Pandemic Information Line at 1-877-311-2613.

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