

Vaccination Requirements

Requirements	Description
Td series and booster (Tetanus/Diphtheria – Tdap)	Childhood series with date of completion and date of booster in last 10 years. Was booster a Tdap? Tdap required if ≥ 2 years since last Td booster.
Polio series	OPTIONAL Immunization- Childhood series with date of completion; adult booster date if received. First dose given at any time Second dose 1-2 months after first dose Third dose 6-12 months after second dose
Measles (Rubeola)	Dates of two (measles or MMR) vaccines or positive titer; must submit copy of titer result
Mumps	Dates of two (mumps or MMR) vaccines or positive titer; must submit copy of titer result
Rubella	Date of one (rubella or MMR) vaccine or positive titer; must submit copy of titer result
Hepatitis B	<p>Evidence and dates of series of three Hepatitis B vaccines AND positive Hepatitis B surface antibody titer if series is complete; must submit copy of titer result, or evidence of prior infection.</p> <p>If your titer draw results are negative, please contact the SON Compliance Officer for the next steps to take. You will need to proceed with getting 3 Hep B booster shots and then get a new antibody surface titer draw.</p> <p>Hepatitis B traditional vaccination (Engerix): 1 month between 1st and 2nd doses, ≥ 2 months between 2nd and 3rd doses, and ≥ 4 months between 1st and 3rd doses. There are a variety of acceptable immunization schedules for Hepatitis B that students may have had. As long as the rules regarding timing between doses are followed, you are considered compliant.</p> <p>OR</p> <p>Two-dose Hep B vaccine AND positive Hepatitis B surface antibody titer if series is complete; must submit copy of titer result, or evidence of prior infection.</p> <p>Booster shots received must be from the same vaccination series. We cannot accept mixed vaccinations for boosters.</p>
Varicella	Evidence and dates of two Varicella vaccines or positive titer; (must submit copy of result).
TB skin testing (TST or PPD)	<p>Please note that the School of Nursing requires annual TB testing for all students due to most of the clinical sites students are placed at require our students to be annually tested. You will need to complete one of the three items to meet the TB requirement within 6 months for starting your program:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Get a QuantiFERON blood draw- should have a negative (-) result. 2. Two PPD skin tests at least a week apart with negative (-) results. Please note that you need 2 separate PPD skin tests. An issued TB and a reading are equivalent to 1 PPD skin test. 3. One T-Spot test with a negative (-) result. <p>• If you have had annual testing submit your annual TST records showing two tests no greater than (often called PPD) 12 months apart with the most recent done within 12 months of matriculation.</p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If you have not had annual TST's complete two-step TB testing: two TB tests 1-3 weeks apart with the second test completed within 12 months of matriculation. • If you have had a positive test submit a chest x-ray report and INH history. If you have had BCG vaccine, obtain QuantiFERON TB Gold blood test and submit result. If positive, consider taking INH Preventive Therapy. You will need annual TB clearance (annual TB questionnaire) while at OHSU.
COVID-19 Vaccination	Received both doses of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine, or one dose of a single-dose COVID-19 vaccine, and that at least 14 days have passed since your final dose of the COVID-19 vaccine was issued before starting the program.

Clinical settings may have additional background check, drug screen and immunization requirements other than what are identified here. Students will receive information regarding additional requirements if needed.

Infectious diseases: Students who are infected with Hepatitis B (HBV), Hepatitis C (HCV) or Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) must be aware of the Society for Healthcare Epidemiology of America (SHEA) and Centers for Disease Control (CDC) guidelines and stipulations around safe practice. Students in this category must contact the Student Health Service for a private consultation around the ability to progress successfully through the clinical aspect of the program. This consultation is confidential and the Student Health staff will make recommendations for precautionary procedures that ensure your ability to provide safe healthcare delivery.