



Columbia County Department of Health

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For Immediate release
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The Columbia County Department of Health has received the seasonal flu vaccine and has scheduled community clinics for any Columbia County resident 19 years old and up who would like a flu shot.

Tuesday October 4, 2011
9:30 - 11:30 am Philmont Nutrition Site
93 Main Street Philmont

Wednesday October 5, 2011
9:30 – 11:30 am Valatie Nutrition Site
3302 Williams Street Valatie

Wednesday October 12, 2011
9:30 - 11:30 am Roe Jan Nutrition Site Our Lady of Hope Church
Route 22 Copake Falls

Wednesday October 12, 2011
1:00 -2:30 pm Ancram Town Hall
1416 County Route 7 Ancram

Tuesday October 18, 2011
9:30 – 11:30 am Hudson Nutrition Site Sons and Daughters of Italy
27 Bridge Street Hudson

Wednesday October 19, 2011
1:00 – 2:30 pm Ghent Town Hall
Route 66 Ghent

Saturday October 22, 2011
9:30 am – 12:30 pm For Seniors only “The Golden Gathering” at Columbia-Greene
Community College
Route 23 Hudson NY 12534

Tuesday October 25, 2011

**9:00 – 11:00 am Livingston Nutrition Site, Linlithgo Reformed Church
447 Church Road Livingston**

Tuesday November 1, 2011

**9:30 – 11:30 am Immaculate Conception Church
Route 20 New Lebanon**

Wednesday November 9, 2011

**9:30 -11:30 am Germantown Town Hall
50 Palantine Park Road Germantown**

Wednesday November 16, 2011

**10:30 – 11:45 am Canaan Town Hall
1647 County Route 5 South Canaan**

Tuesday November 22, 2011

**9:30 – 11:30 pm Central Hudson Fire House
North 7th Street Hudson**

The Health Department will accept the following insurance plans as long as they are the primary and not supplemental plans:

- **Blue Shield Only (no Blue Cross)**
- **CDPHP**
- **Medicare B**
- **MVP**
- **Senior Whole Health**
- **We can bill Today's Options or any Medicare advantage plan**

Individuals must bring their cards to the clinics for verification.

All others are expected to pay a \$30.00 fee for the flu shot, cash or checks accepted no debit or credit cards.

Children aged 6 months to 18 years of age will be offered the flu vaccine by appointment at the regularly scheduled Immunization clinic every Tuesday from 1-3:30 pm at the Health Department located at 325 Columbia Street Hudson NY on the 1st floor. An evening immunization clinic by appointment is also available on the 3rd Wednesday of each month from 4:00 to 6:00 pm.

Pneumonia Vaccine will also be available at the community clinics to individuals 65 or older. The previous mentioned insurances will be accepted for pneumonia shots. All others are expected to pay a 65.00 fee.

Talk to your doctor before getting the flu shot if you: ever had a serious allergic reaction to eggs or to a previous flu shot, or have a history of Guillain-Barre Syndrome.

For more information or to schedule an appointment, contact the Health Department at (518) 828-3358. A clinic schedule can also be found on the Columbia County Health Department web site at www.columbiacountyny.com just click on the health button.