

The WRHA Seasonal Influenza Immunization Strategy

- Further details about the 2010 influenza immunization campaign will be released by Manitoba Health shortly.
- This fax is a reminder from the WRHA that the campaign is coming up in the Fall and we recognize that physicians generally administer the majority of seasonal influenza vaccine in Winnipeg, and it is anticipated that this will continue.
- The 2010 NACI statement is now available at <http://www.phac-aspc.gc.ca/publicat/ccdr-rmtc/10vol36/acs-6/index-eng.php>
- The WRHA will be hosting large public immunization clinics from Tuesday October 19 to Saturday Oct 23 in 12 sites (5 on Saturday). Site locations and times are posted on <http://www.wrha.mb.ca/healthinfo/a-z/influenza/index.php>.
- Outreach immunization clinics for populations who are unable to attend large clinics are planned for the week(s) following Oct 23. Vaccine will also be available through homecare staff for homebound individuals. Patients can also contact their local WRHA Community Area office to set up appointments for immunization.
- WRHA Occupational Health will be hosting immunization clinics for health care workers at all facilities.
- The WRHA will be posting an on-line immunization manual on its website prior to the campaign, similar to the H1N1 Immunization manual.

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