



**WESTFIELD STATE
UNIVERSITY**

Student Health Requirements

1. Immunization requirements: To be uploaded to the Student Health Patient Portal

The pre-entrance immunization requirements at Westfield State University are based on the Massachusetts Law 105CMR 220.000.

Requirements apply to all full-time undergraduate and graduate students under 30 years of age and all full-time and part-time health science students.

To fulfill this requirement, you must submit documented evidence of immunizations as listed below.

Copies of immunization records will be accepted. If you cannot produce these records, you must be revaccinated or provide laboratory (positive blood titers) evidence of immunity.

Vaccine	Requirement	Acceptable Alternatives/Notes
Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis)	One dose of Tdap received within the past 10 years.	None.
Hepatitis B	Completion of a 3-dose Hepatitis B series.	Positive Hepatitis B antibody titer demonstrating immunity, or a 2-dose Heplisav-B series received at age 18 or older.
MMR (Measles, Mumps & Rubella)	Two doses of MMR vaccine. First dose must be administered on or after the 1st birthday; second dose must be administered at least 28 days after the first dose.	Positive MMR titers demonstrating immunity. Birth in the U.S. before 1957 is acceptable only for non-health science students.
Varicella (Chickenpox)	Two doses of varicella vaccine. First dose must be administered on or after the 1st birthday; second dose must be administered at least 28 days after the first dose.	Positive varicella titer demonstrating immunity or a reliable history of chickenpox. Birth in the U.S. before 1980 is acceptable only for non-health science students
Meningococcal (Meningitis)	Required for all full-time students age 21 and younger and all students living in campus housing. Vaccine must be administered on or after the 16th birthday.	Students may submit a signed waiver acknowledging receipt and review of meningococcal disease and vaccination information and choosing to decline immunization.

2. Physical Exam: To be uploaded to the Student Health Patient Portal Obtained within the past 2 years prior to the start of the semester.

**** Note to Athletes:** Student athletes are required to submit a separate copy of their physical exam directly to Athletics. Physical examination documentation submitted to Health Services does not fulfill the Athletics documentation requirement. Please provide a copy of your physical exam to both Health Services and Athletics**

3. TB (Tuberculosis) Risk Questionnaire: To be completed by the student on the Student Health Patient Portal. (If you answer “yes” to any question, please download the Documentation of TB Medical Evaluation form from the portal and bring to your healthcare provide to complete, or provide documentation of a negative TB skin test or negative IGRA blood test)

4. Health History Form: to be completed by the student on the Student Health Patient Portal

5. Consent for Treatment: to be completed by the student on the Student Health Patient Portal (parent or guardian signature required for all students under 18 years of age prior to start of the semester)

6. Confidentiality and Privacy Form: Please review the Confidentiality and Privacy form available on the Student Health Patient Portal.

7. Insurance Information: Please provide your insurance information and upload a copy of the front and back of your health insurance card to the Student Health Patient Portal

To avoid registration holds and ensure timely access to healthcare services, please complete all required forms and upload all documentation as soon as possible through the [Student Health Patient Portal](#). Requirements should be completed before arriving on campus and prior to the start of the semester.

Questions?

Contact Westfield State University Health Services for assistance with immunization records, portal access, or health requirement compliance.

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