A yearly flu vaccine is the first and most important step in protecting against this serious disease. Your Wellness Center - Student Health Services, the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and the New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene (NYCDOHMH) recommend that everyone 6 months and older should get a flu vaccine as soon as vaccine is available in the fall.

The Wellness Center is anticipating receipt of a supply of the seasonal flu vaccine in the coming weeks. The vaccine will be made available to currently registered students at the Graduate Center and the Graduate School of Journalism. Although this vaccine has been offered free of charge in the past through The New York City Department of Health, the CUNY administration has received notice that this arrangement has been discontinued. Therefore, the Wellness Center - Student Health Services at the Graduate Center will be offering the flu vaccine at a discounted cost of $12 in exact change, please.

You must have your student ID (with the Fall 2013 validation sticker) available to present at reception in room 6422 upon arrival. Please bring exact change ($12).

WALK-IN HOURS ARE TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED AS FOLLOWS:
Thursday October 17th
10:00 am-1:00 pm and 2:00-4:00 pm

**Check the Wellness Center website at http://cuny.is/wellnesscenter or call 212-817-7020 for further information about the clinic date.**

If you are unable to make the walk-in hours, we may set an additional date or make a limited number of slots available for appointment depending on how much vaccine we have leftover. Further instructions regarding this will be provided after October 17th.

In the meantime, students are urged to obtain the flu vaccine as early as possible. Alternate sites are as follows:

NO COST:
Facility Name: Fort Greene Health Center (NYCDOHMH)
Facility Address: 295 Flatbush Ave Extension - 5th Floor, Brooklyn, NY 11201
Directions: A, C, & F to Jay St., or 2,3,4 & 5 to Nevins St. or R, Q, & B to DeKalb Ave.
Hours: 8:30am to 2:00pm (Monday through Friday)

Facility Name: Corona Health Center (NYCDOHMH)
Facility Address: 34-33 Junction Blvd - 3rd Floor, Queens, NY, 11372
Directions: #7 train to Junction Boulevard; Walk North towards Northern Boulevard or take the # 72 bus.
Hours: 8:30am to 2:00pm (Wednesday & Friday)

Additional Info: There is no cost to client and no appointment necessary. Persons will be seen on a first come first served basis. Please plan to arrive early in the day. Immunization clinics are for persons 4 years and older. Children between the ages of 4 and 18 years must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. NYCDOHMH Immunization Walk-In clinics will be closed on the following days: 9/1, 10/14, 11/11, and 12/25.
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ACROSS THE STREET FROM THE GC:
Facility Name: Walgreens (Store #6160)
Facility Address: 350 5th Avenue New York, NY 10118
Facility Type: Pharmacy
Target Group: 18 Years and Older
Fee Info: $32
Schedule: Monday through Friday 7am to 9pm; Saturday 9am to 6pm; Sunday 10am to 6pm
To schedule your appointment online and/or check if your insurance covers the vaccination, visit:

OTHER FACILITIES:
Facility Name: Mobile Health Clinic
Facility Address: 229 West 36th Street Manhattan 10018
Fee Info: $25
Phone: (646) 625-3008

Facility Name: Duane Reade
Facility Address: 358 5TH AVE Manhattan 10001
Fee Info: $31.99
Phone: (212) 279-0208

Facility Name: Rite Aid
Facility Address: 542 Second Avenue Manhattan 10016
Fee Info: $29.99 ($39.99 for flu mist)
Phone: (212) 213-9887

Facility Name: Cordette Pharmacy
Facility Address: 52 West 39th Street Manhattan 10018
Fee Info: $20
Phone: (212) 398-9999

Facility Name: Kmart Pharmacy
Facility Address: 250 West 34th Street Manhattan 10001
Fee Info: $24.99
Phone: (212) 760-1242

For additional sites with free vaccinations in New York City, as well as additional information regarding influenza, please refer to the following web sites: NYCDOHMH Vaccine Clinics, www.nyc.gov/flu or www.cdc.gov/flu

Also visit the Wellness Center - Student Health Services website for more information on flu resources:
http://cuny.is/wellnessresources

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