

## **BOSTON COLLEGE**

UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICES

Dear Boston College Student,

University Health Services (UHS) would like to welcome you to Boston College (BC). All <u>mandatory health forms</u> can be found on our UHS website or on your agora Health Services portal. Massachusetts immunization requirements apply to all international students, full-time and part-time health science students, full-time undergraduate students under 30 years of age and graduate students under 30 years of age. All students are required to submit the TB Questionnaire located on your Health Services portal. Immunizations must be entered into the Health Services portal (instructions below).

## **Submission Dates:**

- Fall Enrollment: July 1
- Spring Enrollment: January 1

All required forms must be uploaded and entered into the Health Services portal within 30 days after classes start. If you <u>do not comply</u>, you will be *unable to register* for the following semester's classes, and a <u>\$95 non-refundable</u> <u>late fee</u> will be applied to your student account.

The BC *Documentation of Immunization* form details which vaccines are <u>required by the State of Massachusetts</u> and those that UHS highly recommends. Your documentation should include all required vaccines listed OR positive titers.

- Immunizations
  - Required for international students, full-time and part-time health science students, full-time undergraduate students under 30 years of age and graduate students under 30 years of age
  - o Students must electronically enter dates on their Health Service portal
  - Students must upload a copy of your vaccination record or upload the completed *Documentation of Immunizations* form (found on our website)
- TB Questionnaire
  - Required for all students
  - Electronically filled out on their Health Services portal
  - If you answered yes to any of the questions, please complete the *TB Testing* form (found on our website) or reach out to UHS with any additional questions
- Health History
  - Required for all undergraduate and international students, recommended for all
  - o Electronically filled out on their Health Services portal or found on our website
- Physical Exam
  - Recommended for all
  - Completed and signed by a healthcare professional
  - Found on our website
- Varsity Athletics
  - Immunizations requirements as above
  - TB Questionnaire and TB Testing form as above
  - Health history form required
  - Physical exam required within 6 months of entry
  - Sickle cell lab documentation
  - Concussion Education



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Requirements 🔽 = required

	Undergraduate & International students	Graduate students under 30 years of age	Graduate students over 30 years of age	Part-time Health Science students	Part-time students under 30 years of age	Part-time students over 30 years of age
TB Questionnaire	$\mathbf{\nabla}$	$\mathbf{\nabla}$	$\checkmark$	$\mathbf{\nabla}$	$\mathbf{\nabla}$	N
Immunizations	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$	not required	$\checkmark$	not required	not required
Physical Exam	recommend	recommend	recommend	recommend	recommend	recommend
Boston College Health History	$\checkmark$	recommend	recommend	recommend	recommend	recommend

Directions to Submit Forms to Health Services Portal: <a href="https://bc.studenthealthportal.com/">https://bc.studenthealthportal.com/</a>

- Go to the Agora Portal > Other Services > Health Services to access the Health Service Portal. Once in the Health Service Portal, there will be a banner of all required immunizations.
  - Any vaccine with a green checkmark indicates that you are compliant with that vaccine.
  - Any vaccine with a red X next to it indicates that you are not compliant with this vaccine.
- Scan or take a picture of *Documentation of Immunization* form or immunization record, physical exam, and *TB Testing* form if indicated. Save them to your computer or phone. Do not use special characters when naming your files.
- Next, choose DOCUMENT UPLOAD to upload your document with corresponding drop-down type.
- Select the file you are uploading and hit the SAVE button with each file.
  - After submission you will see *Thank you for submitting your documents!* in small font under Upload Document. You will be able to continue to upload additional documents.
  - Varsity athletes are required to upload sickle cell lab test results.
- Once forms have been uploaded, go to the top of the page, select the IMMUNIZATION LINK, and enter the dates of all of your vaccines as documented on your form and to finalize click the SUBMIT button.

Once completed, please do not send your paper documentation to UHS, please maintain them for your records.

Thank you in advance for your commitment to the health and wellbeing of our community.

Best of luck in your studies,

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