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UCSD Incoming Health Requirements 2025-2026

Student Health Services



Webinar Outline

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WHY DOES THE UC HAVE HEALTH REQUIREMENTS?

To **protect** you, your friends, your classmates and the entire University community from vaccine preventable communicable diseases!

To **reduce outbreaks** that cause significant personal and academic disruption.

Current **re-emerging** vaccine preventable diseases



WHAT ARE THE HEALTH REQUIREMENTS?



Tuberculosis Screening +/- testing for those at higher risk



Immunizations/Vaccines

Tdap

Measles, Mumps & Rubella (MMR)

Varicella (Chickenpox)

Meningococcal (ACWY)





Influenza/COVID updated dose for Fall/Winter 2025-2026



STARTING THE PROCESS

The Student Health Website https://studenthealth.ucsd.edu/



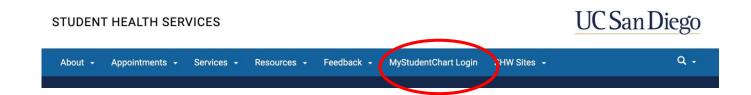




SIGN-UP FOR MYSTUDENTCHART

https://mystudentchart.ucsd.edu/shs/

- You will need your UCSD Student AD login (email and password)
- You will be issued a campus username and email account soon after accepting an offer of admission.
- If you have any issues with your AD login:
- https://blink.ucsd.edu/technology/network/access/

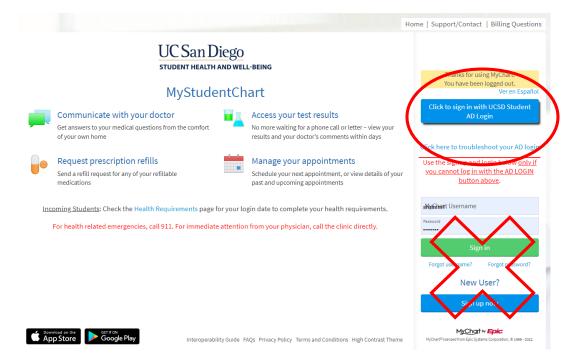






EPIC STUDENT PORTAL - MYSTUDENTCHART

Go to https://mystudentchart.ucsd.edu/shs





MYSTUDENTCHART – LIVE DEMO



- Login to <u>MyStudentChart</u>
- Or go onto the Student Health website > MyStudentChart Login
- Follow link provided in Triton Checklist or Graduate Division
- Welcome page includes link to requirements & Ask a Nurse
- Desktop/App
- Navigation (COVID-19 Vaccines/TB/Regular Immunizations)
- MENU > IMMUNIZATIONS & SCREENING
- MENU > COVID-19
- Uploads



TUBERCULOSIS REQUIREMENT



TUBERCULOSIS RISK SCREENING

Deadline: July 14th, 2025

- 1. Complete the 5 Question TB Risk Screening Questionnaire
- 2. If prompted, take the TB Testing form to your Health Care Provider
- 3. TB Testing can include:
 - TB Skin Test (PPD) or
 - IGRA Blood Test (QuantiFERON or T-Spot)
 - Chest Xray (report in English needs to be uploaded)
- 4. Student Health Registered Nurse will review your submission
- 5. Messages will be sent with missing items or follow up



COMPLETE AS SOON AS YOU ARE ABLE TO AVOID AN ENROLLMENT HOLD



IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS



REGULAR IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS



Deadline: July 14th, 2025

Holds placed: November 1st, 2025

- Obtain your vaccine records for Tdap, MMR, Varicella & Meningococcal (ACWY)
- Use the Immunization Form to guide you (found on the SHS website) OR your own vaccine records
- Form contains strong recommended vaccines that are useful to have in your medical records
- Go to your Health Care Provider to have the form filled out if you have no records and/or to receive missing vaccines/blood titers
- Submit what you have had even if incomplete, you have the start of the Fall Qtr to complete all vaccines

VACCINE GUIDE



TDAP

- ADULT Tetanus and Diphtheria with PERTUSSIS (Whooping cough)
- 1 dose on or after the 11th birthday
- Dtap or Td do not meet the requirement

MMR (MEASLES, MUMPS & RUBELLA)

- 2 doses on or after the 1st birthday at least 28 days apart
- OR blood test (titer) to show immunity if uncertain or if have had the disease
- Single vaccines: 2 doses of measles & mumps, 1 dose of rubella

VARICELLA (CHICKEN POX)

- 2 doses on or after the 1st birthday at least 28 days apart
- OR blood test (titer) to show immunity if uncertain or if have had the disease

MENINGOCOCAL-ACWY

- For students 22 years or younger
- 1 dose on or after the 16th birthday
- Brand names: Menactra, Menveo, Menquadfi
- Does not include Meningococcal B vaccine

EXEMPTIONS

Exemption Information



UC San Diego STUDENT HEALTH AND WELL-BEING Student Health Services

Medical Exemption

A Medical Exemption can be requested to allow an exemption consistent with Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidance and manufacturer labeling on contraindications and precautions.

Students with a medical condition having a contraindication to the MMR, Varicella, Tdap, Meningococcal, or COVID-19 vaccines will need their provider to complete the Student Immunization Exemption Request Form. Your form needs to be signed by an MD, DO, PA or NP please.

STUDENT IMMUNIZATION MEDICAL EXEMPTION REQUEST FORM (PDF)

Religious Exemption

As of January 1, 2025, the University of California will permit students to request exception to vaccination based on religious belief.

STUDENT IMMUNIZATION RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION FORM (PDF)

 Log into MyStudentChart to submit the Student Immunization Medical or Religious Exception Request Form: Message Ask-A-Nurse "Vaccine Exemption"

SEASONAL VACCINES - Influenza & COVID-19

- Updated doses each Fall & Winter Quarters
- Available at Student Health or retail pharmacies
- Decline if desired, opt-out vaccines



FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- 1. WHERE CAN I FIND MY VACCINE RECORDS?
 - Early childhood records
 - Health providers/Medical clinics
 - High School
 - Other colleges/schools you have attended
- 2. WHAT DO I DO IF I CANNOT FIND ANY OF MY VACCINE RECORDS?
 - You can have blood tests for MMR & Varicella
- 3. SOME OF THE VACCINES ARE NOT AVAILABLE TO ME CAN I GET THEM ONCE ON CAMPUS?
 - All vaccines are available at Student Health on campus by appointment only
 - No charge with UCSHIP
 - COVID-19 Vaccine & Influenza/Tdap/HPV vaccine clinics





- **4.** I HAD THE BCG VACCINATION AS A CHILD FOR PROTECTION AGAINST TB, DO I NEED TO DO TB TESTING?
- This does not offer lifelong protection
- 5. MY TB SKIN TEST WAS POSITIVE WHAT DO I DO?
- You should have your healthcare provider order a Chest X-ray
- 6. MY MEDICAL RECORDS ARE NOT IN ENGLISH WHAT SHOULD I DO?
- Please have them translated
- 7. MY RELIGIOUS BELIEF EXCLUDES VACCINES
- That is an option for all vaccines, please refer to our website for the appropriate form
- 8. I HAVE AN ALLERGY OR OTHER MEDICAL REASON WHY I CANNOT GET ONE OR MORE OF THE VACCINES WHAT SHOULD I DO?
- Go to the Student Health website and download a Medical Exemption form and have your healthcare provider fill it out for you



DEADLINES & ENROLLMENT HOLD DATES

TUBERCULOSIS

- Need to complete the TB Risk Assessment AND TB testing if indicated
- Deadline July 14th (preventing Fall enrollment)
- Holds placed July 29th
- Once a hold is placed submit as soon as you can and the hold will be lifted

IMMUNIZATIONS

- Submit as many vaccine dates as you can before deadline of July 14th
- Get any missing vaccines on campus or in the US during the Fall Quarter
- Submit everything before November 1st
- Holds placed November 1st (preventing Winter enrollment

Student Health Services (SHS)

Offering a comprehensive range of medical services to meet the diverse needs of UC San Diego students.
Convenient on-campus resources make it easy to access the care you need.

- Primary and urgent care
- On-site pharmacy, lab testing, X-rays and optometry
- UC SHIP & RAFT







Willo

Designed by students for students, Willo is an innovative mobile app that helps students navigate UC San Diego's health and well-being resources and recommends services based on interests and needs.





HOW TO GET HELP

- Send us a message to "Ask-a-Nurse" in MyStudentChart
- Email shstb@health.ucsd.edu if you are having technical difficulties
- Everything is on our website including all forms
- Please complete requirements as soon as you can to avoid enrollment holds!



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