

**Health Department Offers H1N1 Flu Vaccine Clinics for Priority Groups
General Public to Receive Vaccine Following Priority Groups**



The Health Department is preparing to open H1N1 flu vaccination clinics at five sites. These walk-in clinics are initially for people in specific high priority target groups. Once the high priority populations have received the vaccine, the Health Department will provide the vaccine to the general public.

In addition to the Health Department clinics, vaccinations will be available from a large number of community healthcare providers, pharmacies and clinics in November and December. More than 430 local providers and facilities registered to receive vaccine in the county.

Gurnee

Advocate Condell Medical Building
1425 Hunt Club Road, Suite 103

Thursday, Oct. 29 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 30 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 31 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 1 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Note: This clinic will remain open for several months to provide vaccine to the general public following the priority groups.

Mundelein

Carl Sandburg Middle School Gymnasium
855 W. Hawley Street

Thursday, Oct. 29 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 30 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 31 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 1 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.

These clinics are walk-in only. Please note that only the H1N1 flu vaccine, and not the seasonal flu vaccine, is available at these clinics.

Round Lake Beach

Round Lake Area Park District Sports Center
2004 Municipal Way

Thursday, Oct. 29 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 30 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 31 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 1 - 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.

Waukegan

Field House at Hinkston Park
800 N. Baldwin Avenue

Thursday, Oct. 29 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 30 - 8 a.m. - 8 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 31 - 8 a.m. - 5 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 1 - 8 a.m. - 12 p.m.

North Chicago

The Lake County Health Department's
North Chicago Community Health Center
2215 14th Street

Thursday, Oct. 29 - 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 30 - 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 31 - 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 1 - Closed

The high priority target population groups for the H1N1 vaccine include:

- Individuals 6 months to 24 years of age
- Caretakers and household contacts of children under 6 months of age
- All pregnant women
- Healthcare and emergency medical services employees
- People 25 to 64 years of age with underlying medical conditions, such as asthma or diabetes, which put them at high risk for flu-related complications.

H1N1 vaccinations have been produced in several forms such as nasal spray and shots. Health Department vaccination clinic staff will work with residents to determine the best form of vaccine for each individual, based on health needs and vaccine availability. It is also very important that anyone who received a seasonal flu shot this year to bring a record of that vaccination to the H1N1 clinic so staff can determine the best form of vaccine to provide.