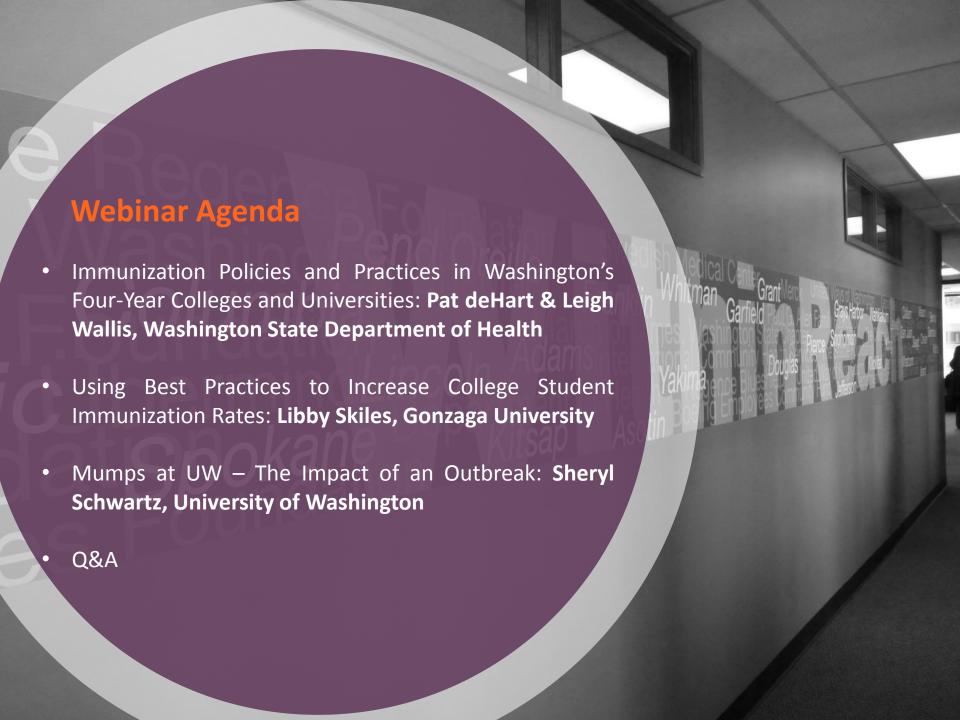






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Immunization Practices and Policies in Washington State Four-Year Colleges and Universities 2016





Project

 Collaboration between WA DOH Office of Immunization and Child Profile and WithinReach

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Purpose

For WA colleges and universities:

- Evaluate immunization requirements, policies, and practices
- Convene stakeholders to review survey findings
- Use findings to explore the need for and effectiveness of immunization initiatives, including:
 - Statewide requirements
 - Education

Background

WA has no state law requiring Prematriculation Immunization Requirements (PIRs).

WA Meningococcal Vaccine Education Mandate

- July 1, 2004
- Four-year colleges providing on-campus or group housing must give information on meningococcal disease to each enrolled first-time student.
- Community and technical colleges only have to provide information to students being offered on-campus housing.

Methods

- Web-based survey conducted in 2016
- 24 four-year colleges and universities in Washington surveyed

- Response Rate: 100% (N=24)
 - 1/3 Public (N=8)
 - 2/3 Private (N=16)
- Size Range: 200-25,000 undergraduates 15-14,000 graduate students
- 21 have on-campus housing

- 19 (79%) had some immunization requirements
 - Measles most common, followed by hepatitis B
- 18 (95%) imposed sanctions
 - Most frequent: not allowed to register (68%) and restricted clinical activities (50%)

- 16 (2/3) had some prematriculation immunization **recommendations** for all students
 - Men ACWY most common, followed by hepatitis B
- 15 (63%) reported compliance with WA's meningococcal education mandate

WA Immunization Information System

- 19 (79%) institutions maintained student immunization/immunity information
- High interest/low use of the IIS among colleges. Only 4 institutions reported using the IIS.
- If your college is interested in using the IIS, there are three criteria:
 - Organization must have a licensed health care professional
 - Signed information sharing agreement
 - All users must have their own account to log in

- We also asked: "Do you think that the state should require students entering colleges and universities to receive any vaccinations?"
 - 19 (79%) responded "Yes"
 - With 2 adding that exemptions should be allowed
 - 3 responded "Unsure"
 - 2 did not answer

Post-Survey Activities

- 1. Follow-up meeting with colleges & universities
- 2. New DOH webpage: For College Students and Administrators www.doh.wa.gov/YouandYourFamily/Immunization/CollegeStudents
- 3. Outreach to colleges about IIS via follow-up email
- 4. DOH is promoting the Alana Yaksich National College/University Flu Vaccination Challenge

www.alanasfoundation.org/national-challenge

5. New! Nadia's Story added to DOH college webpage

http://www.doh.wa.gov/YouandYourFamily/Immunization/CollegeStudents/NadiasStory

A Washington mom's message about meningococcal disease

"Through this horrendous experience of seeing my child suffer and then die, I must do something. My dream is to help just ONE CHILD and their family not go through this devastating disease. I must try to help eliminate meningitis from the face of the earth! We must work together!" —Karin Willett

Read Story and make sure you get vaccinated against meningococcal disease.

Facebook



Resources

IIS Enrollment

Getting access to the IIS

IIS Questions & Assistance

1-800-325-5599

WAIISHelpDesk@doh.wa.gov

Request IIS Training

IIS.Training@doh.wa.gov

IIS Training Resources

www.doh.wa.gov/trainingIIS

Recorded IIS Monthly Webinars

Visit the IIS YouTube Channel <u>here</u>

IIS Newsletter

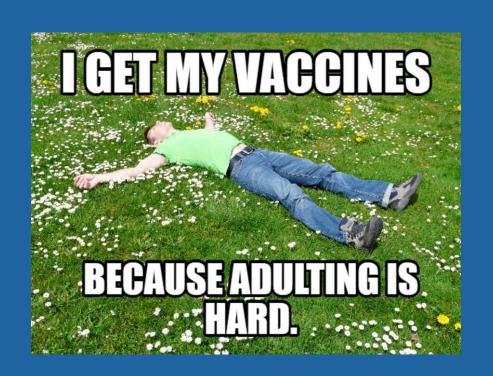
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Immunizations at GU: Ongoing Process Improvement to Increase Student Immunization Rates



Mandatory Immunization Requirement

- Require proof of measles immunity
 - 2 doses of measles vaccine or titer

 Strongly recommend immunizations in accordance with ACHA's Recommendation for Institutional Prematriculation Immunizations

History & Context

- Health Center administration change in June 2014
- Began reviewing our compliance with our mandatory requirement in September
- Findings
 - More than 400 students had been attending class w/o meeting the requirement
 - Nearly 200 students had filed waivers
 - Most because they "couldn't find their records" or "mom would send them soon"

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MANDATORY PROOF OF IMMUNIZATION

Last Name (Please Print)	First Name		M.I.	
Permanent Address (Street Address or PO, City, S	tate, Zip)	Phone Number		
Date of Birth		Gonzaga University ID Nu	ımber	
I will begin classes (circle one): Fall Semester	OR Spring Semester	OR Summer Session	of	School year

Measles can be a serious and life threatening illness. As a public health measure and in accordance with the Centers for Disease Control guidelines, the University requires verification of measles (Rubeola) immunity for all students born after December 31, 1956. You may not be permitted to register for courses without proof of measles (Rubeola) immunity at the Gonzaga University Health Center.

Proof of immunity means:

- 1. Two doses of measles (Rubeola) vaccine received after one year of age, at least one month apart, or
- 2. A blood test showing measles (Rubeola) immunity, or
- 3. Diagnosed measles (Rubeola) disease (health care provider's signature required).

Acceptable documentation is (copies only, please keep your originals):

- 1. School Certificate of Immunization, or
- 2. Official immunization records from your health care provider or public health department, or
- 3. Copy of your immunization card, or
- Copy of your military immunization record, or
- 5. This form completed and signed by your health care provider.

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Health Care Provider's Name	Health Care Provider's Signature	Date
Signat	ture <u>NOT</u> required if you have immunization docu	uments attached.
If you have reason to be exempt on religiou	s or personal grounds, please call Gonzaga Univers	sity Health Center at 509-313-4066.

Return a copy of your official records and this form to:

Gonzaga University Health Center 502 E. Boone Ave., MSC Box 2506 Spokane, WA 99258-2506

FAX: 509-313-5516

QUESTIONS??

Please call 509-313-4066



Greetings From The Health Center:

Welcome! We are a campus medical clinic for Gonzaga students. All Gonzaga students are eligible and no insurance is necessary. We are located at 704 E. Sharp (corner of Sharp and Dakota). Our hours are 8:00am to 11:45am and 1:00pm to 5:00pm Monday through Friday during the academic year. Tuesdays we open at 10:00am. If you visit the Health Center or another health care facility you or your insurance plan is responsible for the fees incurred. An insurance plan provided by Gonzaga is available in the Student Accounts office.

Please complete this form and return it to the Health Center <u>as soon as possible (Remember</u>-failure to provide the MMR (Rubeola) information could impact your ability to register for classes.)

MENINGOCOCCAL IMMUNIZATION INFORMATION

ALL FIRST-TIME STUDENTS MUST READ AND ACKNOWLEDGE.

House Bill 1827 enacted by the legislature of the State of Washington requires that all degree-granting institutions inform students of the following:

1. Students living in residence halls are at a slightly increased risk for bacterial meningitis;

- Bacterial meningitis is a deadly disease, sometimes within hours after the first symptoms. The symptoms are flu-like such as fever, severe headache, neck stiffness, nausea and vomiting, sensitivity to light, and lethargy. Immediate medical care is needed if two or more of these symptoms occur at one time.
- A safe vaccine exists that can reduce the risk. Please consult with your doctor, your county health clinic, or come to the Health Center for a vaccination.

Insurance

PLEASE INCLUDE A COPY OF THE FRONT AND BACK OF YOUR INSURANCE CARD WITH THIS FORM.

Since students are responsible for all medical charges made by the Health Center or another health care provider, it is reasonable, responsible and prudent to have a major medical plan. It may be a requirement to matriculate. There is an automatic accident plan for every student.

- Make sure your insurance company covers your student "out of area."
- If not, consider a supplemental policy or purchase the Student Injury and Sickness plan offered through Gonzaga by a private injurance carrier
- In the Health Center, charges may be billed to a student through Student Accounts which are often then billed to their home address.
- The Health Center does not bill insurance. We do provide a Fee Slip that is specifically designed to be submitted to insurance
 companies.
- These Fee Slips may be submitted to their private insurance plan to either help meet deductibles or to seek reimbursement either by the student or their parents.

International Students - You must provide proof of basic and major medical health and accident insurance or you will be required to purchase a policy provided through Gonzaga by a private insurance carrier. You may contact the International Student Programs office at 509-313-6562.

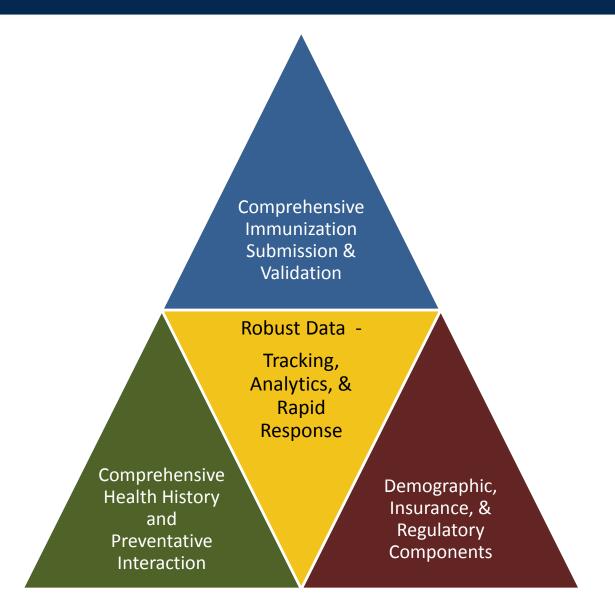
Emergency Contact for	(Enter student name here)	:	
Name	Phone Number	Address	
Any Allergies?	If reaction, what ki	ind?	
Disabilities? If so, please contact D.R.E.A.M. (Disability F	Resources, Education & Acces	s Management) at (509) 313-4134.	
Mental Health Concerns?			
Chronic health problems, illness, or injury?_			
Medications presently taking?			

2015 – Process Improvement Begins

Identified opportunities:

- Almost no health history for students
 - Student struggled to articulate their history during appointments
- More than 50% of our undergraduate population studies abroad
 - We had no imms to do their health clearance
- Multiple communicable disease outbreaks and exposures
 - Had to chase imm records as issues came up

2015 – Process Improvement Begins



2015 – First Draft Solution

Four part process change:

- 1. Complete form overhaul
- Addition of a health history
- 3. Partial immunization history required
- 4. Implementation of a Nurse Reviewed Exemption process

Student Health Center

502 East Boone Avenue Spokane, WA 99258-2506 509.313.4066 direct 509.313.5516 fax studenthealth@gonzaga.edu



Welcome from all of us at the Gonzaga University Student Health Center!

This packet contains important information about the healthcare services we provide at Gonzaga University as well as some forms for you to fill out so that we can best care for you. Please be sure to return your completed forms to the Student Health Center by August 1.

As you review this information and complete these forms, please let us know if you have any questions.

Sincerely.

Libby Skiles

Director, Student Health Center

New Student Medical Forms

There are a few different medical forms that you will need to fill out and return to the Student Health Center. This information will assist our healthcare professionals in managing any medical illnesses or injuries you may experience while at Gonzaga.

Forms may be returned via the enclosed prepaid envelope, scanned and emailed to studenthealth@gonzaga.edu or faxed to the Student Health Center at (509) 313-5516. Failure to return these forms by August 1 will impact your ability to register for classes. The forms include:

- Patient Information. In addition to the information requested on this form, please include a copy (front and back) of your insurance card.
- Treatment Authorization for Minors. If you are going to be under the age of 18 when you arrive at Gonzaga, the Student Health Center requires a parent or guardian to sign the Treatment Authorization section of the Patient Information form
- Health History. We ask that you complete this form as accurately as possible to let us know of any ongoing health concerns you may have.
- Meningitis and HPV Acknowledgement. Washington State law requires that all students be informed about meningitis and human papillomavirus, including causes, symptoms, and vaccinations.
- Immunization History. Gonzaga requires verification of measles (Rubeola) immunity for all students. Please provide your full immunization history with special attention to the measles requirement.

Healthcare Services and Charges

Our healthcare services are available to all Gonzaga University students, regardless of insurance provider. There is a minimal cost to see our Board Certified Family Medicine Physician or Advanced Registered Nurse Practitioners. Students may pay cash, credit, or charge this amount to their student account. There may be an occasional need for diagnostic tests that cannot be performed in the Student Health Center. We strongly encourage students to have medical insurance to cover these costs.

Student Health Center - New Student Medical Forms



	TIENT INFORMATION
	STUDENT INFORMATION
Name:	Date of Birth://
	Sex:
Phone:	E-mail:
Semester and year of enrollment (e.g. Fall 2015):	
Student Status: Undergrad Grad	☐ Law ☐ Doctoral ☐ ESL ☐ International
Will you be participating in: ROTC	Athletics
EMER	GENCY CONTACT INFORMATION
Name:	Relationship:
Home Phone:	Cell phone:
Address:	
	HEALTH INSURANCE
The Student Health Center does not bill insurance companies for reimbursement of expenses.	a. We do provide a fee slip that is specifically designed to be submitted to insurance
	as incurred with the Student Health Center or any other healthcare providers, we
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Student Health Center - New Student Medical Forms



PERSONAL AND FAMILY HEALTH HISTORY

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Name:		Date o	f Birth://		
Zag ID#:		Sex:			
Please mark (X) in the appropriate space if you					
	You	Family		You	Family
Acne/Eczema/Skin Disorder			16. Heart Disease		
ADD/ADHD/Learning Disability			17. Hepatitis		
3. Alcohol/Drug Counseling or Treatment			18. High Blood Pressure		
Anemia or Blood Condition			19. Immunocompromising Condition/HIV		
5. Arthritis			20. Kidney Disease		
6. Asthma/Lung Disease/Pneumonia			21. Migraines/Frequent/Severe Headaches		
7. Bulimia/Eating Disorder			22. Mobility Limitations		
8. Cancer			23. Mononucleosis		
9. Depression/Anxiety/Psychological Disorder			24. Neurologic Condition		
10. Diabetes			25. Seizure Disorder/Epilepsy		
11. Ear. Nose, or Throat Problems			26. Spinal Injury		
12. Gastrointestinal Disorder			27. Stroke		
13. Gynecologic Problems			28. Thyroid Disorder		
14. Head Injury/Concussion/Loss of Consciousness			29. Tuberculosis		
15. Hearing Loss			30. Vision Impairment		
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Student Health Center - New Student Medical Forms



MENINGITIS AND HPV ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

STUDENT INFORMATION
Name: Date of Birth: / / /
MENINGITIS INFORMATION
Washington State law requires that you be provided with information about the causes, symptoms, and methods of preventing meningococcal disease. As a college student, you need to know about the potentially life-threatening disease caused by meningococcal bacteria.
Meningococcal meningitis affects the brain and spinal cord. It is caused by a group of bacteria that live in the nose and throat. Because it can lead to death within 48 hours, bacterial meningitis requires early diagnosis and treatment. This is often difficult because the symptoms of meningitis closely resemble flu-like symptoms, such as fever, severe headache, neck stiffness, nausea and vomiting, sensitivity to light, and lethargy.
Meningitis is spread through direct contact with infected material, including kissing, coughing, sneezing, or sharing eating or drinking utensils. Studies of outbreaks at colleges and universities suggest that students living in residence halls have a higher risk of contracting this disease because they live and work in close proximity to each other.
A safe vaccine exists that can reduce the risk. Please consult with your doctor or come to the Student Health Center for a vaccination. This vaccination is not required for enrollment at Gonzaga.
HUMAN PAPILLOMAVIRUS (HPV) INFORMATION
Washington State law also requires that we provide information regarding human papillomavirus (HPV) disease and its vaccine.
HPV is a very common virus that is spread through genital contact. There are many types of HPV, and some types can cause cervical cancer or genital warts. Both females and males can get HPV and easily spread it to others without knowing they have it. Most people with HPV have no signs or symptoms.
There is a vaccine that protects against four types of HPV which cause 70 percent of cervical cancers and 90 percent of genital warts.
Please consult with your doctor or come to the Student Health Center for a vaccination. This vaccination is not required for enrollment at Gonzaga.
PLEASE READ AND SIGN
PLEASE READ AND SIGN I have read and understand the above information.
Student Signature: Date:



IMMUNIZATION HISTORY STUDENT INFORMATION Date of Birth: / Semester and year of enrollment (e.g. Fall 2015): _____ MANDATORY VACCINATION FOR ALL STUDENTS Gonzaga University requires verification of measles immunity for all students. Proof of immunity means: 1. Two doses of measles (Rubeola) vaccine received after one year of age, at least one month apart, or 2. A blood test showing measles (Rubeola) immunity You may provide proof of immunity by completing the form below or attaching a copy of your immunization record or blood test (titer) RECOMMENDED VACCINATIONS Hepatitis A: Polio: Completed primary series of polio immunization? Yes No Date of 5th dose ____/___/ Other vaccinations (such as typhoid, yellow fever, etc.): PLEASE READ AND SIGN I certify that the information above is complete and accurate. Student Signature: Date:

2015 – First Draft Wins

- Much more clarity for students when completing the form
- Robust health histories
 - Parents able to assist first-time students
 - Allowed for aggregate health snapshots
 - Individualized e-mails to students w/specific resources based on their health history
- More complete insurance information and improved regulatory acknowledgment
- Some improvement in robustness of immunization history
- RN waiver review dropped us to less than half a dozen approved waivers

Robust Data

Demo., Ins., & Reg.

2015 – First Draft Challenges

	RECOMMENDED VACCINATIONS
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Hepatitis B:	#1/
HPV (Gardasil):	#1/
Meningococcal:	#1
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A LOT of data entry issues!

Not enough places to list imms

Asking for last dose or student to verify full series

Dtap and Tdap confused everyone

2016 – Draft #2

Two primary process changes:

- Update of immunizations requesting full immunization details
- Implementation of a nurse review process
 - Forms received by admin team and reviewed for completeness
 - RN reviews all immunizations and makes recommendations based on current ACHA recommendations
 - Admin team sends e-mail to student confirming receipt of all required information or missing information
 - Includes list of immunizations recommended by RN





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Measles vaccine (may be MMR, MR, or M) #1//
RECOMMENDED VACCINATIONS
Hepatitis A: #1/
Hepatitis B: #1/
HPV (Gardasil): #1/
Meningococcat: #1//
Meningococcal B (MenB)*: #1//
*Bexsero is a 2 dose series while Trumenba is a 3 dose series.
Polio**: #1/
**4 doses of Inactivated Polio Vaccine (IPV) or 5 doses of Oral Polio Vaccine (OPV) recommended by age 6.
DTaP***: #1/
***5 doses of Diphtheria-Tetanus-Pertussis recommended by age 6.
Tdap (Tetanus/diphtheria/pertussis): #1//
Varicella (Chickenpox): Had disease? ☐ Yes ☐ No #1///
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I certify that the information above is complete and accurate.
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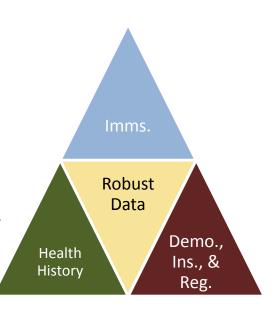
2016 – Draft #2 Wins & Challenges

Wins

- Significantly improved robustness in immunization information
- Better data than previous years re: imms
- RN imms review resulted in increased immunization rates
 - Students and parents were shocked they were off-schedule, incomplete, or did not have recommended vaccines

Challenges

- Continued data entry issues
- Still difficult to quickly capture imms data and respond
- Time intensive for staff
 - Paper form required manual data entry into EMR



2017 – Draft #3

- Conversion of entire process to online entry
 - Medicat EMR / patient portal
- New immunization records requirement
 - No imms verified without a primary source document
- Addition of a Resilience & Transitions Self-Assessment tool for first-time undergrads





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Welcome to Gonzaga University's Online Wellness Portal

In this portal, you will have access to a number of online services that can be accessed via the tabs at the top of the page.

New Student Health Forms

To complete your New Student Health Forms process, please complete these required tasks under each of the following tabs:

- · Immunizations -- Input immunizations
- . Insurance Input health insurance information and upload photos of your card(s)
- . Forms -- Complete all required forms
- . Upload -- Upload required supporting documents
- · Edit your profile information
 - . Click on your name in the upper right hand corner and Edit Your Profile to ensure we have your contact info. (Note: Do not include dashes or other symbols when entering your phone number. This will cause an error.)

Please note: this documentation requires the electronic signature of the student and MUST BE COMPLETED BY THE STUDENT THEMSELVES. We welcome parents to assist in this process, but the actual completion of these forms must be done by the student.

If you have any questions, you can e-mail our staff via the Messages tab, call us at 509-313-4053, or e-mail studenthealth@gonzaga.edu from your Zagmail.

A Note about Data Security:

We are committed to protecting your personal information. Data that you provide cannot be viewed by anyone else on the Web and is securely maintained by industry standard SSL (secure socket layer) encryption and decryption technology when needed. We do not share your information with anyone else.

To Do List



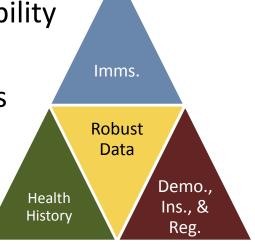


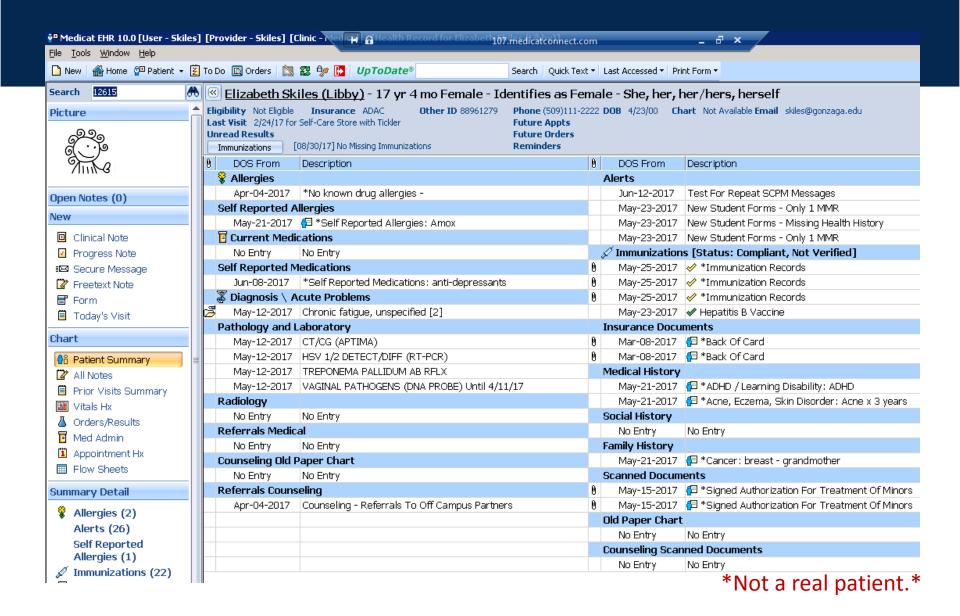


2017 – Draft #3 Wins

Wins

- Improved immunization data and accuracy
- Easier capturing of communication to student
 - Automatically copied into their chart
- All data is automatically captured in student's chart
 - Holy Health History, Batman!
- Significant increase in data robustness and ability to run reports instantly
- Students can now pull their own imm records
 - Huge timesaver for staff!
- Ability to quickly send resource e-mails to students based on health conditions





2017 – Draft #3 Challenges

Challenges

- Multiple technical challenges and quirks involved in transitioning to a new system
- Making GU system talk with Medicat system for students who hadn't yet started
- Students had to take more ownership because it wasn't physically in their hands (or in their parents' hands)

Imms.

Robust

Data

History

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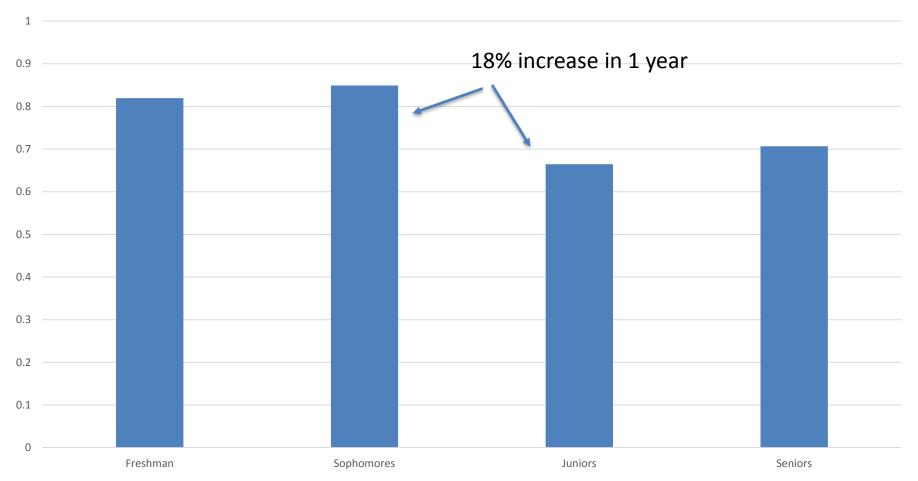
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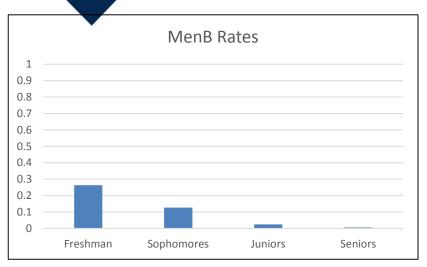
- In some ways, increased student work involved
 - Had to follow instructions of the 5 steps to complete instead of just flipping the page and being presented with the next step

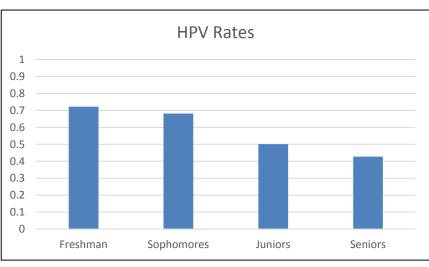
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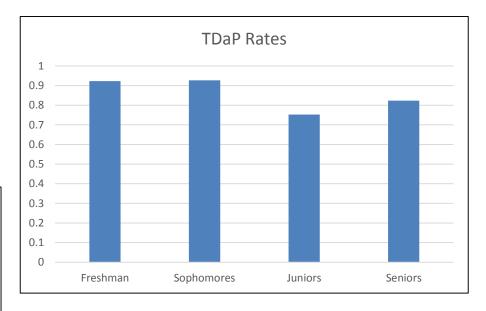




Quantitative Outcomes cont.





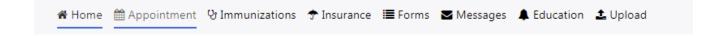


Other helpful factors

- Data reflects both students who have completed as well as students who are in process of a vaccination series
- Environmental factors have contributed to the increase
 - More MD offices on EMRs that help them identify vaccination gaps
 - Communicable disease outbreaks resulting in increased attention to vaccination rates
 - Increased data debunking autism / vaccine connection
- MenB released in 2015, and off campus students perceive their risk as reduced

Next steps – Draft #4

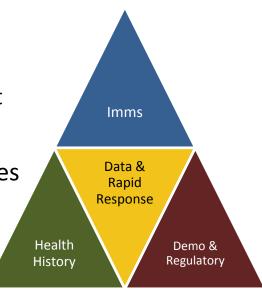
- Modification of data entry process for students
 - Streamlining where possible
- Language is key!
 - More specific outlining of 5 primary clearance steps in New Student Checklist
 - Can't call it New Student Health Forms



- Working with IT to resolve some interface quirks
- Due date movement to give students more time to get additional imms
- Additional student data fields to be able to run improved emergency response reports

Keep in mind...

- Take it one step at a time!
 - There is no way we could have done this in one swoop
 - Select your top priority on the pyramid and build from it
- Outcomes and ability to respond quickly in emergencies makes the case for administration
 - Use that data!
 - This is an investment.
- Parents and students are generally really appreciative of these efforts
 - Coach them to check in with their own MD (who almost always agrees with us)
 - Even if they decide not to get a recommended vaccine, they've made an informed decision



Questions?

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Mumps at UW: The Impact of an Outbreak

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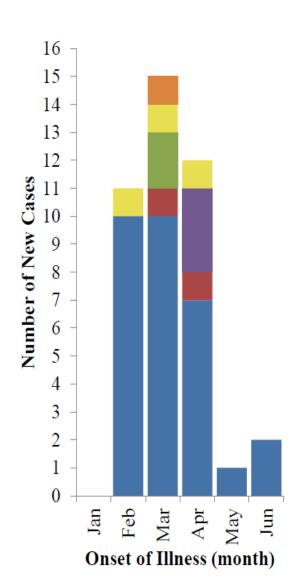


Who, When, and How Many

- 43 mumps cases
- Onset dates: Feb. 6 June 5
- 32 cases from sorority and fraternity houses
- "Greek houses" are independent
- 99% rate of MMR vaccination
- 7 outbreak-dose MMR vaccination clinics (827)
- Terrific support and guidance from PHSKC!



UW Mumps Cases by Month of Onset



- Employee, Epi-Linked to Greek
- Community Member, Epi-Linked to Greek
- Student, Non-Greek, Not Epi-Linked to Greek
- Student, Non-Greek, Epi-Linked to Greek
- Student, Greek, Dorm Housing
- Student, Greek, Greek Housing



UW Departments Involved IT TAKES A VILLAGE!

- Environmental Health & Safety (649 hours)
- Hall Health Center (student health center, 556)
- Office of Fraternity & Sorority Life (108)
- Housing & Food Services (46)
- Student Life (3)
- Media Relations (16)
- EmergencyManagement (TBD)
- Attorney General's Office (44)
- Risk Services (2)



Primary Activities

- Coordination among UW units
- Communicating to campus and Greek houses meetings, emails, and flyers
- Planning and holding vaccination clinics
- Clinical care at Hall Health
- Managing outbreak information and data





Avoid sharing items that have touched someone else's mouth, such as cups, utensils, and chapstick

Information from CDC Cost Study

Expense	UW .	PHSKC
Labor (salary and fringe)	\$114,942	\$100,926
Vaccine (UW: 581; PHSKC: 246)	\$40,424	\$13,058
Contractor	\$2,250	
Total	\$157,616	\$113,984

Note: UW's labor costs will increase approx. \$3,500, once we finalize UWEM staff hours.

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Questions and Answers

(Please type your questions into the box on the side of your screen if you haven't already).

THANK YOU!



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