

October 19, 2009

Dear L'Anse Creuse Parent/Guardian:

L'Anse Creuse Public Schools, in coordination with the Macomb County Health Department and the Macomb Intermediate School District, will be offering free H1N1 flu vaccinations. All middle school and high school students enrolled and attending L'Anse Creuse Public Schools are eligible. The H1N1 flu vaccination will be administered by injection only. The vaccination is not mandatory and will be given strictly on a voluntary basis. Information regarding preschool and elementary students will be sent in a separate mailing. The Secondary H1N1 Flu Vaccination Clinic Schedule is as follows:

Wednesday, November 18

All middle school and high school students, including those enrolled at the Frederick V. Pankow Center and the DiAnne M. Pellerin Center, will be offered the H1N1 flu vaccination on Wednesday, November 18. These students are not required to be accompanied by a parent/guardian.

All middle school students will be vaccinated at their respective home schools on Wednesday, November 18, from 12:00-4:00 p.m. Students enrolled at the Frederick V. Pankow Center will be vaccinated at their respective home schools, i.e., L'Anse Creuse High School and L'Anse Creuse High School – North, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.. Students enrolled at the DiAnne M. Pellerin Center will be vaccinated at the Pellerin Center from 10:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Please read the following attachments included in this packet:

1. Letter from Dr. Kevin Lokar, Medical Director, Macomb County Health Department
2. Influenza A (H1N1) 2009 Monovalent Vaccine Inactivated Form (**This form must be completed, signed by a parent/legal guardian and returned to the student's home school by Tuesday, October 27. Only those students who have returned the form by this date will be vaccinated on Wednesday, November 18.**)
3. 2009 H1N1 Influenza Vaccine – What You Need To Know
4. Macomb County Health Department Notice of Health Information Practices

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Letter to Secondary Parents/Guardians Regarding the H1N1 Flu Vaccination Clinic Schedule
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If you have any questions or concerns regarding the H1N1 flu vaccination, please feel free to contact the Macomb County Health Department at (586) 466-7923, or visit the Department's Web site at www.macombcountymi.gov/publichealth. Information about vaccination clinics open to the public will be posted on this Web site for children who cannot attend the clinic at their school or for those not enrolled and attending L'Anse Creuse Public Schools. Information regarding the L'Anse Creuse Public Schools' H1N1 Flu Vaccination Clinics will be available on the district's Web site at www.lc-ps.org.

Thank you, in advance, for your cooperation regarding the H1N1 flu vaccination clinic schedule.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "DiAnne M. Pellerin".

DiAnne M. Pellerin, Ed.D.
Superintendent

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Attachments

cc: All Administrators
Rayleen Bradley, District School Nurse