



Dear Parent,

In conjunction with the Arkansas Department of Health (ADH), school districts are holding Mass Flu Immunization clinics to provide flu shots for students. This is a great opportunity for children to receive this shot FREE of charge. It is very important that you read this letter and follow through with the steps required so that your child can be protected from the flu.

For your child to receive the shot, you must:

- Read the information sheet for the vaccine
- Read and complete front and back of the Arkansas Department of Health consent form
- PRINT clearly all information required on the ADH consent form
- Make sure you have signed the ADH consent form for each flu shot you want your child to receive (one signature for seasonal flu vaccine and one signature for H1N1 flu vaccine located on the back of the form)
- Sign the school district (FERPA) consent form for each flu shot you want your child to receive (one signature for seasonal flu vaccine and one signature for H1N1 flu vaccine)
- Return the consent forms to your child's school as quickly as possible

REMEMBER, only those students with the required completed paperwork, that is the signed ADH consent AND the school district consent, will be allowed to receive the flu shot(s).

EXAMPLE: if you wish for your child to receive the seasonal flu and H1N1 flu vaccines, you must sign the ADH consent for each shot as well as the school's consent form for each shot. That would be four (4) signatures. These consents must be returned to the school as soon as possible.

If you should have any questions or concerns about the vaccines or the ADH consent form, please contact your local health unit.

Thank you.