

CLEAR LAKE FAMILY PHYSICIANS

14903 El Camino Real
Houston, TX 77062
Ph: 281-486-7900
FAX: 281-286-8110

INFLUENZA VACCINATION CONSENT FORM

WHO SHOULD GET VACCINATED

Anyone who wants to reduce chances of getting the flu should be vaccinated.

You should also be vaccinated if you are in any one of the following groups:

- Anyone 50 years or older
- Anyone with chronic medical conditions or diseases
- Children aged 6 months to 23 months of age
- Pregnant women who will be more than 3 months pregnant during the flu season
- Anyone living in a nursing home or other chronic care facility
- Caregivers for adults and children
- Healthcare workers

People who should not be vaccinated:

- Anyone who has a severe allergy to chicken eggs
- Anyone who has had a severe reaction to flu vaccine in the past
- Anyone who developed Guillain-Barré Syndrome after previous vaccination
- Not approved for use in children less than 6 months of age
- Anyone who has a moderate or severe illness with fever, should wait until symptoms lessen to receive vaccination

FLU VACCINE SIDE EFFECTS

The viruses in the flu shot are inactivated, so you cannot get the flu from the flu shot. Some minor side effects are soreness, redness, and possible swelling at the injection site, low-grade fever, and some aches. Contact your physician should severe problems be noted or if allergic reaction occurs.

Patient name (please print)

Drug allergies (note above)

I have read and understood the above stated conditions. I am not allergic to eggs and I understand there may be some side effects. I hereby wish to receive the flu vaccine.

Patient Signature

Date