# TB Testing & Flu (Influenza) Vaccine

#### TB:

Students must have a TB skin test or QuantiFERON-TB (QFT) blood test or negative chest x-ray.

TB tests & chest x-rays are good for 1 year. Your test must remain valid (not expire) while you're taking the class.

### Flu (Influenza) Vaccine:

The flu vaccine is seasonal. Spring - required at time of application; Summer - not required; Fall - required once it becomes available, usually around September

## Registered Merced College Students -

Student Health Services provides free TB testing & flu vaccinations (when available) to **current** Merced College students who have paid their Student Health Fee. Contact them for current offerings and to schedule an appointment.



#### **Merced Campus**

Student Health Services – Student Union Building Phone: (209) 384-6045



#### **Los Banos Campus**

Student Health Services – Student Services Building Phone: (209) 384-6045

(This number will connect you with SHS on the Merced campus. Please notify staff that you are calling regarding services on the Los Banos campus.)

If you are not currently enrolled in a Merced College course, please check with your doctor's office or try searching "TB Testing Near Me" to find a location near you. The flu (influenza) vaccines are often offered at local pharmacies such as CVS, Walgreens, etc.

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