

LENOIR-RHYNE UNIVERSITY

Immunization Records

Proof of immunization is required for specific populations by the state of North Carolina. Failure to meet this requirement within 30 days after the first day of class will result in an immediate dismissal from the University as mandatory under the law.

Populations required to submit proof of vaccination:

- All undergraduate students including RIBN students.
- Graduate students within the following programs
 - Doctor of Nursing Practice (DNP/FNP and Post-Masters DNP)
 - Occupational Therapy (MS)
 - Dietetic Internship (DI Certificate and MS Nutrition, DI)
 - Physician Assistant Studies (MS)
 - International Students

The following immunizations are required.

- 2 doses of DPT or DTap or TD or TDAP and 1 dose of TD or TDAP in the last 10 years. (3 total vaccines required)
- 2 doses of the measles vaccine, 2 doses of the mumps vaccine, and 1 dose of the rubella vaccine. (All three together are commonly known as MMR). *Serological testing or titer test results are acceptable as well.*
- 3 doses of the Hepatitis B vaccine
- 2 doses of the Varicella vaccine (only one if born after 4/1/2001). *Serological testing or titer test results are acceptable as well.*
- 3 doses of the Polio vaccine (required of those under the age of 18)
- Although not required, the Meningococcal vaccine is highly recommended, especially for students living on campus.
- **Physician Assistant and Doctor of Nursing Practice Students** must provide proof of the flu vaccine and proof of other vaccines necessary for health care providers as recommended by the CDC <https://www2a.cdc.gov/vaccines/statevaccsApp/default.asp>.

Students within the College of Health Sciences may be required to provide proof of additional vaccines during their tenure as deemed appropriate by the program and/or the clinical site.

How to Obtain immunization records:

Immunization records can be request from your physical or the state health department in the state of your residency.

Where to submit records:

All records should be submitted via your application/enrollment portal under “materials” and titled “student immunization records.” Questions regarding submission should be directed to admission@lr.edu.

Reference of requirements: <https://immunization.dph.ncdhhs.gov/schools/collegesuniversities.htm>