

How to arrange for flu vaccines to be given at a Let's Talk About the Flu workshop

It would be ideal if flu vaccines could be given at the end of your workshop to any participants that would like one. There are several ways for workshop leaders to make these arrangements.

Here are some options:

1. Call a local pharmacy and invite them to come to your workshop to give flu vaccines.
 - a. In Arkansas, pharmacists can give flu shots to anyone 3 years of age and older.
 - b. Most pharmacies accept Medicare, as well as most other insurance plans.
 - c. Most pharmacists are specially trained in vaccinations and will be able to answer specific questions about the flu vaccine and which vaccines they offer.
2. Ask a medical clinic in your community if they would be willing to come to your workshop to give flu vaccines.
 - a. Most clinics accept Medicare, as well as most other insurance plans.
 - b. People in your community group may know someone or work at a local clinic and can help you arrange for flu vaccines.

If you are not able to arrange for flu vaccines to be given at your workshop:

- Encourage participants to get a flu vaccine at their local pharmacy or physician's office.
- Before the workshop, check to see if your local health unit has a mass flu vaccine clinic scheduled. If they do, let participants know.
- Participants may also be able to receive a flu vaccine at their local health unit.



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