

H1N1 VACCINE UPDATE---January 4th, 2010

The amount of flu-like illness across the state has been reported by the news to be on the decline over the past couple of weeks. It is important to remember that the flu season lasts until April in Massachusetts. We may see further waves of flu-like illness therefore it is important to still get the H1N1 vaccine and practice good hand hygiene.

University Health and Counseling Services (UHCS) has a supply of the H1N1 vaccine available. NU students that are interested in receiving the H1N1 vaccine and have a high-risk medical condition should first contact their primary care provider and any specialist care providers to be sure they can safely receive this vaccine.

The vaccine is available at UHCS, no appointment is needed and there is no charge for this. Please review the hours that we are available for the convenience of all students.

We have provided you with a link to the vaccine information sheets on the H1N1 vaccine to familiarize the benefits and risks related to the vaccination.

- [H1N1 Injectable Vaccine Information Sheet](#)
- [H1N1 Nasal Mist Information Sheet](#)

If you have questions regarding the vaccine information sheets, please raise the questions prior to receiving your vaccination.