

Travel Vaccination Clinic

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The Wheeling-Ohio County Health Department's Travel Vaccination Clinic offers vaccinations to assist travelers during international travel.

Although most travel vaccines are ordered per traveler, we stock some vaccines throughout the year. The health department also receives updates about the health climate worldwide from the World Health Organization and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Yellow Fever is the only vaccine currently required for international travel, but there may be other immunizations that are recommended. We review your health and immunization history, as well as your travel plans, and assess your risk for acquiring vaccine-preventable diseases and administer the vaccines needed to protect you from these diseases.

To help prevent illness while away, the health department recommends that visitors to foreign countries check to see what vaccines are required before traveling. The Travel Vaccination Clinic is by appointment and many vaccination series take several weeks to complete for full efficacy. Call 4-6 weeks prior to your trip to make an appointment with the Travel Clinic.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention suggests that some travelers consider being vaccinated against the flu. The following vaccines are commonly recommended for travelers: **Tetanus/Diphtheria (Td), Tetanus/Diphtheria/Pertussis (Tdap), Typhoid, Yellow Fever, Meningococcal, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Measles-Mumps-Rubella (MMR), Japanese Encephalitis and Polio.** The health department is a CDC designated Yellow Fever Vaccination Center.

We can help you have a safer and more enjoyable trip. Travel immunizations foreign travel are available by appointment only through the travel clinic. Charges for immunizations vary and are subject to change. For information or appointments please call **(304) 234-3682.**