

HEALTH CLEARANCE INFORMATION

Honolulu Community College

Instructions for Students

Required Health Clearances:

- 1) **TB Clearance** issued within 1 year of the start of the semester for new students.
- 2) **MMR Clearance:** Proof of two (2) Measles Mumps Rubella (MMR) shots **or** combination of 1 Measles shot & 1 MMR shot required

Health documents should be submitted to the Admissions & Counseling Office (Bldg. 6). Students without health clearance will not be allowed to register. **Official copies of health records OR a signed note from your physician on official stationary** can be submitted to meet health clearance requirements. Please be sure that documentation clearly states your name and Banner ID or Social Security Number. International students must obtain a state of Hawaii TB Clearance card before registering.

If you are unable to locate your MMR shot record, the Admissions Office has a discount coupon for blood tests taken at the Kalihi-Palama Health Center, or you can order the test through your M.D. If you were born before 1957, you do not need to show evidence of having received the MMR.

Instructions for Medical Staff

TB Clearance: PPD skin test must be intradermal & <10mm. Tine or Monovac (multi-puncture) tests are not acceptable. A negative chest x-ray report signed by the Radiologist is required for skin tests 10mm or larger.

MMR Clearance: Proof of two (2) Measles Mumps Rubella (MMR) shots **or** combination of 1 Measles shot & 1 MMR shot required; shots should be one month apart, given on or after 1/1/68, and/or after 1st birthday **OR** if student previously had the shots or the disease, but does not have a record of it, a positive MMR IgG blood test report signed by an M.D. is acceptable.

*****Please note, documentation must be submitted on official stationary or medical health form with appropriate signature. Information submitted on plain white paper will not be accepted.***

Questions? Call the Admissions and Counseling office at (808) 847-9834.

