***Immunization Requirements***

*Documentation of the following immunizations are required by all MSAT students by August 1st of the first year in the MSAT program.*

1. MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella)

A. Students will need one of the following:

 1.) Proof of **two** (2) MMR vaccinations

 2.) A positive titer (proof of immunity to Measles (Rubeola), Mumps, and
 Rubella through a blood test

2. Tdap (Whooping Cough)

A. Proof of one (1) Tdap vaccination after the age of 10.

3. Varicella (Chicken Pox)

A. One of the following is required:

 1.) Proof of two (2) Varicella vaccinations.

2.) Proof of immunity to Varicella through a blood test.

3.) Healthcare Provider documentation of Varicella disease.

4. Tuberculosis skin test (PPD)

**A. Must be done once per year.**

B. Must be within the past twelve months prior to beginning General Medical Rotation
 or any other rotation that requires this test.

C. To meet this requirement, one of the following is required:

1.) 2-step TST (two separate Tuberculin Skin Tests, aka PPD tests) within
 12 months of each other. Complete at the WSU Student Health
 Center. The results must be written in millimeters. (Note, in subsequent
 years, only the 1-step test is required.

2). One (1) Quantiferon Gold or T-SPOT blood test with negative result.

3). If previously positive to any TB test, the student must complete a
 symptom questionnaire and have a chest x-ray read by a radiologist with a
 normal result. If chest x-ray is abnormal, the student needs to be cleared
 by their physician or local health department before beginning their
 general medical rotation or any other rotation at an IHC facility.

5. Each student is required to have a current, annual influenza vaccine.

 A. These can be done at the WSU Student Health Center in the fall semester.

6. Hepatitis B

A. Students will need one of the following:

 1.) Dates you received the three Hepatitis B shots, or if you have just begun the
 series, documentation showing the date of the first shot within the past
 month (if longer, a second date must be listed.)

 2.) A positive titer (showing immunity or “reactive”)

 3.) If not completed yet, the WSU MSAT Program Director will provide you
 with information regarding how to get this series of shots for free, after
 you have completed the OSHA/Bloodborne Pathogen Training.

7. COVID 19 Vaccination

 A. Students will need one of the following:

 1.) 2-shot mRNA vaccine

 a. Pfizer

 b. Moderna

 2.) 1-shot adenovirus vector vaccine

 a. Johnson & Johnson

*All immunization exemption requests must go through the exemption request process by filling out*[*this form*](https://weber.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2b4CGsjrZ3mQfIi)*(*[*https://weber.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\_2b4CGsjrZ3mQfIi*](https://weber.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_2b4CGsjrZ3mQfIi)*). Students should be aware that exemption requests may take weeks to process and, therefore and may impede their ability to attend clinical sites. Students will be unable to attend clinical until the exemption has been granted. Students should be aware that some clinical partners do not accept immunization exemptions.  Therefore, students should understand that the declination of the COVID-19 vaccination, or any vaccine, may, at a minimum, prolong the completion of the program and at a maximum, result in the indefinite inability to successfully meet the requirements of completion for the program.  In addition, exemptions may require alternative health/safety measures on a case-by-case basis, depending on the clinical placement and type of exemption.*