



North Carolina Immunization Program Annual College Immunization Report Instructions 2026-2027

North Carolina immunization law ([G.S. 130A-155.1\(c\)](#)) requires all public, private and religious colleges and universities to submit an immunization report annually to the Department of Health and Human Services. The purpose of this report is to ensure that all students in attendance are protected against vaccine-preventable diseases and to determine the number of students who meet state immunization requirements. It is the responsibility of the college or university registrar to ensure that accurate and complete data is submitted by the legislatively mandated date.

North Carolina [G.S. 130A-155.1\(a\)](#) requires proof of required immunizations within 30 calendar days from the date of the student's first registration to obtain the required immunizations. The deadline for the submission of annual immunization reports to NCDHHS is **December 1st 2026**.

If a student fails to submit a certificate or record of immunization to the college or university by the first day of registration, the college or university shall present a notice of deficiency to the student. Each student shall then have 30 calendar days to obtain the required immunizations. If immunization requires a series of doses and the period necessary to give the vaccine at standard intervals extends beyond the 30 days, the student shall be allowed to attend the college or university upon written certification by a physician that the standard series is in progress. Upon termination of this time period, the college or university shall not permit the student to continue in attendance unless the required immunizations have been obtained.

INSTRUCTIONS

Please complete demographic questions #1-14 on the online survey. You may wish to collect the information for questions 15 and 16 prior to completing your survey online.

Section I: Immunization Compliance Summary (per North Carolina § 130A-155)		
15	Total number of new undergraduate and graduate students in attendance for the 2026-2027 school year. <i>Enter the number of new undergraduate and graduate students in attendance for the 2026-2027 school year. Do not include students residing off-campus and registering for any combination of:</i> a. Off-campus courses b. Evening courses c. Weekend courses d. No more than four traditional day credit hours in on-campus courses	
16	Immunization Summary (please complete questions a-d): NUMBERS REPORTED BELOW SHOULD BE BASED ON CALENDAR DAY 30 FOLLOWING THE GRACE PERIOD	

	a Medical Exemption – include students with valid medical exemptions to all vaccines, and vaccine specific exemptions. If a student has a vaccine specific exemption, but is missing required doses of another vaccine, list them as “Not Up to Date” <i>Please refer to North Carolina G.S.130A-156, or view our website for more information.</i>	
	b Religious Exemption - include students with exemptions to all vaccines, and vaccine specific exemptions. If a student has a vaccine specific exemption, but is missing required doses of another vaccine, list them as “Not Up to Date” <i>Please refer to North Carolina G.S.130A-157 or view our website for more</i>	
	c All Required Doses – Enter the number of students in attendance that had obtained (received) the required immunizations within 30 calendar days of their first registration. *This includes students that received the required immunizations as well as those with documentation of proof of immunity to measles, mumps, rubella, and/or varicella. <u>Do not include students with a medical or religious exemption.</u> <i>For more information on requirements visit our college requirements page</i>	
	d Not Up to Date – Enter the number of students that had not obtained the required immunizations within 30 calendar days of their first registration. Include students with no immunization record on file as well as students missing documentation of one or more of the required immunizations. <u>Do NOT include students with a medical or religious exemption.</u>	
	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENTS REVIEWED (a+b+c+d): <i>Note: Sum must equal number in attendance reported in #15</i>	