

Celebrate **National Immunization Awareness Month** with the Essex Metro Immunization Coalition!
Check out all of our partner events happening this month. **Stay healthy, get vaccinated!**

August 2017

National Immunization Awareness Month

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
*More details for each event can be found on the back of this calendar		1	2 Make sure your child is protected against 14 preventable diseases by getting vaccinated on time!	3	4 <i>Story Time in the Park</i> Military Park, Newark 12-2pm <i>The Leaguers Health Fair</i> Newark. 10am-2pm	5
6	7 It's National Health Center Week! Make an appointment to get up to date on vaccinations.	8	9 Is your family growing? Get a Tdap vaccine between 27-36 weeks of pregnancy to protect baby from pertussis.	10 <i>Immunization Workshop</i> Irvington Family Development Center 10-12pm	11 <i>Story Time in the Park</i> Healthy Families Essex Military Park, Newark 12-2pm	12 <i>Irvington Health Fair</i>
13 Pregnant women should get a flu shot during any trimester to protect themselves and their newborn babies from flu!	14	15 August is also Adult Vaccine Preventable Disease Awareness & Improvement Month in New Jersey!	16	17	18 <i>Story Time in the Park</i> Healthy Families Essex Military Park, Newark 12-2pm	19
20 Check out the coalition @EssexMetroIC on Twitter for more updates! #NIAM17	21 <i>Newark School Bus Express</i> begins at 110 William Street, Newark 8:30 -4:00 pm	22	23 <i>Immunization Workshop</i> Jersey City City Hall 280 Grove St, Jersey City, 1-2pm	24 <i>Newark School Bus Express</i> Extended Clinic Hours until 7pm <i>City of Orange Back to School Event</i> 12-3pm	25 <i>Story Time in the Park</i> Healthy Families Essex Military Park, Newark 12-2pm	26
27	28 Protect your child from cancer! Get your 11-12 year old child vaccinated for HPV today. Call your local health clinic for an appointment.	29	30	31 <i>Newark School Bus Express</i> Extended Clinic Hours until 7pm 110 Williams St, Newark		Save the Date! <i>Immunization Health Fair</i> September 7 th 9-1pm Military Park, Newark



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National Immunization Awareness Month Event Details

- “Story Time in the Park” held by Healthy Families Essex from 12-2pm every Friday in August at Military Park, 51 Park Place in Newark. Healthy Families staff will read stories to families and share resources on childhood vaccines. Stories are targeted for children ages 0-6 and each child who attends will receive a free book.
- August 4th -The Leaguers Health Fair 10am-2pm Metropolitan Baptist Church: 149 Springfield Avenue, Newark, NJ 07103. Stop by the Partnership table to get information about vaccines recommended for preteens and teens!
- August 10th - “Immunization Workshop” from 10am-12pm at Irvington Family Development Center, 50 Union Ave., Suite 401, Irvington, NJ. Join us to learn more about immunizations for children ages 0-6, recommended vaccines for pregnancy, and frequently asked questions about vaccines.
- August 12th - The Irvington Health Department will host a health fair. Please contact the health department for more details about the event.
- August 23rd - Join us for an “Immunization Workshop” for parents to learn more about the recommended vaccines for their children. Hosted by the Jersey City Department of Health. 1-2pm at Jersey City City Hall, 280 Grove Street, JC Chambers 2nd floor. A second workshop will be held on August 24th at The Bethune Center, 140 Martin Luther King Drive in Jersey City on the topic of adolescent vaccines, including HPV, from 12-1:30pm.
- August 24th, and 31st and September 7th and 14th - Newark Department of Health School Bus Express Extended Clinic Hours until 7pm at 110 Williams St. in Newark. For more information, contact the Newark Immunization Program at (973)-733-7643.
- August 24th -The City of Orange Back to School Event will be held from 12-3pm at Central Playground, Central Ave. Stop by the health department’s table to get information about health and wellness!
- Thursday, September 7th -The Immunization Health Fair will be held from 9-1pm at Military Park, 51 Park Place in Newark. EMIC partners will provide free resources and information on ways to stay healthy, including immunizations. *Flu shots will be provided by Horizon NJ and Walgreens.* Rain date September 14th.
- September 9th and 23rd - Newark Department of Health School Bus Express Extended Clinic Hours on Saturdays from 9-1pm at 110 Williams St. in Newark.
- September 9th - The City of East Orange, Department of Health and Human Services will be hosting its first “Meet, Move & Mingle” A Healthy Community Festival to enlighten and assist residents in making healthy life style choices. The event will be held at Elmwood Park in East Orange (located on Elmwood Avenue one block in from Central Avenue) from 10am to 3pm.



For more information about vaccines and National Immunization Awareness Month, please visit www.nj.gov/health/cd/