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Re: Completing the immunization requirements for medical school:

DPT, MMR titer, baseline PPD requirement, Varicella and any previous Hepatitis B series documents are expected by the date listed on the time table included in your medical history packet. For those who have not started their Hepatitis B series: Follow the timetable deadlines, In most cases the hepatitis B series will take 7 months to complete however some students will require additional boosters. For this reason, students who may need additional boosters will have until June 1, 2010 as their completion deadline. Following the recommended dosing schedule will result in a successful completion by the deadline date. Failure to adhere to the dosing schedule may result in missing this final deadline and a \$100.00 tracking fee may be applied.

University Health Services will be tracking your progress in regards to immunization requirements: We will contact you by e-mail with reminders for vaccines or titers due. Please note that meeting the deadline is your personal responsibility. Deadline dates will initiate a report to your college indicating your immunization status. You will be reported as either progressing or not progressing toward completion.

Students are responsible for the cost of all required immunizations. (This is not part of the registration fee.) Students are not obligated to get immunizations from UHS. Often we offer better prices than other primary care providers. It is suggested that you do a price comparison for your best option. If you choose to be immunized elsewhere, you will be responsible for providing physician signed documentation to UHS.

If you have any other questions, please feel free to contact me. If your question is medical, I will forward it to our medical staff for an answer.

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