

# PORTAGE COUNTY COMBINED GENERAL HEALTH DISTRICT



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## Portage County Health Department is continuing Community Flu Shot Clinics throughout the County

The Portage County Health Department is holding community flu shot clinics throughout Portage County. This is an effort to protect the health of all Portage County residents by making flu shot clinics convenient to all residents in their own communities.

### *Schedule of Community Clinics*

October 11	Atwater/Randolph	Waterloo High School Cafeteria	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 12	County-wide	Portage County Health Dept. 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor by WIC	8:00 am-12:00 noon
October 12	Edinburg/Palmyra	Southeast Intermediate School Cafeteria	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 13	Rootstown	Rootstown High School Cafeteria	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 16	Suffield	Suffield Fire Department	11:00am-3:00 pm
October 17	Aurora City	Harmon School Band Room	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 18	Garrettsville	James A. Garfield Elementary	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 19	County-wide	Portage County Health Dept. 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor by WIC	9:00 am-12:00 noon
October 19	Kent City	Kent City Health Dept.	3:00 pm-5:00 pm
October 20	Streetsboro City	Streetsboro High School Library	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 25	Freedom Township	Freedom Townhall	4:00 pm-6:00 pm
October 26	County-wide	Portage County Health Dept. 1 <sup>st</sup> Floor by WIC	9:00 am-12:00 noon
October 27	Brimfield	Brimfield Townhall	4:00 pm-6:00 pm

Location calendar and addresses for community clinics can be found on the Portage County Health Department website: [www.co.portage.oh.us/healthdepartment.htm](http://www.co.portage.oh.us/healthdepartment.htm).

### *Who should be vaccinated?*

- Everyone 6 months and older (Recommendation from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention)
- Especially:
  - Pregnant Women
  - People with chronic medical conditions
  - Children younger than 5 years of age

### *Additional Information*

- All clinics are walk-in, no appointment necessary.
- Cost is \$10 for children and \$20 for adults
  - Medicaid, Buckeye, Care Source, United Health, and Medicare Part B (as primary insurance) are accepted.
- High Dose flu vaccine is available for adults 65 years and older for \$45 - Medicare Part B (as primary insurance) is accepted.

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