

Dates have been confirmed for H1N1 and seasonal influenza vaccination clinics for some Nova Scotia government employees.

Clinics for employees located in Halifax Regional Municipality (HRM) are planned for December 9th and 10th at the World Trade and Convention Centre, 1800 Argyle Street, Room 100. The clinics will be held 9:00 am - 4:30 pm.

Clinics outside the HRM area are being planned by your OHS coordinators. Information on a vaccination clinic in your area will be provided in the near future.

Both vaccines, H1N1 and seasonal influenza, will be available. However, due to increased interest in influenza immunization, there is a limited supply of seasonal flu vaccine. Therefore, the seasonal flu vaccine will be offered to government employees only if they are in one of the groups at increased risk of severe illness from seasonal flu (see list at [www.gov.ns.ca/hpp/cdpc/influenza-q+a.asp](http://www.gov.ns.ca/hpp/cdpc/influenza-q+a.asp) ). Nurses on site will screen for eligibility of the seasonal flu vaccine.

Getting vaccinated is the best way to protect ourselves, family and co-workers from H1N1 and seasonal influenza.

Please bring your Health Card and Government Id. As well, it will be necessary to fill out a consent waiver form. Please go to the PSC site at [www.gov.ns.ca/psc](http://www.gov.ns.ca/psc) to print this form. The form is located under the H1N1 section. Please fill in the form and bring it with you to the clinic.

For additional information on H1N1 please visit [www.gov.ns.ca/H1N1](http://www.gov.ns.ca/H1N1).