Allied Health Professional Prerequisite checklist

**Completed Background Check.** Students will be provided a link to initiate and pay for their background check and urinalysis by their instructor on the first day of class. Backgrounds start at $81.50. Students must bring with them on the first day of class a debit or credit card to be able to pay for the background check and initiate the background check process.

Current American Heart Association **BLS for Healthcare Provider** CPR Cert. No other CPR certification will be accepted. Go to [http://www.aims.edu/ced/#cpr](http://www.aims.edu/ced/#cpr) $65

**ALL Immunization Records MUST be OFFICIAL, meaning they must be signed/stamped and dated by the person giving the immunization. Official Health Records will be accepted.**

- **TWO (2) NEGATIVE TUBERCULOSIS TST/PPD/TB) screening tests (also known as a “2 Step”) OR a negative chest x-ray report if you have had a previous positive TB test. (TB tests must be less than 9 months old and last throughout the semester while student is enrolled in the program)**

  A TWO (2) Step TB Test means that you will get the TB test injected and read 48 hours later and a week later you will need to get another one injected and read again. Clinical sites require TWO negative TB tests, no exceptions.

  Students may also elect to have the Quantiferon TB test done showing they are immune. If this is done only the one test is required.

  **Official documentation must show the dates when the student was injected and read with a negative reading, along with a signature or stamp with the location of the facility that provided the TB tests**

- **MMR**- Laboratory evidence of immunity (titer) to Rubella, Rubeola, and Mumps (positive titers [3]) or documented evidence of two [2] vaccinations. (MMR vaccinations have a period of 30 days between the 2)

- **VARICELLA**- Laboratory evidence of immunity (titer) to Varicella (Chicken Pox) or documented evidence of two [2] vaccinations. (Varicella vaccinations have a period of 30 days between the 2) **Please note that clinical sites will NOT accept history of disease**

- **HEP B**- Laboratory evidence of immunity (titer) to Hepatitis B (positive titer) or documented evidence of completed immunizations [3]. (Signed waiver will be accepted in place of Immunization **only** if you are current and in progress of completion) (Hep B has a period of 30 days between the first 2 and 6 months for the 3rd)

- **TETANUS:** vaccine must be less than 10 years old (Dtap, etc…)
  - Tdap.

- **FLU SHOT** (SIGNED paper verification from doctors office or clinic) (Flu shot NOT needed for Summer Semester)

  **Please Note that getting a titer done does NOT guarantee that you will have immunity. **

All documentation must be emailed or directly handed to the instructor for Medical Clinical Assisting classes or to the Phlebotomy instructor depending upon which certificate you are pursuing by the due date set forth by the instructor. Both certificates require the same pre -requisites.

**All Emails must be titled correctly for each program. For example:**

MAP 138 Immunizations (Last Name)

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