

December 23, 2009

Vaccination clinics will re-open in Calgary on January 4

CALGARY – The three influenza vaccination clinics in Calgary will close for the holidays at 7 p.m. this evening, Wednesday, December 23, 2009, and will reopen for six days beginning Monday, January 4, 2010.

Interest in the vaccine remains steady and AHS is committed to providing vaccine to all Albertans who want it.

Clinics are scheduled to open at noon on Monday, January 4th and will close again on Saturday, January 9th at 3:30 p.m.

Specific clinic hours at all three sites (see below) are as follows:

- **Monday, January 4th to Thursday, January 7th – noon to 7 p.m.**
- **Friday, January 8th and Saturday, January 9th – 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

Future possible clinic dates will be based on public demand during the six day reopening noted above. Details concerning vaccine availability at AHS Community Health Clinics will be announced and posted on the AHS website in the new year.

H1N1 Vaccination Clinics in Calgary

- **Avenida Village**
 - **Unit 303, 12445 Lake Fraser Drive S.E.**
- **Brentwood Village Mall**
 - **Unit 302, 3630 Brentwood Rd. N.W.**
- **Whitehorn**
 - **3705 35 St. N.E.; enter off of 37 Ave. N.E.**

Please bring a piece of identification and your health card, and wear short sleeves if possible.

Dr. Judy MacDonald, Deputy Medical Officer of Health, will be available for media interviews at 10 a.m. this morning at 10301 Southport Lane S.W.

For the most current information on the H1N1 immunization program, including remaining clinic dates and locations, go to: www.albertahealthservices.ca. Clinic dates will vary across the province, so check the website before you go. Alternatively, contact HealthLink Alberta Toll Free – 1-866-408-5465, or Calgary – 403-943-5465.

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