

Dear Parent or Guardian,

School Based Flu for 2020-2021 is going to look a bit different this year due to COVID 19. The **consents will be sent out by the school and returned to the school** as in the past. The health department will pick up the consents and go through the process of evaluation and data entry. What will be different is the **parent or guardian will bring their child to the health department on the set date below depending on your child's school.** (If you have children at multiple schools you may get them done all on one date.) Once here at the health department, drive to the right of the building and we will vaccinate your child. The time of vaccination will be 3 PM to 6 PM. No appointment is necessary, your completed consent that was returned to the school is all you will need. **We will not be able to do drive up vaccines without a prior consent form completed.**

After your child is vaccinated in the vehicle, we ask that you park in the front parking lot for 10 minutes to make sure there is not a reaction. An ambulance will be on site.

Please remember all children in the Jones County School System are eligible for a free flu vaccine. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Chassidy Harper, LPN or Sherry L. Bryant, RN at the Jones County Health Department 478-986-3164.

October 19, 2020 ---Dames Ferry & Head Start

October 20, 2020---Gray Elementary & Pre-K

October 21, 2020---Turner Woods

October 26, 2020--- Gray Middle School

October 27, 2020--- Clifton Ridge

October 28, 2020---Mattie Wells & Jones County High School