







CLIFTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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CLIFTON HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO OFFER CHILDREN'S IMMUNIZATION CLINICS

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The Clifton Health Department will be offering **FREE** Children's Immunization Clinics for Clifton and Little Falls residents ages 2 months to 18 years on <u>Tuesday</u>, <u>August 20, 2024</u>, and <u>August 27, 2024</u>, at <u>Clifton City Hall</u>, <u>located at 900 Clifton Avenue in Clifton</u>, <u>Second Floor</u>. <u>Registration is required</u>. Please call the Clifton Health Department at 973-470-5777 or 973-470-5778 to register.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Ages 2 months to 18 years
- Uninsured
- On Medicaid/NJ FamilyCare Plan A *only*

The goal of the Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program is to ensure that a VFC Program-eligible child does not contract a vaccine-preventable disease because of their parent or guardian's inability to pay for the vaccine. Serving as one of the nation's most important contributors to health equity, the program helps ensure that all children have a better chance of getting their recommended vaccinations on schedule and staying healthy. The VFC Program covers vaccines recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices and approved by the CDC, which includes all vaccines for children ages 18 years and younger. The VFC Program-provided vaccines protect against 19 different diseases and prevent 472 million illnesses and 29.8 million hospitalizations.

The Clifton Health Department is a contractual health agency serving the Township of Little Falls.