

## Boston Children's Hospital Immunization Requirements

Once your application has been submitted for processing by BCH Administration, you will receive an email from the BCH Office of Health Services (OHS) requesting medical information. After you have submitted all of the medical requirements listed below, your file will be reviewed, approved by OHS, and sent to HR for final processing. You will receive an email when you have completed this process and can start work. Please send this email to your EJCC contact.

This process can take as little as 4-6 weeks and up to 3 months, depending on your immunization history. **Please do not delay in getting this process started.**

Note: This process is separate from the onboarding processes at Boston Medical Center. If you are shadowing in other locations, please pay careful attention to which institution you are receiving emails and requests.

### Below are the immunization requirements for clearance to start a position at BCH:

- **Measles or MMR:** two doses of vaccine OR positive antibody titer
- **Mumps or MMR:** two doses of vaccine OR positive antibody titer
- **Rubella or MMR:** one dose of vaccine OR positive antibody titer
- **Varicella:** two doses of vaccine OR positive antibody titer (history of disease is not accepted)
- **Tdap:** one dose of Vaccine after age 11
- **Influenza:** one dose of the vaccine for the 2023-2024 season
- **Covid:** one dose of the vaccine for the 2023-2024 season (from September 15, 2023 or later)
- **TB Screening:**
  - one Negative IGRA test such as T-Spot or Quantiferon Gold within 90 days prior to start date
  - OR** -two TB Skin tests within the last year including one within 90 days prior to start date

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me.