

## **Vaccination Policy**

Northwest Career College does not enforce a mandatory vaccination policy for enrollment into the institution. It is highly recommended that students are appropriately vaccinated before the start of their program to prevent the spread of communicable diseases. Students are made aware of this recommendation during the enrollment process by the Admissions Department. This policy is subject to change at any time. Students entering Northwest Career College will be made aware of any changes in the enrollment agreements, as appropriate.

All students are required to receive immunizations mandatory for externship and employment at medical, dental, and massage offices. Students that do not have proper immunizations or refuse to receive them will not be permitted to go on externship and will forfeit their right to complete the program in which they are enrolled. The mandatory immunizations include:

- 1) Hepatitis B
- 2) Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)
- 3) Tuberculosis Skin Test

Northwest Career College's Vaccination policy is in accordance with HEOA Sec. 488(a)(1)(E): amended HEA Sec. 485(a)(1) (20 U.S.C. 1092(a)(1)); added HEA Sec. 485(a)(1)(V) HEOA amendment effective August 14, 2008.