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Avoid the Flu!

**Adult and Child Flu Vaccines Now Available at the
Meriden Health and Human Services Department**

Adult and child seasonal influenza (flu) vaccines are now available at the Meriden Health and Human Services Department.

Yearly flu vaccination is recommended for anyone over the age of 6 months. Flu season traditionally runs from October to May, with activity usually peaking between December and March. Vaccination is the most effective way to protect yourself, and others, from the flu.

The cost of the adult vaccine is \$20.00 (cash or check) for self-pay clients. FluBlok is \$45.00 (cash or check). The Department accepts Medicare, Medicaid, HUSKY, Aetna, ConnecticutCare and Cigna insurances. Child doses of the vaccine are available at no charge to children 18 and under.

The vaccine is given by Public Health Nurses at the Clinic office, 165 Miller Street, Monday through Friday. Appointments are highly recommended, walk-ins are welcome (note there may be a wait). Please call (203) 630-4234 to make your appointment.

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