

Student

Do all students have to be vaccinated from COVID-19?

Yes all students and employees must be fully vaccinated.

What if I have a medical or religious reasons for being exempt?

Medical and religious exemptions can be applied for through the [email survey](#) that was sent to each student to their NSU email address.

Religious Exemption – The [Religious Exemption Form](#) must be downloaded and notarized in order to be compliant with the Commonwealth of Virginia’s policy. Please complete the form, have it notarized, and then send a copy of the completed form to COVID@nsu.edu or you may provide a paper copy to The Vice President of Student Affairs Office in The Student Services Center, Suite 301.

Medical Exemption - For a medical exemption, you must have documentary proof on official letterhead from a healthcare provider or local health department that one or more immunizations may be detrimental to the student's health. Please send your documentation securely to the Spartan Health Center by Fax 757-823-2695 or email spartanhealth@nsu.edu.

What if I won't be fully vaccinated by the time I am scheduled to move on campus or start class?

If you have already gotten your first dose you may come to campus as you planned. You should complete your second dose (Pfizer and Moderna) as planned or you can get your second dose at the on campus clinic. You will still be required to upload your proof of vaccination once your second dose is complete.

By when do I have to show proof of vaccination?

The deadline for students is August 6, 2021. If you will not be fully vaccinated until after that, you may indicate that on the survey sent to all students to their NSU email address. You will need to provide proof of vaccination no later than September 6, 2021.

What if I am already fully vaccinated?

Upload proof of vaccination in the survey that was sent to all students to their NSU email address if you have not already. Please upload your vaccination card only and no other medical information.

What if I am returning early to campus or I am already on campus and I am not vaccinated?

You may return to campus as planned but you will be required to receive a vaccination at one of the two vaccination clinics. Preliminary dates are August 23 (Pfizer), August 27 (Moderna), and September 3 (Pfizer).

What if I cannot get vaccinated before returning to campus?

You may return to campus as planned but you will be required to receive a vaccination at one of the two vaccination clinics. Preliminary dates are August 23 (Pfizer), August 27 (Moderna), and September 3

(Pfizer). Information about signing up for a vaccination on campus will be sent in a campus announcement.

How do I find a vaccination clinic near my home now so I can get vaccinated?

Use this link <https://vaccinefinder.org/> to find a place near you.

What if I am an International Student?

International Students must be fully vaccinated with the Pfizer, Moderna, or Johnson and Johnson vaccines.

What if I am exempted for medical or religious reasons?

You will be required to sign an assumption of risk form, participate in on-going surveillance testing, and complete the daily symptom checker.

What if I do not want to upload my vaccination card?

You may bring your vaccination card with you and show it to The Vice President for Student Affairs Office, Student Services Center, Suite 301 as proof of vaccination.

Is wearing a mask inside still a requirement?

Yes, regardless of vaccination status, masking inside will remain mandatory.