Health Center Admission Requirements

Required Immunizations:
In accordance with Indiana Code 21-40-5 and Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP), the following immunization guidelines apply to all students attending classes on the Grace College Campuses. The following immunizations are required:

1. Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR): 2 doses
2. Diphtheria, Tetanus (DPT/DTP/TD/DTaP): minimum of 3 doses and a tetanus booster within the last 10 years.
3. Meningococcal Meningitis (Menactra, Menomune, MCV4): 1 dose if given after the age of 16, or 2 doses if first dose given before 16 years of age.

Recommended Immunizations:

1. Hepatitis B (HBV): 3 doses
2. Hepatitis A (HAV): 2 doses
3. Polio (OPV/IPV): 3 doses
4. Varicella: If no history of Chicken Pox disease, 2 doses

Exemption From Immunizations:
In the State of Indiana, the only allowable exemptions from the above guidelines are as follows:

1. Medical Contraindication: Requires written documentation from a physician stating the specific vaccines and medical condition.
2. Religious Waiver: Completed by the student if 18 years or older, or completed by a parent/guardian if student is less than 18 years old.

Tuberculosis Screening Questionnaire:
All students are required to complete the screening. TB testing will only be completed if indicated.

Physical:
The physical forms must be completed by a licensed Medical Doctor, Nurse Practitioner, or Physician’s Assistant. Please note: the state of Indiana does not recognize Chiropractors as Medical Doctors, therefore physicals performed by them are not acceptable.