

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Each year, millions of children get sick with seasonal influenza. Thousands of children are hospitalized and some children die from the flu. The Flu shot is the best protection against the flu.

The Talbot County Health Department (TCHD) is working with your child's school to offer FREE seasonal flu shots.

Middle and High school students will receive their Flu shot during regular school hours.

The Flu Consent form and a signed Notice of Privacy Practices (HIPAA) form **MUST BE FULLY COMPLETED and RETURNED on 10/09/19**. When completing the consent form, please answer all the questions, sign, and date the form. If a form is incomplete, it will be returned to you. You must return the corrected form the next day with your child.

You can print flu forms off the TCHD website at www.TalbotHealth.org , your school website, or you can pick up a flu form in the nurse's office. Dates for the flu clinics are as follows:

Easton Middle School -Tuesday 10/15/19

Saint Michaels Middle High School- Wednesday 10/16/19

Easton High School -Friday 10/18/19