

## **Immunization Clinics**

Immunization clinics are held monthly at the Orland Township office, 14807 S. Ravinia Ave. Orland Township may administer vaccines only to children (up to and including those age 18) who are uninsured, underinsured), Medicaid-eligible (including All Kids), or are Native American (American Indian, Alaska Native). Underinsured means that the child has health insurance, but it does not cover any vaccines, certain vaccines, or it has a fixed dollar limit or cap for vaccines, and once that cap is reached a child is ineligible.

If an eligible child does not reside within the township and does not have Medicaid/All Kids coverage, an administration fee of \$20 per shot will be charged.

### **ORLAND TOWNSHIP IMMUNIZATION CLINIC DATES**

*All clinics held at the Orland Township office, 14807 S. Ravinia Ave.*

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>
Tuesday, February 4, 2014	6 to 8 p.m.
Saturday, March 8, 2014	9 to 11 a.m.
Tuesday, April 8, 2014	6 to 8 p.m.
Tuesday, May 6, 2014	6 to 8 p.m.
Saturday, June 7, 2014	9 to 11 a.m.
Saturday, July 26, 2014 (Health Fair)	9 to 1 p.m.
Tuesday, August 12, 2014	6 to 8 p.m.
Saturday, September 6, 2014	9 to 11 a.m.
Tuesday, October 7, 2014	6 to 8 p.m.
Saturday, November 8, 2014	9 to 11 a.m.
Tuesday, December 9, 2014	6 to 8 p.m.

All clinic dates are walk-in; no appointment is necessary. A parent or legal guardian must accompany a child unless special arrangements are made with the Health Services department prior to the clinic. A written immunization record for each child, Medicaid card (if applicable) and a parent's photo ID are required. Individuals who are receiving shots must eat before attending the clinic or a vaccine will not be administered.

### **Children's Vaccine List:**

DTaP	Meningococcal
DTaP-Hep B-IPV	MMR
DTaP-IPV-Hib	IPV
DTaP-IPV	Pneumococcal
Hep A	Rotavirus
Hep B	Tdap
Hep B/Hib	Varicella
HPV	

Adult vaccines are available at Orland Township immunization clinics at a reduced price to all residents 19 years of age and older.

## Vaccines for Children Program

The Orland Township Immunization Clinic is enrolled in the Vaccines for Children (VFC) program. The VFC is a federally funded, state administered program that provides free vaccines to eligible children ages 18 and younger. Vaccines are provided free at no cost to the provider (Orland Township) or the patient.

### Who is qualified for free vaccines thru the VFC Program at Orland Township?

Medicaid, Native American Indian, Alaska Native, underinsured (insurance plan does not include vaccine coverage) and uninsured children. Underinsured means that the child has health insurance, but it does not cover any vaccines, certain vaccines, or it has a fixed dollar limit or cap for vaccines, and once that cap is reached a child is ineligible.

### Who is NOT qualified for the VFC Program?

Privately insured children (children with vaccine insurance benefits), even those without a medical home, cannot be vaccinated with VFC vaccine at any location. These children must be vaccinated with privately acquired vaccine.

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## Wellness Program

Orland Township focuses on preventive health care. The following fees represent discounts of as much as, if not more than, 50% per medical service. Please visit the Orland Township office, 14807 S. Ravinia Ave., to select a participating physician and to purchase a voucher. You may also visit us online at [www.orlandtwp.org](http://www.orlandtwp.org) for a list of physicians. Residents must schedule appointments with the health care provider directly.

### Wellness Program Fees

Youth Physical Exam (0-18 years of age)	\$35
Adult Physical Exam	\$40
Pediatric & Adult Ophthalmology Exam	\$45
Chiropractic Exam	\$45
Dental Screening	\$15
(does NOT include cleaning or x-rays)	
Dental Exam and Cleaning	\$50
Dental Exam, Cleaning and Full X-rays	\$100
Nutrition Consultation	\$40
Routine Podiatry Exam	\$30
Senior Podiatry Exam	\$25
Physical Therapy (Free Initial Evaluation)	\$45
Allergy & Immunology	\$75

Please note that physical examination vouchers may not be used in the case of illness; proof of residency is required at the time of discount voucher purchase.



## **Access to Care**

Access to Care is a non-profit primary health care program for low-income, uninsured individuals living in suburban Cook County and northwest Chicago (north of North Avenue AND west of Pulaski Road). The Access to Care program is administered by the Suburban Primary Health Care Council.

The program is a unique public/private partnership making primary health care and the ancillary pharmacy, laboratory and radiology services available to low-income individuals. Access to Care provides affordable diagnosis and treatment for illness to individuals and families for a small co-payment per doctor visit, procedure or prescription medication. Public funding and private providers form the public/private partnership.

Access to Care contracts with local providers throughout Cook County and pays them a discounted rate to provide services. Participating physicians choose the number of patients they will add to their practice. They are nominally compensated.

### **The program provides:**

- Visits to your assigned Access to Care doctor for \$5.
- Basic Lab and X-ray services for \$5 per draw or procedure.
- Prescription medication for \$15 (generic), \$30 preferred brand and \$40 (non-preferred brand). Brand name medications are available only at Walgreens.

You must re-enroll each year. If accepted, you will receive your ID card with your assigned physician and the physician's phone number. You must call your doctor to make an appointment. Your assigned doctor must write all prescriptions, lab and radiology orders. If your doctor recommends a specialist, he/she will send in a referral form and an appointment will be arranged at either Stroger Hospital or Oak Forest Hospital, where payment is determined based upon income.

Orland Township is an Access to Care registration site. To be eligible for Access to Care you must:

1. Live in SUBURBAN Cook County or northwest Chicago (west of Pulaski Road AND north of North Avenue).
2. Have family income of less than 300% of the federal poverty limit.
3. Have no health insurance (or a deductible of \$500 or more per person) and be ineligible for Medicare, Medicaid, All Kids, FamilyCare or CountyCare.

Those who meet the eligibility requirements may call the Township office at (708) 403-4222 for an appointment and a staff member will assist with the application process.

Visit [www.accesstocare.org](http://www.accesstocare.org) for more information.

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### **Share Your Soles**

Orland Township collects slightly used shoes for Share Your Soles, a non-profit, tax-exempt, charitable organization dedicated to providing shoes to those around the world in greatest need. While there are many charities involved in this effort, Share Your Soles is the original organization. It began with the simple concept of sharing gently used shoes with those in need. Wherever there is a need, they will provide shoes. A drop-off box is located in the Orland Township office.

#### *Guidelines for Donating Shoes*

Please be sure the donated shoes are new or only gently worn, with the soles clean and ready to withstand frequent use. Shoes should not have holes and the bottoms should still be intact. In almost all cases, the donated shoes are the only pair of shoes the recipient has ever received or will receive for a very long time.

#### *Types of Shoes to Donate*

Share Your Soles accepts and distributes shoes of any type and size. This includes athletic shoes, sandals, school shoes, dress shoes, work shoes, snow boots, flip flops, walking shoes, slippers, soccer cleats, football cleats, wrestling shoes, high heels, etc. The need for children's shoes is always the greatest, but any type of shoe will be accepted.

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### **Medication Disposal**

Orland Township and its residents are working hard to conserve water and protect the environment for generations to come. The old advice to flush unused pharmaceuticals down the toilet is now considered the least desirable option. A few small steps can make an important difference in safeguarding lives and protecting the environment.

#### *Disposal of Medications in Pill Form*

To dispose of medications in pill form, please visit:

Orland Hills Police Department

16039 S. 94th Ave.

Orland Hills

(The Police Department accepts medication in **pill form only.**)

#### *Disposal of Medications in Liquid, Cream or Powder Form*

To dispose of medications in liquid, cream or powder form, please follow these simple steps:

1. Pour medication into a sealable plastic bag. If medication is solid (pill, liquid capsule, etc.), crush it or add water to dissolve.
2. Add kitty litter, sawdust or coffee grounds to the plastic bag.
3. Seal the bag and put into the trash.
4. Remove and destroy any personal identification labels from the containers before recycling them.

*Disposal of Needles*

Used needles, stored in a Sharps container, may be disposed of at Orland Township, 14807 S. Ravinia Ave. Sharps containers may also be purchased at the Township; the fee for a one-quart container is \$4 and a five-quart container is \$7.

If you are a medical professional in need of needle disposal, please contact Stericycle at (800) 633-9278.

