

## Immunizations for Sponsored Students

➔ If the school requests that the student needs additional immunizations

### CHECKLIST:

- ☐ Check your inbox for email with updated immunization records (sent before students arrival) and compare list of missing immunizations.
- ☐ If the immunizations the school is requesting differ from list of missing immunizations in the email sent to you, please contact PAX office at [Supervision@pax.org](mailto:Supervision@pax.org) to confirm.
- ☐ Immunizations are not covered under student's health insurance and have to be paid upfront.
- ☐ Please use these options for immunizations:
  - County health departments are often the least expensive option for immunizations. Call in advance to verify if your exchange student is eligible to receive immunizations from the health department and if they have the required vaccinations in stock.
  - Pharmacies (I.e. CVS, Walgreens) now have the ability to administer vaccinations in most states and are a convenient low cost option.
  - Convenient care clinics or walk-in clinics (i.e. CVS-Minute Clinic, Walmart Care Clinic) often administer required school vaccinations without charging a separate office visit fee.
- ☐ Receipt and bill must be submitted to <http://www.pax.org/scholarship-reimbursement/>



- **Attention coordinators:** If student is in a Welcome family and moves to permanent host family, please forward student's updated immunization records and instructions to new host family.
- Vaccinations at a **regular doctor's office** are usually very expensive, since there is often a separate charge for the office visit as well as the vaccination. PAX typically is not able to reimburse for these separate "office visit" fees.
- Always inquire about the **self-pay rates** for immunizations beforehand