

Drive-up flu clinics coming to HCC

HOLYOKE – Holyoke Community College will serve as a host site for four drive-up flu vaccine clinics during the next few weeks.

The clinics – Tues., Oct. 20, Fri., Oct. 23, Tues., Nov. 3, and Fri., Nov. 6 – are being provided by the Holyoke Board of Health and CVS Pharmacy and are open to the general public.

All the clinics run from 8-11 a.m. and will be held in Parking Lot M next to HCC's Bartley Center for Athletics and Recreation on the main campus at 303 Homestead Ave., Holyoke, the same

location where free COVID-19 testing is underway until Oct. 31.

The flu vaccines are free with most insurance, including MassHealth. Pre-registration is not required but highly recommended to ensure sufficient supply.

These are drive-up clinics, so there is no need to exit your vehicle. Free face masks will also be distributed on site.

Appointments can be scheduled for 20-minute time slots by following the links on the HCC website to the CVS Pharmacy registration pages for each day: hcc.edu/flu