

 College of the Atlantic
IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENT

The State of Maine Post-Secondary School Immunization Law requires that all degree-seeking students and full-time, non-degree students born after December 31, 1956 provide the following proof of immunization:

- One (1) dose of Tetanus/Diphtheria (Td or Tdap) received within the last ten (10) years
- Two (2) doses of Measles (rubeola), Mumps and Rubella (MMR) received after the first birthday. If measles immunization was done prior to 1968, students must provide proof it was done with a live virus.

Evidence of immunity may be demonstrated with either a record of immunization with dates and dosages or a report of laboratory results from tests for immunity, and must be signed or stamped from one of the following sources:

- Healthcare provider
- High school
- Previous college

To insure that you are ready to begin the fall term, please ask your family physician or an authorized health professional to provide you with a copy of your current immunization record. Send to the Registrar by mail, fax (207-288-2947), or scan and attach to an email (registrar@coa.edu). State of Maine law requires that we have your record before you may attend classes.

If you have a religious or moral objection to such immunizations, you may provide us with a signed statement indicating this; however, if an outbreak of any of these diseases should occur, you would be asked to leave the campus for the duration. Students who are not in compliance will not be allowed to attend classes.

You can find COA's immunization policy under Immunization History in the catalog, section Registration and Fees.