National Immunization Awareness Month (NIAM) is an annual observance to raise awareness about the important role vaccines play in preventing serious, sometimes deadly diseases. Each year, the Department encourages public health agencies and healthcare providers to host special events to promote vaccination and to celebrate the critical role vaccination plays in protecting individuals, communities, and public health. The list below includes upcoming events taking place throughout New Jersey.

**List of Events by County**

**Statewide**

- **Title:** New Jersey Immunization Network (NJIN) Quarterly Meeting  
  **Description:** The statewide immunization coalition will be hosting its quarterly meeting on the topic of immunizations for college. The mission of NJIN is to protect the health of all individuals through timely, age-appropriate immunization against vaccine-preventable diseases by educating the public, healthcare professionals, and policymakers about vaccine safety and benefits. All are welcome to attend. For more details, visit [www.immunizenj.org](http://www.immunizenj.org).  
  **Location:** Please visit the website to RSVP  
  **Date:** August 16th  
  **Time:** 12-2pm

**Atlantic**

- **Title:** Child Health Clinic  
  **Description:** Clinics will provide immunizations every Wednesday in August for children without insurance or who have NJ Family Care A. Appointments are necessary. Call (609) 645-7700 ext. 4500.  
  **Location:** Atlantic County Division of Public Health, 201 South Shore Rd., Northfield, NJ 08225  
  **Date:** August 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, and 30th  
  **Time:** By appointment

- **Title:** Immunization Workshops  
  **Description:** Workshops will be held for Day Care providers.  
  **Location:** Atlantic County Division of Public Health, 201 South Shore Rd., Northfield, NJ 08225  
  **Date:** August 8th  
  **Time:** Two sessions are offered: 10am-12pm & 1-3pm

- **Title:** Adult Vaccination Clinic  
  **Description:** Clinics will be held at the Stillwater Building in Northfield for residents without insurance, or insurance that does not cover immunizations. Appointments are necessary. Call (609) 645-7700 ext. 4500.  
  **Location:** Atlantic County Division of Public Health, 201 South Shore Rd., Northfield, NJ 08225  
  **Date:** August 8th, 18th, and 29th  
  **Time:** By appointment
Atlantic County 4-H Fair

**Description:** Immunizations for children and adults will be promoted at the fair. A display board will be exhibited to facilitate education about vaccinations. Informational packets outlining CDC recommendations will be distributed.

**Location:** 4-H Center, 3210 Route 50 South, Egg Harbor, NJ 08215

**Date:** August 10-12th

**Time:** 12:30-10:00pm

Adult Vaccination Clinic

**Description:** Clinics will be held in Hammonton for residents without insurance, or insurance that does not cover immunizations. Appointments are necessary. Call (609) 645-7700 ext. 4500.

**Location:** 310 Bellvue Avenue, Hammonton, NJ 08037

**Date:** August 22nd

**Time:** By appointment

Immunization Workshops

**Description:** Workshops will be held for school nurses.

**Location:** Atlantic County Division of Public Health, 201 South Shore Rd., Northfield, NJ 08225

**Date:** September 15th

**Time:** Two sessions are offered: 10am-12pm & 1-3pm

Bergen

Flu Clinics

**Description:** Flu clinics for residents: age 50+, pregnant, or with doctor’s order/note.

**Location:** Richard Rodda Center, 250 Colonial Court, Teaneck, NJ 07666

**Date:** October 18th, 25th, and November 1st

**Time:** 10am-1:30pm

Camden

**Title:** Immunization Awareness Exhibit

**Description:** Exhibit will be on display at Bethany Baptist Church on Sunday, August 20th, entitled “Name that Rash”. Free posters, information for child and adult immunizations, and mini-presentations from our Camden County Department of Health and Human Services Communicable Disease staff.

**Location:** Bethany Baptist Church, 1115 Gibbsboro Road, Lindenwold, NJ

**Date:** August 20th

**Time:** 8am-2pm
Cumberland

✧ **Title:** Gateway WIC Resource Fair  
**Description:** This event will feature: health education resources, school immunizations for VFC eligible children, face painting, bounce house, balloon art, snow cones, and giveaways.  
**Location:** Gloria Sabater Elementary School playground (behind WIC office), 610 E. Montrose Street, Vineland, NJ 08360  
**Date:** August 26th  
**Time:** 10am-2pm

Essex

✧ **Title:** National Night Out  
**Description:** The Montclair Department of Health will participate in National Night Out, with health education on the importance of health education.  
**Location:** Montclair Municipal Building  
205 Claremont Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042  
**Date:** August 1st  
**Time:** 5:30-8:00pm

✧ **Title:** The Leaguers, Inc. Annual Health Fair, Passport to Wellness  
**Description:** Health fair will feature free food, entertainment and games, physical and dental screenings, giveaways, raffles, and more. For more information, contact 973-643-0300 ext. 234.  
**Location:** Metropolitan Baptist Church, 149 Springfield Avenue, Newark, NJ 07103  
**Date:** August 4th  
**Time:** 10am-2pm

✧ **Title:** Story Time in the Park  
**Description:** Hosted by Healthy Families Essex. Healthy Families staff will read stories to families and share resources on childhood vaccines. Stories are targeted for children ages 0-6 and each child who attends will receive a free book.  
**Location:** Military Park, 51 Park Place, Newark, NJ  
**Date:** Every Friday in August  
**Time:** 12-2pm

✧ **Title:** Immunization Clinic  
**Description:** Available the first and third Monday of every Month. If a holiday falls on a Monday clinic day, then the clinic will take place on Tuesday afternoon from 1pm to 3pm.  
**Location:** Montclair Municipal Building – Department of Health (3rd Floor)  
205 Claremont Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042  
**Date:** First and third Monday of every month  
**Time:** 9am-12pm
✧ **Title:** National Immunization Awareness Month Proclamation  
**Description:** The Township of Montclair will issue a proclamation recognizing the month of August as National Immunization Awareness Month.  
**Location:** Montclair Municipal Building – Department of Health, 205 Claremont Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042  
**Date:** August 8th  
**Time:** 6pm

✧ **Title:** Immunization Workshop  
**Description:** Join us to learn more about immunizations for children ages 0-6, recommended vaccines for pregnancy, and frequently asked questions about vaccines.  
**Location:** Irvington Family Development Center; 50 Union Avenue, Suite 401, Irvington, NJ  
**Date:** August 10th  
**Time:** 10-12pm

✧ **Title:** Irvington Health Fair  
**Description:** The Irvington Health Department will be hosting a health fair. Please contact the health department for more details about the event.  
**Location:** Irvington Health Department  
**Date:** August 12th  
**Time:** TBD

✧ **Title:** August Lunch Learn Ask  
**Description:** Clara Maass Medical Center health experts will provide an overview of some vaccination options for healthy adults, including who should get them and how they protect you. Complimentary blood pressure screening will be offered.  
**Location:** Edgemont Park House  
205 Claremont Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042  
**Date:** August 17th  
**Time:** 12:15-1:30pm

✧ **Title:** City of Orange Back to School Event  
**Description:** Stop by the health department’s table to get information about health and wellness!  
**Location:** Central Playground, Central Avenue  
**Date:** August 24th  
**Time:** 12-3pm

✧ **Title:** Newark School Bus Express Extended Clinic Hours  
**Description:** The Newark Department of Health will have extended clinic hours. For more information, contact the Newark Immunization Program at (973) 733-7643.  
**Location:** 110 William Street, Newark, NJ  
**Date:** August 24th, 31st and September 7th and 14th  
**Time:** Clinic will remain open through 7pm
Title: Community Information Session: Immunizations
Description: In partnership with Hackensack Meridian Health, join the Montclair Department of Health for a timely informative session on the importance of immunizations from Dr. Everett Schlam, who served on the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices for the CDC, which will also address misinformation around immunizations. The program will also include a period of Q&A for program participants.
Location: Montclair Municipal Building – Council Chambers
205 Claremont Ave. Montclair, NJ 07042
Date: August 29th
Time: 6-7pm

Title: National Immunization Awareness Month Public Service Announcement
Description: Montclair’s TV 34 will film a Public Service Announcement addressing the importance of vaccination. The Immunization Public Service Announcement will be available on TV 34 and online.
Date: Throughout August

Title: Social Media Campaign
Description: The Montclair Department of Health will conduct a social media campaign to promote immunization awareness and address misinformation.
Date: Throughout August

Title: Immunization Health Fair
Description: Essex Metro Immunization Coalition (EMIC) will be hosting a health fair with community partners. A variety of free health and wellness services and activities will be available for all ages.
Location: Military Park, 51 Park Place, Newark, NJ
Date: September 7th (Rain date: September 14th)
Time: 9am-1pm

Title: Meet, Move & Mingle: A Healthy Community Festival
Description: The City of East Orange, Department of Health and Human Services will be hosting its first “Meet, Move & Mingle” festival to enlighten and assist residents in making healthy lifestyle choices.
Location: Elmwood Park, East Orange (located on Elmwood Avenue, one block from Central Avenue)
Date: September 9th
Time: 10am-3pm

Title: Newark School Bus Express Extended Clinic Hours
Description: The Newark Department of Health will have extended clinic hours. For more information, contact the Newark Immunization Program at (973) 733-7643.
Location: 110 William Street, Newark, NJ
Date: September 9th and 23rd
Time: 9am-1pm
Hudson

✧ **Title:** Immunization Workshop  
**Description:** Hosted by the Jersey City Department of Health. The workshop is intended to help parents learn more about the recommended vaccines for their children.  
**Location:** Jersey City City Hall, 280 Grove Street, JC Chambers 2nd floor  
**Date:** August 23rd  
**Time:** 1-2pm

✧ **Title:** Immunization Workshop  
**Description:** Hosted by the Jersey City Department of Health. Join us to learn more about adolescent vaccines, including HPV.  
**Location:** Bethune Center, 140 Martin Luther King Drive, Jersey City, NJ  
**Date:** August 24th  
**Time:** 12-1:30pm

Mercer

✧ **Title:** National Night Out  
**Description:** Adult Immunization display will be posted at the National Night Out, with educational information about the importance of adult vaccinations.  
**Location:** Lawrence Township Municipal Building, 2207 Lawrence Road, Lawrence, NJ 08648  
**Date:** August 1st  
**Time:** 5:30-8:00pm

✧ **Title:** HopeFest 2017: Trenton Community Festival  
**Description:** HopeFest arranges a diverse group of community organizations to work together towards meeting the needs of our city, one family at a time. Businesses, organizations, churches, and groups will impact lives by providing connections and services in the areas of health, education, employment, volunteering opportunities, and so much more. HopeFest provides all services, resources, and opportunities FREE of charge to the community. Early registration is recommended: call toll free (267) 495-8812, or email register.hopefest@gmail.com.  
**Location:** 50 N. Clinton Ave, Trenton, NJ 08609  
**Date:** August 19th  
**Time:** 10am-2pm

Morris

✧ **Title:** Influenza Vaccine Clinic  
**Description:** Vaccines will be available for adults 18 years and older. A $20 fee will be charged. Flu shots will be free to seniors and disabled with Medicare Part B.  
**Location:** Washington Township Municipal Building, 43 Schooley’s Mountain Road, Long Valley, NJ, 07853  
**Date:** October 11th  
**Time:** 4:30-7:00pm
Title: Influenza Vaccine Clinic for Chester Township Residents
Description: Vaccines will be available for adults 18 years and older for free. Flu shots will also be free to seniors and disabled with Medicare Part B.
Location: Chester Township Municipal Building, 1 Parker Rd., Chester, NJ 07930
Date: October 13th
Time: 12-2pm

Ocean
Title: Promoting Immunization Messaging
Description: Social Media messages on weekly themes throughout the month. Check out the Long Beach Island Health Department’s Facebook page: @LBIHealth.
Date: Throughout the month of August

Somerset
Title: Social Media Campaign
Description: Month-long NIAM tweets via Somerset County and Somerset County Department of Health twitter feeds @SomersetCntyNJ and @SCHealthDept
Date: Throughout August

Sussex
Title: “Vaccines are not just for kids” Educational Presentation
Description: Educational presentation on vaccines recommended for older adults. Offered at the New Jersey State Fair, Sussex County Farm & Horse Show.
Location: Sussex County Fairgrounds, 37 Plains Rd., Augusta, NJ 07822
Date: August 10th
Time: 2:00 – 2:30pm

Title: “Be Wise, Immunize” Educational Display
Description: Educational display with materials on the importance of immunizations for all ages and specific groups. To be displayed at the county building at the New Jersey State Fair, Sussex County Farm & Horse Show.
Location: Sussex County Fairgrounds, Ernest Kosa County Building, 37 Plains Rd., Augusta, NJ 07822
Date: August 4th-13th

Title: Promoting Immunization Messaging
Description: The Sussex county division of health will be posting articles on the importance of National Immunization Awareness Month. Articles will be circulated through the county website newsletter and social media.
Date: Throughout the month of August