Immunization Requirements

Nevada state law requires all new UNLV graduate students to submit proof of immunizations. Please be aware that YOU CANNOT REGISTER FOR CLASSES until immunization records have been received by the university.

Required Immunizations
- One dose of tetanus diptheria (not tetanus toxoid) within the past 10 years
- Two doses of measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)
  OR
- Two doses of live measles, one mumps, and one rubella

Valid Exemptions
- Age exemption: persons born prior to 1957 do not need MMR vaccinations (they DO need proof of tetanus diptheria vaccination).
- Medical exemption: persons seeking exemption for medical reasons (e.g., pregnancy) must provide a letter from a licensed physician signed on their stationery, stating the reason for and length of the exemption.
- Religious exemption: persons seeking exemption for religious reasons must submit a signed letter stating that the required immunizations are contrary to their religious beliefs.

Acceptable Forms of Documentation
- Childhood immunizations card signed by a physician or nurse indicating the facility name
- High school or college records
- Military, state, or county records
- Lab report that indicates immunity

Please send proof of immunizations to:
4505 S. Maryland Parkway, Box 451029
Las Vegas, NV 89154-1029
Fax: 702-895-1118

Please be sure to include your NSHE ID number. Failure to do so will significantly delay processing.