# Health Requirements for Students Attending the University of Iowa

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<th>MMR (Measles/Mumps/Rubella)</th>
<th>TB (Tuberculosis) Screening</th>
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### General Students

- (2) vaccines OR positive antibody titres to all three diseases (exempt if born before 1957)

### International Students

- (2) vaccines OR positive antibody titres to all three diseases (exempt if born before 1957)
  - IGRA (Interferon Gamma Release Assay blood test)
  - Screen all; test those from high risk countries

### Health Science Students

- Medicine (CCOM)
- Radiation Sciences
- Physician Assistant
- Dentistry
- Nursing
- Pharmacy
- Physical Therapy
- EMT
- Speech Pathology

- (2) vaccines OR positive antibody titers to all three diseases
  - (no age exemption)

- 2-step TST OR IGRA at the start of program
  - X-ray report, treatment record, and symptom assessment (for those with history of positive TB test) at the start of program

- (3) vaccine series AND surface antibody titer*

- (2) vaccines OR positive antibody titer

- Once
  - (after one Tdap, need Td (Tetanus/Diphtheria) every 10 years)

- Once*
  - (upon entry to program)

*Resources and forms required for documentation for Health Science students are located on our website on the [Requirements & Forms page](#), in the Health Science Student section

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