

CNA Certified Critical Care

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Seasonal flu shot

Seasonal flu vaccines protect against the three influenza viruses that research indicates will be the most common each year. This year's flu vaccine (2010–2011) will protect against:

- 2009 H1N1;
- H3N2 virus (Fujian flu);
- Influenza B virus.

Each year, the viruses in the vaccine change based on international surveillance and scientists' estimations about which types and strains of viruses will circulate in a given year.

The Flu shot offers the best protection against these viruses, when combined with regular hand washing. Canada's National Advisory Committee on Immunization (NACI) encourages all Canadians over age six months to get a flu shot. It is especially important for health professionals to be immunized to protect themselves, their families and their patients.

The Canadian Association of Critical Care Nurses (CACCN) encourages its members and all health care workers to become informed about the benefits to **you, your family and your patients** when you get vaccinated.

Make the right choice for all three!

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