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NEWS RELEASE

Free Flu Vaccines to the Uninsured Vaccinations for Health Program to host seven clinics in February

EL PASO, Texas – The El Paso Fire Department is encouraging the community to take advantage of the Vaccinations for Health Program. Due to the high demand for vaccinations, the Fire Department is extending additional dates to the program's schedule. Vaccinations for Health provides free influenza, blood pressure and glucose screenings to patients 18 and older, and pneumonia vaccines to those 65 and older.

There are seven clinic dates in February:

Wednesday, Feb. 7: EPFD Safety, Health Outreach Center, 5415 Trowbridge Dr., 1 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 10: Fire Station 17, 8803 Alameda Ave., 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 14: EPFD Safety, Health Outreach Center, 5415 Trowbridge Dr., 1 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 17: EPFD Safety, Health Outreach Center, 5415 Trowbridge Dr., 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 21: EPFD Safety, Health Outreach Center, 5415 Trowbridge Dr., 1 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, Feb. 24: Fire Station 18, 7901 San Jose Rd., 8:30 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 28: EPFD Safety, Health Outreach Center, 5415 Trowbridge Dr., 1 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

The Fire Department would like to remind the public that the service is FREE to residents of El Paso and Hudspeth County who are 18 and over and do not have medical insurance or are on Medicaid. Glucose and blood pressure screening are free to anyone 18 and older. Residents who meet these guidelines are encouraged to take advantage of the program. The goal of the program is to increase the wellness of the community.

For more information, residents are encouraged to call 3-1-1 or visit [EPFD Vaccinations for Health](#)

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