

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
Department of Health

Health Regulation and Licensing Administration
for the D.C. Board of Pharmacy



**Immunization and Vaccination
Requirements for Pharmacist Certification**

An applicant for certification to administer immunizations and vaccinations shall do the following: *

- (a) Submit a completed application and pay the required fee;
- (b) Demonstrate to the satisfaction of the Board that he or she
 - (1) Is licensed in good standing under the Act to practice pharmacy;
 - (2) Possesses and maintains an active certification in **cardiopulmonary resuscitation for health care providers**; and
 - (3) Has successfully completed an ACPE approved course approved by the Board of Pharmacy which meets requirements defined in Title 17 DCMR Ch 65 6512.3 (3)
 - (4) Completes two (2) hours of continuing education each renewal period relevant to the administration of immunizations and vaccinations, as part of the continuing education credits required under subsection 6513.4 and submit proof upon request to the Board.
 - (5) Administer vaccines and immunizations in accordance with CDC guidelines.

Checklist for [Application](#)

- Completed and signed application
- Required Fee in the form of a check or money order made payable to **“DC Treasurer”**
- Two (2) recent passport photos(2” X 2”)
- Social Security Number or a Sworn Affidavit
- Name Change Document (Marriage Certificate, Divorce Decree, Court Order) if applicable
- Copy of current DC License
- Proof of current CPR Certification for **Health Care Providers**
- Proof of successful completion of an ACPE-accredited Immunization and Vaccination Certification course approved by the Board of Pharmacy

*Refer to [Title 17 DCMR Ch 65 6512](#) for all regulations regarding Pharmacist Added Authority to Immunize and Vaccinate Patients