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Dear MPTC Nursing Assistant Students,

The purpose of this email is to communicate with each of you a very important update regarding required immunizations/vaccinations for students participating in off-site health program clinical placements beginning with the start of the fall 2021 academic semester. Please read the following message carefully. Any questions should be directed to the number/email below.

Recently, Moraine Park Technical College received notification from local health care agencies utilized for clinical placements that beginning with the fall 2021 academic semester, students completing clinical placement must be fully vaccinated for Covid-19. This is an important change.

As a guest of their agency, we must oblige to their policy and procedures for clinical placements. Moraine Park Technical College establishes student vaccination / immunization requirements to align with the standard required of the most restrictive health agency utilized for clinical placements. Therefore, all students participating in clinical this fall through MPTC must provide documentation of Covid-19 vaccination prior to being allowed at an off-site clinical location. Dependent upon the agency placed, a student may be able to receive a health/religious exemption for the Covid-19 vaccination. Please keep in mind that failure to vaccinate may impact the ability to progress in your chosen health program. MPTC will not assign or switch a vaccinated student for an unvaccinated student to facilitate placement.

If receiving the two-step vaccine, please note there are 28 days between the first and second doses. Upon completion of your vaccination, please show documentation to your instructor, along with any other outstanding health requirements.

If you have any questions on how to upload your documentation, please reach out to Danielle Rhoads at 262-335-5738 or drhoads1@morainepark.edu.

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If you are due for an annual TB test, please note, you will have to wait until you have completed your COVID 19 vaccination

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