

## COVID-19 Vaccination Policy – 6/28/2021

As the threat of the COVID-19 pandemic recedes due to vaccines, we are looking forward to the 2021 fall semester. While this past year has demonstrated the remarkable resilience of our community, we are excited for the renewed energy of our face-to-face interactions. To help protect the health and safety of the New England Law | Boston community, **all students, staff, and faculty must be fully vaccinated for COVID-19 before coming to campus in August.**

We join more than 500 institutions of higher education, including every law school in Massachusetts, in mandating the vaccine for students. We will be adding COVID-19 to the list of already required immunizations. All students will be required to submit proof of vaccination before returning to New England Law. We will allow exemptions to this requirement on religious or medical grounds.

Proof of vaccination (a picture of the vaccination card or similar physician's attestation) must be uploaded to the Intranet via [this link](#) by August 12. It can also be accessed on the homepage of the Intranet in the square navigation panel on the left-hand side via the green middle icon. If you are providing information from your doctor, please make sure that it is limited to providing proof of vaccination and does not disclose other medical information. Incoming students should submit their vaccination record through the admitted student portal. All records will be kept confidential.

You can read more about the requirement, answers to frequently asked questions, and procedures for applying for a medical or religious exemption via this [FAQ](#).

We look forward to welcoming you to New England Law in August. Stay well!

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