Health Entrance Requirements

The University of Richmond adheres to the immunization and tuberculosis screening requirements of the Commonwealth of Virginia. Full-time undergraduate and graduate students new to the University of Richmond and all degree-seeking undergraduate students in Arts & Sciences, The Robins School of Business, and the Jepson School of Leadership Studies, must complete a University-approved Tuberculosis (TB) Risk Assessment form and Immunization questionnaire by the deadline.

healthcenter.richmond.edu/new-students/index.html

Deadlines:
Fall – June 1
Spring - January 1
Health and wellbeing issues are addressed through multiple resources, such as University and community medical clinics, counseling services, health promotion (including peer health education programs), faculty, staff, and YOU...

We believe most parents communicate their values about appropriate behavior to their UR student.

Talk to your student now
Talk to them often
The University has formed a Health and Well-being Unit, bringing together the work of Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS), the Student Health Center, University Recreation and Health Promotion. This integration solidifies a decade of collaborative work and strengthens programs that support high achievement and a well-balanced life. In Fall 2020, the Unit will be located together in the new Well-Being Center and the adjoining Weinstein Center for Recreation.
Current:
490 Westhampton Way
Located in the Special Programs Building

Future:
OPENING FALL 2020!
Health & Well-being
STUDENT HEALTH CENTER

- Staff includes board-certified Physicians and Registered Nurses
- Provides care for acute and chronic illness
- Offers preventative health services
- Procedures
- Coordination of referrals
  - Off campus (local physicians and hospitals)
  - On campus (Athletic Trainers, Registered Dietitian, Counseling and Psychological Services, Academic Skills, Wellness Coaches)
- Disease surveillance
Summary of Services

- Professional visits
- Management of chronic disease
- Allergy Shots
- Immunization
- After-hours Nurse Triage
- Monitoring health and disease trends
- Travel Abroad support
- Lab testing
- Medical equipment loans
- Wound Care
- Health promotion programs
Professional visits with a physician or nurse incur no charge.

There are charges for laboratory tests, immunizations, allergy injections and supplies for certain treatments.

All charges are billed to the student account. A statement of charges is available through the Student Health Portal for insurance reimbursement. The Student Health Center does not bill insurance.
The Student Health Center offers support, education and services related to sexual health in a confidential and sensitive manner. We offer advice by phone and through private appointments with our clinical staff. Our team provides consultations and prescriptions for a variety of contraceptive (birth control) methods and offers screenings and treatment for sexually transmitted infections.

Bi-weekly Clinics: Free STI Testing

Students have access to free STI testing sponsored by the Richmond City Health Department every other week during the academic school year.
Log onto your web portal using your NetID and password to:

- Complete Pre-entrance Health forms
- Make an Appointment
- Cancel an Appointment
- Access Secure Messages
- Access Lab Results
- Access Billing Information
- Access Immunization Records
Confidentiality & Consent

- 18 year olds are adults in Virginia
  - Protected by privacy and confidentiality statutes
  - May consent to any treatment
- For 18 year olds (and minors for certain conditions) we require a student’s written or verbal permission to speak with a parent.

Student Health Center cannot allow parents blanket access to their student’s health information.
The Student Health Center physicians and nurses provide students access to efficient and effective primary care services. Our staff is dedicated to delivering the highest quality care demonstrated by our on-going AAAHC (Accreditation Association of Ambulatory Health Care, Inc.) accreditation.

Services include treatment of acute and chronic illnesses, injuries, disease prevention, health maintenance, peer education and mental health-related care. For questions regarding services, contact SpiderCare 804-289-8700.

Patient Information
The mission of the Student Health Center is to provide high quality and holistic ambulatory healthcare to a diverse population.

To achieve this, the Student Health Center embodies the core values of respect, excellence, integrity, compassion, accountability, equity and collaboration.

The Student Health Center educates, counsels and supports students to promote healthy lifestyle decisions to achieve and maintain their physical and mental well-being in pursuit of their academic and personal goals.
Clinic Hours

Fall and Spring Semester

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday
8:30 am - 4:30 pm

Thursday
10:00 am - 4:30 pm

The clinic is closed from 8:30am-10:00am every Thursday for a staff meeting

Fall & Spring Break - reduced schedule
Closed during all other University breaks
Campus Contacts:

Counseling and Psychological Services (CAPS)
804-289-8119
caps.richmond.edu

Disability Services
804-289-8032
disability.richmond.edu

Student Health Insurance Program (SHIP)
804-289-8824
studenthealthinsurance.richmond.edu
Things to Do Now

• Submit Pre-entrance Health Forms electronically through the web portal

• Talk with your student about:
  • Asking for help and support
  • Being proactive about practicing healthy behaviors - adequate sleep, proper nutrition, physical activity, stress management

• If appropriate:
  • Visit Disability Services if your student needs an accommodation
  • If your student requires specialized treatment for medical or mental health needs, provide a medical summary from physician with diagnosis and treatment plan
  • The Student Health Center will administer allergy injections
Welcome to the University of Richmond!