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TRAVEL CLINIC INFORMATION – JUNE 2016

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There are some travel vaccinations NHS GPs are paid for providing on the NHS (normal prescription charges apply). There are public health reasons why the government chooses to pay for some vaccinations. **If you need any other vaccinations, or malaria tablets, you will be required to pay the full cost to the pharmacy.** You will also be required to pay Blackfriars Medical Practice a private prescription fee of £15 per item.

Prescriptions for vaccines will normally be sent to Morrison's Pharmacy, Largo Road. Please collect the vaccines immediately before your appointment.

- Please fill in the travel form as fully as possible and leave it with the receptionist. You will be required to pay an administration fee of £40 per person over 16 years of age before your travel form is processed.
You will need an appointment between 6 – 8 weeks prior to travel, depending on your vaccination requirements.

If a BCG vaccination is required for your journey and you have not already received one this is may be carried out at Ninewells Hospital, Dundee. The practice can refer you and arrange vaccination. Please be aware this process may take up to eight weeks. Alternatively this vaccine can be accessed through a private travel clinic available in Fife, this will incur a private charge.

You will require a telephone appointment with one of our Practice Nurses Julia Wilson or Katie Robson to discuss vaccination requirements. This appointment will be arranged on completion of your travel form and received fee.

You can find out more about your travel health, requirements for injections and malaria tablets by looking at www.fitfortravel.scot.nhs.uk
Please check the website before attending for appointment.

Vaccination	Approximate Cost
Tetanus, diphtheria and Polio (combined vaccine)	Free NHS vaccine
Measles, Mumps and Rubella (combined vaccine)	Free NHS vaccine
Typhoid	Free NHS vaccine
Hepatitis A	Free NHS vaccine
Hepatitis B	Course of 3 vaccines at approx £20 each payable to the pharmacy. £15 private prescription charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice
Japanese B Encephalitis	Course of 2 vaccines 28 days apart at approx £70 each payable to the pharmacy. £15 private prescription charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice
Meningitis ACWY	Single vaccine approx £40 payable to the pharmacy. £15 private prescription charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice
Rabies	Course of 3 vaccines over 1 month. Approx £145 for the course payable to the pharmacy. £15 private prescription charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice
Tick-Borne Encephalitis	Course of 2 vaccines 1 month apart and a booster given approx 6-12 months later. Vaccines are approx £50 each payable to the pharmacy. £15 private prescription charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice
Yellow Fever	Single vaccine £70 payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice
Malaria	Varies depending on area travelling to. Cost of tablets payable to pharmacy. £15 private prescription charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice

There is a £40 charge payable to Blackfriars Medical Practice prior to 1st appointment.

This will be refunded if only NHS vaccines are required.

TRAVEL FORM PRE-HOLIDAY PLANNER

Please return this form at least 6 – 8 weeks prior to travel if possible

NAME **DATE OF BIRTH**

CONTACT NUMBER DATE OF HOLIDAY

DESTINATIONS LENGTH OF STAY

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Type of holiday (tick appropriate box) Business
Hotel
Backpacking
Safari
Camping
Other – please specify

PLEASE SUPPLY DETAILS OF THE FOLLOWING:

1. Previous immunisations and dates

2. Current medication

3. Previous or current Steroid, anti-cancer therapy or immunosuppressant medication

4. Current or planned pregnancy, breastfeeding

5. Previous adverse reaction to vaccinations or anti-malarial drugs – please specify

6. Allergy to any medicines

7. Allergy to eggs

8. Previous faints, seizures, fits or epilepsy, history of mental illness including depression

9. Any long standing or present health problems

TELEPHONE APPOINTMENT WITH ONE OF OUR PRACTICE NURSES:

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