

Flu Clinic Dates - November

11/4 - 2p-4p; EDG Conf. Room F
11/5 - 2p-4p; FTT Conf. Room A
11/6 - 2p-4p; FLO 3rd Floor Conf. Room
11/7 - 12p-2p; Dolwick 2107
11/11 - 7a-9a; FLO Conf. Room F
11/12 - 7a-9a; EDG Conf. Room F
11/12 - 2p-4p; DBN IN Conf. Room
11/13 - 7a-9a; FTT Conf. Room A
11/14 - 2p-4p; EDG Conf. Rm F
11/18 - 7a-9a; EDG Conf. Rm F
11/19 - 2p-4p; FTT Conf. Room A
11/20 - 2p-4p; FLO 3rd Floor Conf. Room
11/21 - 11:30a-1:30p; SETEC Auditorium
11/25 - 2p-4p; EDG Conf. Room F
11/25 - 7a-9a; DBN IN Conf. Room
11/26 - 7a-9a; FTT Conf. Room A
11/27 - 7a-9a; FLO 3rd Floor Conf. Room
11/28 - Employee Health Office Closed
11/29 - Employee Health Office Closed

Proof of vaccination or appropriate documentation (*described below*) must be provided to the Volunteer Services office no later than **December 4**.

If you...

- Prefer the high dose vaccine, limited quantities are available to volunteers 65+ at Employee Health ONLY.
- Prefer to receive your flu vaccine through your physician/other healthcare clinic or pharmacy, please submit your documentation to the Volunteer Office.
- Choose to **not** receive the flu shot, you will be ineligible to volunteer from **December 5, 2024 – April 1, 2025**.

Employee Health Office

Monday – Friday, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

(arrive by 3:30 p.m. for injections)

No Appointment Needed

830 Thomas More Parkway, Suite 101 (back of building)
Crestview Hills, KY 41017



Respiratory Infection Season Visitor Restrictions

St. Elizabeth Healthcare Respiratory Infection Season Visitor Restrictions will officially begin Friday, Nov. 1. As in the past, we will monitor respiratory illnesses in our community, such as influenza, COVID-19 and Respiratory Syncytial Virus (RSV). Updates will be provided throughout the season.

Restrictions from General Visiting

- All persons with respiratory symptoms (cough, runny nose, sore throat, fever, and/or sneezing).
- All children under the age of 14.

Visitor restrictions in Maternal Child and Infant areas vary.

- Visitation exceptions should be rare and approved by the Nursing Supervisor or charge nurse on the specific unit.
- Hand sanitizer and tissues are available in lobbies and ED waiting areas.

Respiratory Illness Information

Influenza is spread primarily through coughing and sneezing of respiratory droplets, or through touching contaminated surfaces. Adults may be able to spread influenza to others from one day before symptoms to approximately five days after symptoms start. Children and those with weakened immune systems may be infectious and able to spread flu to others for 10 or more days after symptoms begin.

COVID-19 spreads when an infected person breathes out droplets and very small particles that contain the virus. Most often this causes respiratory symptoms that can feel much like a cold, the flu, or pneumonia. Other parts of your body may also be affected by the disease. Most people with COVID-19 have mild symptoms, but some people become severely ill.

RSV is spread by direct or close contact with infected secretions. Symptoms are usually mild, cold-like symptoms and most people recover in a week or two. RSV can be especially severe in infants and older adults.



November 11, 2024

**Thank you to our St. Elizabeth Veterans
for your Volunteer Service.**

Roger Barker
Derek Beach
Ken Bodner
Charles Brouse, Sr.
Francis David
Tom Deane
Jerry Dressman
Tony Eilerman
Bill Gabbard
Richard Gangwish, II
James Irons
Ned Jackson
Tom Kirst
Matt Loyd
Timothy Lynam

Bill McWhorter
Greg Meier
Raymond Miller
Don Moak
Jim Osei, Jr.
Barbara Persons
Jim Purcell
Mike Rachford
Neal Reed
Wayne Robertson
Steve Saylor
Terry Shetler
Jerry Sigl
Elmer Tuschong
Dean Wiebracht

CANDYLAND Holiday Style Show and Luncheon

Join the St. Elizabeth Foundation on Monday, November 25 at the MegaCorp Pavilion in Newport, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. for a great day of shopping, lunch, a silent auction and a peek at fashions from Inspired Fashion, Dillard's, Joey +June Boutique and Fabulous Furs.

In addition to the fashions on the runway, you will have the opportunity to walk down candy lane and shop with our exclusive holiday vendors and bid on fantastic items in the silent auction.

The exciting program will be hosted by Ashley Kirklen, WLWT News Anchor. Cost for the event is \$65 per person. Registration deadline is **November 8**.

To RSVP or for more information, please contact Emily Lusk, Foundation Special Events Coordinator at emily.lusk@stelizabeth.com or (859) 301-6190.

Gift Shop Open House

November 4-10

20% Off All Christmas Items

Edgewood | Florence | Ft. Thomas | Dearborn

Shops will open at 7am
Wednesday, November 6

**The Volunteer Offices will be
closed Thanksgiving Day and
Friday, November 29**



SAVE THE DATE!

CHRISTMAS WEEK IN THE VOLUNTEER OFFICES

DECEMBER 9-13

Comment Corner: Celebrating Impactful Moments

This month we received these shout outs:

Florence

"I wish I had been able to get the names of everyone that cared for me the day of my surgery. I would have liked to recognize everyone individually. Everyone I encountered from the moment I walked in the door from the volunteer at the desk to the moment I was discharged was very kind and compassionate."

Ft. Thomas

"Every time I visit, I'm immediately impressed by the service provided, especially the volunteers at the registration desk who help get me a wheelchair."

"The volunteers helped us find our way around...otherwise we would have been lost more than once."

WELCOME NEW VOLUNTEERS IN SEPTEMBER

- Jolene Esz
 - Younos Gad
 - Maria Goetz
 - Bebe Kinnett
 - Tim Lichter
 - Garry Oldham
- James Parrigan
 - Sandy Peterson
 - Marlene Powell
 - Fernando Ramirez
 - Sue Theissen
 - Timothy Theissen

St. Elizabeth Volunteers are passionate about their role in making a positive impact on the patient experience.