



# NEWS RELEASE

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## **H1N1/Seasonal Flu Shot campaign continues in New Year**

The Parkland Regional Health Authority (PRHA) continues with appointment-based clinics for H1N1 and Seasonal Flu shots. Flu shot clinics will be held in various Community Health Offices around the Region as required. Please call your public health office to book an appointment.

<b>Dauphin Community Health Office-</b>	<b>638-2118</b>
<b>Ste. Rose Community Health Office-</b>	<b>447-4080</b>
<b>Roblin Community Health Office-</b>	<b>937-2151</b>
<b>Swan River Community Health Office-</b>	<b>734-6603</b>

*(Residents of outlying communities are asked to contact their local community health office to inquire about booking an appointment.)*

The **H1N1 Flu Shot** is available to all Manitobans who need, want or who will benefit from the vaccine.

**Seasonal Flu Shots** are also available to those who fall into the eligibility criteria. *(Information about the seasonal flu shot criteria is regularly advertised and listed on our website.)*

Other important information to consider:

- Through December 20<sup>th</sup>, 2009, a total of **15, 812 people** have been immunized for H1N1. This represents about 38 per cent of our Region's population.
- For a complete listing of flu shot clinic information, call the PRHA Toll-Free Information Line at **1-877-279-7855**.
- If you have general questions about the H1N1 Flu Shot, or Seasonal Flu Shot, please contact Health Links/Info Santé at **1-888-315-9257**.