

Thank you for inquiring about the Texas Children's Hospital Travel Medicine Clinic.

Who We Are:

The Texas Children's Hospital Travel Medicine Clinic offers services to help prepare families traveling abroad, including services for both parents and children. Our physicians are all board certified, with extensive experience in international health.

What We Do:

Services include:

- ❖ pre-travel vaccinations
- ❖ necessary medications to prevent common illnesses while abroad
- ❖ travel advice and recommendations specific to your country of visitation
- ❖ counseling for families with pre-existing medical conditions

FAQ's:

Q: What if I am an adult traveling without children? Can I still be seen by your clinic?

A: Yes! We see adults, children, and families.

Q: How far in advance of my trip should I make an appointment?

A: Please schedule your appointment one month prior to traveling, if not earlier. Some vaccinations come in a series of injections, while others may take multiple weeks to take full effect and provide partial or full immunity.

Q: What if I'm leaving in less than a month?

A: Please contact our clinic as soon as you know your travel plans so that we can do our best to get you prepared for your trip.

Q: Can you just tell me what immunizations I will need without scheduling an appointment?

A: This information is specific for each traveler, based upon what country they are traveling to, and their past immunization and medical history. Due to the specificity of each individual's needs, this information will be provided at the time of your appointment.

Q: Will this be covered by my insurance?

A: No. Our clinic does not accept insurance. We will accept cash, check, or charge for services, and the payment in full is required at the time of your visit.

Q: Can I get an estimate of how much this will cost?

A. Yes. Please contact our office for an estimate. Prices on vaccinations may change without notification and final cost will depend on the number of vaccinations needed. Please be aware that you will be charged for an initial office visit separate from the cost of the vaccinations.

Q: How do I get started?

A: Complete the attached personal data form for EACH traveler, and obtain copies of your immunization record. Fax or email the completed personal data form and your personal immunization record to: phperez@texaschildrens.org fax: (832) 825-1281.

******Thank you for allowing us to be a part of your travel medicine needs******