

## METROPOLITAN LEARNING INSTITUTE

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## **MLI Vaccination Policy:**

Metropolitan Learning Institute is aware that vaccination policy varies by State.

In New York State, a student must provide documentation to the school that all necessary shots and vaccinations are up to date. In August 2003 New York State passed a law requiring all students attending post-secondary education to (1) receive the Meningitis vaccine, (2) provide prior proof of vaccination or (3) sign a waiver to decline the Meningitis vaccine. Note that religious exemptions were recently (2019) disallowed by the NYC Department of Health, overriding State Guidelines.

A June 1989 amendment to the New York State Public Health Law requires postsecondary students to demonstrate proof of immunity against the following diseases: Measles, Mumps and Rubella. The law applies to all students born on or after January 1, 1957. As a condition of post-secondary attendance, all students must comply with this legislation. You must provide documentation of immunity from your own physician; provide documented history from a previous educational institution that you attended; or, if you are in need of additional immunization, you may contact your own physician or your City/County Health Department.