

ALLERGY CLINIC GUIDELINES

- 1. Patients are seen by appointment only. These can be made by calling 336-758-5218. On-line appointments are not available.
- 2. Appointment times are Tuesday Thursday, 8:30 11:40 and 1:30-3:40 and Friday mornings 8:30-11:40. Hours will change during summer sessions.
- 3. Allergy vials should be mailed or given directly to the patient and **NOT mailed** to the Student Health Service. Vials can be brought to the health service during regular clinic hours.
- 4. There is a separate fee for allergy injections depending on how many injections are given at the time of visit. This ranges from \$8.50 \$11.00 per visit.
- 5. Patients will be responsible for taking serum and instructions with them during holidays, breaks, or other absences. All allergy serum should be kept refrigerated during transit.
- 6. No expired serum will be administered and will be discarded.
- 7. Strenuous exercise should not be engaged in by the allergy injection patient for at least 2 hours prior and 2 hours after allergy injections.
- 8. Patients who are ill with fever, asthma or respiratory difficulties will not be able to receive their allergy injections until symptoms are improved.
- 9. Patients are required to stay in the Student Health Service 20-30 minutes (based on allergist order) after receiving allergy injections. YOU MUST CHECK IN WITH A NURSE BEFORE LEAVING THE AREA. Non-compliance in this issue may result in cancellation of future visits to the Allergy Clinic.

Copies of ORDER FORMS for Allergists to complete can be found on the Student Health webpage at shs.wfu.edu under the "forms" tab.