

## Flu Shot

## Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

- 1. Can the flu vaccine give me the flu?
  - a. No, the flu shot cannot give you the flu.
- 2. When does the flu occur?
  - a. Most often during the fall and winter.
- 3. What are the symptoms of the flu?
  - a. People with the flu often have a sudden onset of fever, cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, body aches, extreme fatigue, and headache.
  - b. Some people might experience vomiting or diarrhea.
- 4. Does past infection with the flu make a person immune?
  - a. No, because there are many viruses that cause the flu and they change from year to year.
- 5. Does the flu vaccine protect throughout the flu season?
  - a. Yes, getting vaccinated will protect you throughout the flu season.