Student Vaccination Rates September 7, 2022 Prepared for UASU Executive Committee



Overview

This briefing covers a UASU Perks survey that ran from September 1 to 5, 2022, reaching 1153 respondents, a 40% response rate based on Perks users during that time period. The vast majority of undergraduate students are fully vaccinated. However, there is still significant room to urge students to receive a booster/third shot if eligible, and the data highlights faculties where messaging would be especially valuable.

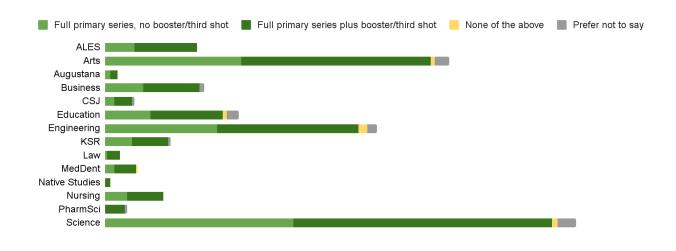
Overall Vaccination Rates

94.4% of respondents chose to self-identify as fully vaccinated, and an unknown portion of the 4.3% 'prefer not to say' respondents may also be fully vaccinated. We compare the University's <u>announcement</u> in February, which stated that 97% of students were fully vaccinated.



Vaccination by Faculty

Vaccination rates are fairly consistent across faculties. As shown in the next two charts, vaccination awareness efforts could be especially beneficial in Engineering (unvaccinated cluster and low booster uptake), Augustana (lowest booster uptake), KSR (low booster uptake), Education (proportionally high opt-out and some unvaccinated). Arts, Science, and other large faculties could also benefit significantly. Granular labels have been omitted for privacy reasons.



We note high or very high booster uptake (i.e. ~ 3⁄3 of students or better) in ALES, Law, Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences, Medicine and Dentistry, Nursing, and Native Studies. Again, labels have been omitted for privacy reasons.

