

## Annex 15.A Immunizations (vaccinations)

### Required immunizations

10 Yellow fever is the only disease specifically designated in the International Health Regulations (2005) for which proof of vaccination or prophylaxis may be required as a condition of entry to a State Party.

The staff physician is responsible for informing staff members of this requirement. (see also III.15 [Medical Examinations in the Regions](#)).

### Recommended immunizations

20 The following immunizations are not required but staff members and members of their family are recommended to have them if they are going to certain areas or doing certain types of work:

- Diphtheria-Tetanus immunization: this is recommended to all staff members and particularly to those working in the field or to those at headquarters and regional offices engaged in manual work;
- poliomyelitis immunization;
- Typhoid Fever
- Hepatitis A and Hepatitis B
- Meningitis ACWY
- Seasonal flu vaccine
- Rabies
- Japanese Encephalitis
- Tick born encephalitis
- immunization against measles and possibly also German measles (rubella) is, in particular, recommended for children and should be performed by the pediatrician who knows the child's medical history.