

the **benefits** of **flu vaccination** 2014-2015

The estimated number of influenza-associated **illnesses prevented** by flu vaccination during the 2014-2015 season:

1.9 million



greater than the population of the city of Philadelphia

The estimated number of flu-associated **medical visits prevented** by vaccination during the 2014-2015 season:

966,000



as many people as can fit in Manhattan's Times Square

The estimated number of flu **hospitalizations prevented** during the 2014-2015 season:

67,000



as many people as Seattle's Seahawks stadium can seat

get **vaccinated**



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