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**VISITING NURSE ASSOCIATION
OF SOUTHEAST MICHIGAN**
The First Name in Homecare & Hospice

COMMUNITY FLU CLINIC

Date:

Time:

Location:

Cost:

6 mo. - 17 yrs. of age require a signed parental consent

QUESTIONS:

Visiting Nurse Association, 248-967-8755 for vaccination and/or insurance related inquiries

"We never knew the flu could kill until we lost Alana"



*Alana Yaksich
1997 - 2003*

On the afternoon of February 1, 2003, 5 1/2 year-old Alana Yaksich spent the day with her parents and brothers watching movies, eating sundaes and playing. Although she had a low-grade fever from a recent sore throat (for which she had finished a course of antibiotics), Alana enjoyed the afternoon feeling healthy and surrounded by her friends and family. Later that evening, Alana developed a 106-degree fever and was rushed to the emergency room. Within hours of her arrival at the local hospital, Alana died of flu-related complications that caused swelling and injury to her brain. Alana had not been vaccinated against the flu. Her age was not in the recommended CDC guidelines at the time.

alanasflufoundation.org

Did You Know:

- Approximately 1 out of 3 children will contract influenza each flu season
- Over 400 children have died from influenza since 2003
- More than 20,000 children are hospitalized each year due to influenza
- The single best way to prevent influenza is to get a yearly vaccination!
- The CDC recommends yearly vaccinations for all children 6 months - 18 years of age

Vaccinations for this clinic will be administered by the Visiting Nurse Association of Southeast Michigan

vna.org

Don't risk losing your child to a preventable disease

GET VACCINATED TODAY!