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Immunization Requirements for School Attendance in Ohio

Attention all parents of 6th grade students entering 7th grade in 2024

Ohio school law requires proof of the following immunizations **BEFORE** students start 7th grade:

- Tdap vaccine (to protect from Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis)
- Meningococcal (ACWY) vaccine (to protect from Meningitis)

Students can obtain both the required Tdap and Meningitis (ACWY) shots any time from now until the first day of 7th grade. We encourage you to contact your Primary Care Physician or your local Health Department for an appointment. A shot record is required for the local health departments.

A parent or guardian MUST accompany children attending the clinics & they are by appointment only. Locations are on the Wayne County Health Department website:

http://wayne-health.org/patient-care/immunization-program

Do not wait! Clinics tend to become very busy toward the end of summer, causing a delay in immunizations, which could result in exclusion from school. As soon as you obtain the required immunizations, please have your provider complete this form with the Tdap and Meningitis vaccination dates. Send the bottom form or a copy of your child's shot record with the vaccination dates to the school.

** Any 7th grade student who has not had Tdap and Meningitis (ACWY) vaccinations cannot attend the Jr/Sr HS until the school nurse receives proof. If your child is unable to receive these immunizations due to a medical reason, your doctor must state so in writing. **

Thank you,

Jamie Zollinger

Principal
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You MUST return documentation of vaccinations to your child's school BEFORE the first day of 7th grade.

Child's Name _____ Child's Birthdate _____

Vaccination(s) received:

Tdap Date _____

Meningococcal Date _____

Signature/stamp of vaccine provider _____

Provider's phone number _____