

## **Physical Examination & Dental Health**

**PHYSICAL EXAMINATION – a form for the physician to complete and sign is available at each school and online.**

Students must have a complete physical examination upon the **first day** of original entry into school (kindergarten or first grade), grade six and grade eleven and at the nurse's discretion. Students new to PA schools must have a physical examination if the student's record does not meet PA requirements.

**DENTAL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS – a form for the dentist to complete and sign is available at each school and online.**

All children are required to have a dental examination upon original entry into school (kindergarten or grade one), and in grades three and seven.

Families are provided with appropriate forms when examinations are required. If financial need is demonstrated, the Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) offers low cost or free medical insurance. Further information can be obtained at 1-800-464-KIDS. In special cases, the school physician/dentist may perform the required examination. Contact the nurse at your school for further information.