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## **Immunization Requirements for Grade 12 Students**

Two (2) doses of the **MCV4** (Meningococcal) vaccine are required <u>prior</u> to entry into twelfth (12th) grade, in accordance with the State of Ohio Immunization Requirements for school attendance. <u>The 2<sup>nd</sup> dose must be given after age 16 years.</u>

\*\*NOTE: If the 1<sup>st</sup> dose of MCV4 is at 16 years of age or older, a 2<sup>nd</sup> dose is not required for school\*\*

If your child is in need of these vaccines, please make an appointment now with either:

- Your family physician or health care provider
- Visit any Minute Clinic (CVS, Rite-Aid, Walgreens) no appointment needed
- Cuyahoga County Department of Health (call 216-201-2041 to make an appointment).

*Don't delay in making an appointment*! Summer, especially August, will be extra busy at most physician offices and you may find it difficult to get an appointment in time.

## <u>Please submit an updated copy of immunizations to the</u> <u>School Nurse NOW to verify immunizations BEFORE the senior year begins.</u> <u>Documentation must be received before the first day of classes.</u>

## \*\*According to Section 3701.13, on the 15th day after school entrance, it will be necessary to <u>exclude</u> from school all students who do not meet the above requirements. \*\*

Label the envelope Attention: School Nurse and send to:

- Westlake High School, 27830 Hilliard Blvd, Westlake, OH 44145
- Drop off in Main Office or Attendance Office
- Scan/Email to <u>DetwilerT@wlake.org</u>
- FAX to (440) 835-5572

\*PLEASE make sure any immunization information is directed to the school nurse and not athletics\*

If you have any questions, or there are circumstances preventing your child from receiving vaccinations, please call (440) 250-1022 or email <u>DerwilerT@wlake.org</u>.

Thank you, Tim Detwiler, BSN, RN, LSN Westlake City School Nurse

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