

Important Middle School Health Notice

Immunization Requirement for the 2024-2025 School Year

All in-coming 7th grade students for 2024-2025 are required to have booster immunizations of tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (Tdap) or tetanus and diphtheria (Td) and Meningococcal (MCV4) (serogroup A, C, W, and Y).

Per the Ohio Department of Health (ODH) immunization requirements, Ohio Revised Code 3313.67 and 3313.671, all of Ohio's in-coming **7th grade students must be** vaccinated against the **Meningococcal (MCV4)** vaccine as well as the **Tdap** booster.

Written verification from your child's health care provider, indicating the complete date (month/date/year) and type of vaccine (Tdap/Td and MCV4) that your child received, is required to be turned into the school health staff by May 29, 2024, for the 2024-2025 school year. If your child has already been vaccinated with the additional requirements of **Tdap/Td and MCV4**, please forward written documentation from your health care provider to Mrs. Rawn, RN, School Nurse, as soon as possible.

If your child has not yet been vaccinated with the tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis booster, or the meningococcal vaccine, please be certain your child receives these vaccines and provide the school with written verification from your health care provider of the date/s received and type of vaccine that was administered. This documentation is due **Thursday, August 1, 2024, for the academic school year 2024-2025..** Refer to your child's health care provider for any additional questions.

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Helpful Resources for Immunization Information and Clinics

[Franklin County Public Health](http://www.mycph.org/health-wellness/shots), (614) 525-3719 - www.mycph.org/health-wellness/shots
[Columbus Public Health](http://columbus.gov/publichealth/programs/immunization-program), (614) 645-8180 - columbus.gov/publichealth/programs/immunization-program
[Fairfield County Health Department](http://www.fairfieldhealth.org/Schedule-My-Vaccine.html), (740) 652-2800 -
<https://www.fairfieldhealth.org/Schedule-My-Vaccine.html>
www.cdc.gov/vaccines/
<https://odh.ohio.gov/know-our-programs/Immunization/Immunization>

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