

Health Services Health Requirements Kindergarten

Ensure your child's school has received the following documents prior to the first day of kindergarten:

- Copy of current immunization record (*required by state law*)
- Copy of the physical exam & vision evaluation (*required by state law*)
- Asthma/Allergy Action Plan, Seizure Action Plan, diabetic orders, or other emergency care plans (if applicable)
- Health care provider order(s) for any medication and/or procedure needed during school hours, including g-tube feeding, prescription and non-prescription medications (cough drops, Tylenol, Ibuprofen), etc. (if applicable)
- Note from dental provider with date of last dental exam (optional)

Additional Information:

- ✓ Make an appointment for your child's kindergarten physical on or after **March 1st**
- ✓ Take this checklist with you to the appointment. Ask the health care provider to make a copy of your child's kindergarten physical exam/vision evaluation, immunization record, any emergency health care plans (as needed for life-threatening conditions), and any order for medications or procedures to be dispensed/completed at school.
- ✓ Bring copies of health information to school prior to the start of the school year OR have your health care provider fax records to school – Attention: School Nurse
- ✓ A dental exam is strongly encouraged at this time - please ask your child's dentist to send a brief note stating your child has been seen

Required Immunizations for Kindergarten Students:

- 3 doses of DTaP, DTP, DT, or TD vaccine, one given on or after the 4th birthday
- 3 doses of Polio vaccine
- 3 doses of pediatric Hepatitis B vaccine
- 2 doses of MMR or MMRV vaccine, given on or after 12 months of age, separated by at least one month
- 2 doses of varicella (chickenpox) or MMRV given on or after 12 months of age. *If your child has had varicella (chickenpox), they do not need any varicella vaccines. Written documentation must be provided (including month and year) of varicella disease from the parent/guardian or health care provider*

Resources:**Call for an appointment and bring your child's immunization history:**

- One World Community Health Center - Visit oneworldomaha.org or call 402-734-4110
- Charles Drew Health Center - Visit charlesdrew.com or call 402-451-3553

Call the School Based Health Centers and bring your child's immunization history:

- Bryan High School - 4700 Giles Road, 402-991-3904
- Buena Vista High School - 5616 L Street, 402-952-4050
- Indian Hill Elementary - 3121 U Street, 402-933-4968
- Liberty Elementary - 2021 Saint Mary's Ave., 402-505-8180
- Spring Lake Magnet Elementary – 4215 S. 20th Street, 402-932-7014
- Belvedere Elementary - 3775 Curtis Ave., 402-451-3553
- King Science & Technology Magnet - 3720 Florence Blvd., 402-451-3553
- Northwest High School - 8204 Crown Point Ave., 402-451-3553
- Benson High School- 5120 Maple Street, 402-451-3553

Immunization Services Only

- Douglas County Health Department - Phone: 402-444-6163
- Website: <https://www.douglascountyhealth.com/clinics-services/immunization-clinic>

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