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To: School Administrators and Secretaries

From: Anna Hanisko, MPH, Director of Health Services^{AH}

Subject: **Back to School Packet 2026/2027**

Included in this packet are the following documents:

School/District Use Only

- School Nurse assignments
- CPR/AED/First Aid course dates and location

Parent/Guardian Handouts

- Childhood Immunization information and Public Health Department clinic schedule
- Type 2 Diabetes letter for schools with 7th grade students – *English/Spanish*
- Air Quality Guidelines – *English/Spanish*
- Medi-Cal Enrollment Flyer – *English/Spanish*
- Medi-Cal Dental Flyer – *English/Spanish*
- Safe Firearms Storage – *English/Spanish*
- Cancer Prevention Act – HPV Notification Requirement 6th grade – *English/Spanish*
- Kindergarten Oral Health Assessment Flyer

Please note that enrollment for the CPR/AED/FA courses is being completed through a Google Survey this year. Here is the link for [CPR/AED/FA Registration](#).

As a reminder, your schools are required to enforce the law and require immunizations for school attendance. Your school district is responsible for bringing all students into compliance and completing any required reports. For current information, visit [Shots for School](#). Before a pupil enters school, the parent or guardian must present a copy of a written immunization record, which includes the month, day, and year each required vaccine dose was given. Medical exemptions to specific immunizations are allowed and must be written by a California licensed MD or DO. For current information visit [CAIR-ME](#).

Please visit the SCOE [Health Services](#) web page for information regarding requirements, deadlines and instructions for immunization reports, kindergarten oral health reports, the weekly illness surveillance, mental health resources, and illness prevention resources.

Effective January 1, 2024, Assembly Bill No. 659, the Cancer Prevention Act, requires schools to notify families of students entering sixth grade about human papillomavirus (HPV) vaccination recommendations. In order to meet the requirements of the law, the flyer included in this packet must be sent to parents/guardians of students entering sixth grade. It is recommended that schools send this information to parents/guardians of students entering seventh through twelfth grades, as well.