

Deputy Elementary Health Newsletter

2022-2023

Nurse Spotlight:
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If a student requires medication to be administered at school, the parent must bring the medication in original bottle, and sign a Medication Authorization form.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

Vision Screenings for grades: 1st & 3rd Sept 15th
Dental Screening Day: date, Information to come!
Health Dept. vaccine clinic this Fall.

When to keep your child home from school:

1. Fever of 100.4 degrees F
2. Vomiting and/or diarrhea
3. Drainage from the eye

Indiana 2022-2023 Required and Recommended School Immunizations

Grade	Required	Recommended
Pre-K	3 Hepatitis B 4 DTaP (Diphtheria, Tetanus & Pertussis) 3 Polio	1 Varicella (Chickenpox) 1 MMR (Measles, Mumps & Rubella) 2 Hepatitis A Annual Influenza
K-5 th grade	3 Hepatitis B 5 DTaP 4 Polio	2 Varicella 2 MMR 2 Hepatitis A Annual Influenza COVID-19
6 th -11 th grade	3 Hepatitis B 5 DTaP 4 Polio 2 Varicella	2 MMR 2 Hepatitis A 2/3 HPV (Human papillomavirus) 1 MCV4 (Meningococcal) 1 Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria & Pertussis) Annual Influenza COVID-19
12 th grade	3 Hepatitis B 5 DTaP 4 Polio 2 Varicella	2 MMR 2 Hepatitis A 2 MCV4 1 Tdap Annual Influenza 2/3 HPV 2 MenB (Meningococcal) COVID-19

HepB: The minimum age for the 1st dose of Hepatitis B is 24 weeks of age.
DTaP: 4 doses of DTaP/DTaP/DT are acceptable if 4th dose was administered on or after child's 4th birthday.
Polio: 3 doses of Polio are acceptable for all grades levels if the 3rd dose was given on or after the 4th birthday and at least 6 months after the previous dose.
***For students in grades K-10, the final dose must be administered on or after the 4th birthday and be administered at least 6 months after the previous dose.**
Varicella: Physician documentation of disease history including month and year, is proof of immunity for children entering preschool through 12th grade. Parent report of disease history is not acceptable.
Tdap: There is no minimum interval from the last Td dose.
MCV4: Individuals who receive dose 1 on or after the 16th birthday only need 1 dose of MCV4.
Hepatitis A: The minimum interval between 1st and 2nd dose is 6 calendar months. 2 doses are required for all grades Pre-K through 12th.
COVID-19: COVID-19 vaccine is recommended for all students five years of age and older per CDC and FDA's Emergency Use Authorization. *Review required after FDA full approval.*

If your student has any health issues please contact me so we can develop a plan of care.



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If you need help establishing a primary care provider, contact the new patient request line at 812-200-5082, Or reach out to pediatric liaison Jill Turner for assistant at

Current COVID-19 Guidelines
Positive Test: Isolate x 5 days from symptom onset. Return day 6.

How Sick is Too Sick?

This information sheet was designed by the Indiana Department of Education to be used as general guidance. If you have a medical question, please consult your school nurse or physician.

Symptom	Send to School	Keep at Home
Fever	During the past 24 hours, the student's temperature has been below 100 degrees and no fever reducing medication has been taken.	During the past 24 hours, the student's temperature has been more than 100.4 F.
Vomiting	During the past 24 hours, no vomiting has occurred.	During the past 24 hours, vomiting has occurred.
Diarrhea	During the past 24 hours, no diarrhea has occurred.	During the past 24 hours, more than one watery stool has occurred.
Eyes	Eyes may be itchy, but are not red, crusty, or draining.	Eyes are pink, draining, crusty, itching, painful, sensitive to light, or student has vision changes
Cough/ Runny Nose	Slight cough or runny nose, but no fever, and the student is able to cover cough, blow nose, and wash hands	Symptoms are severe enough that the student is unable to learn. The student has a fever, or is unable to cover cough, blow nose, or wash hands
Rash	Rash is not draining or spreading. The student does not have a fever, and symptoms of itching are not severe enough to impede learning.	Rash is bothersome and distracting. The student has a fever or severe itching, or rash is spreading or draining

COVID-19 Guidelines:

IF YOUR STUDENT TESTS POSITIVE for COVID-19, keep he/she home from school & isolate them from others for 5 days. Return to school on day 6; mask days 6-10. Don't forget to notify your school attendance clerk!

If your student was **exposed to someone with COVID-19**; observe for symptoms. **Continue to send them to school as long as they remain asymptomatic.**

Calculating Isolation: Day 0 is your first day of symptoms or a positive test. Day 1 is the first full day after your symptoms developed.