

Immunization Requirements for School Entry

Immunizations are an important part of keeping children healthy! The Colorado School Entrance and Immunization Law requires all students to provide proof of immunizations to attend school. You must provide your child's immunization record before the first day your child will attend school, and continue to provide updated records.

The following immunizations are required for school entry:

- 1. DTaP/DTP 5 doses (4 doses if last dose is on or after 4th birthday)
- 2. Polio 4 doses (3 doses if last dose on or after 4th birthday)
- **3.** MMR 2 doses
- **4. Hepatitis B** 3 doses
- **5.** Varicella 2 doses **OR** History of chicken pox <u>confirmed and documented by a Health</u> Provider.

Contact your student's health provider with questions regarding immunizations, including exemptions from immunizations. Parents may sign the immunization exemption based upon religious or personal beliefs. A new exemption form must be provided at the beginning of each school year.

Jefferson County Department of Health and Environment offers immunization services by <u>appointment only.</u>
Call 303-232-6301 or 303-239-7033 to schedule an appointment.
Recorded Immunization Info Line: 303-239-7187

To learn where to obtain immunizations free or at low cost call the Family Health Line at 303-692-2229 or 1-800-688-7777.



Immunizations Grow Healthy Kids!!