

PK-12 HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION

Required components of the health examination include: health history with parent signature, diabetes screening, lead risk assessment or testing, and complete physical examination.

Children must receive a physical examination:

1) Prior to entering Illinois Schools for the first time 2) Prior to first entrance in Early Childhood Program **AND** yearly while enrolled in Early Childhood 3) Prior to Kindergarten 4) Prior to 6th grade 5) Prior to 9th grade

The examinations must be completed by a MD, DO, Nurse Practitioner, or Physicians Assistant and must be recorded on an Illinois School Physical form. Physicals of transfer students may be accepted on another form if the information is comparable to that required on the Illinois form and if the physical has been completed within the last year. The IHSA Pre-participation Examination (sports physical) form **is not** acceptable as the school physical. **THE LAW REQUIRES US TO EXCLUDE ALL STUDENTS WHO DO NOT MEET THIS HEALTH EXAMINATION REQUIREMENT BY OCTOBER 15TH OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.** (77 Ill. Adm. Code 665)

2017-2018 IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS

All students must present proof of having received immunizations in accordance with the law and the rules and regulations of the Illinois Department of Public Health. Proof of immunization must be presented to school authorities by the child's parent or legal guardian prior to or upon entrance to the school. **THE LAW REQUIRES US TO EXCLUDE ALL STUDENTS WHO DO NOT MEET THE IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENTS.**

(77 Ill. Adm. Code 665)

Entering Early Childhood Program	Entering Kindergarten – 12 th Grade
Polio: 3 or more doses	Polio: 4 or more doses with the last dose received on/after the 4 th birthday
DTP/DTaP: 4 or more doses	DTP/DTaP/Td: 4 or more doses with the last dose received on/after the 4 th birthday(K&1) 3 or more doses with the last dose received on/after the 4 th birthday(2-12)
Measles: 1 dose on/after the 1 st birthday	Tdap: 1 dose (all 6 th -12 th grades)
Rubella: 1 dose on/after the 1 st birthday	Measles: 2 doses – 1 st dose must be on/after 1 st birthday
Mumps: 1 dose on/after the 1 st birthday	Rubella: 2 doses – 1 st dose must be on/after 1 st birthday
Hepatitis B: 3 doses (3 rd dose on/after 6 months of age)	Mumps: 2 doses – 1 st dose must be on/after 1 st birthday
Hib: primary series or 1 dose after 15 months of age	Hepatitis B: 3 doses (Grades 6-12) at recommended intervals
Varicella(Chickenpox): 1 dose on/after 1 st birthday	Hib: Not required for K-12
Pneumococcal: primary series or 1 dose after 24 months of age	Varicella(Chickenpox): Kdg,1,2,3,6,7,8,9,10,11,12th grades: 2 doses - 1 st dose must be on/after 1 st birthday 4th and 5th grades: 1 dose on/after 1 st birthday
Meningococcal: Not required for Pre-K	Pneumococcal: Not required for K-12
	Meningococcal: 6th, 7th and 8th Grades: 1 dose given on or after 10 th birthday 12th Grade: 2 doses with the second dose given at least 8 weeks after the 1 st dose. Only one dose is required if the first dose was received at 16 yrs of age or older.

(77 Ill. Adm. Code 665-240)

SCREENING FOR LEAD POISONING

Screening for lead poisoning is required to have been done at least once between the ages of six months and six years of age. Children who have attended state approved licensed day care centers or preschools, including school district programs, have already been screened as a requirement to attend. Screening for lead poisoning for children six years of age and older will be at the discretion of the child's health care provider. Lead poisoning screening is available from your doctor and can be done at the time of the physical examination. This screening is not available at the Adams County Health Department. **THIS IS A REQUIREMENT OF THE LEAD POISONING PREVENTION ACT (410 ILCS 450) AND PUBLIC ACT 093-0104.**

DENTAL EXAMINATIONS

Children must receive a dental examination:

Prior to first entrance in Early Childhood Program.

Before May 15th of the school year for children in **1) Kindergarten 2) Second grade 3) Sixth grade**

The examination must be completed by a licensed dentist and recorded on the State Dental Form. Dental examinations that have been completed after November 15, 2016, will be accepted for the 2017-2018 school year. Please make an appointment with your family dentist. The Adams County Dental Clinic is also available to families who meet eligibility requirements. Contact the Adams County Dental Clinic for further information @ 223-5611 (Hours – Tuesday through Friday 7:00am – 5:00pm)(77 Ill. Adm. Code 665-410)

VISION EXAMINATIONS

Children enrolling in kindergarten and children enrolling in a public, private, or parochial school in Illinois for the first time must receive an eye exam before October 15th of the school year. The examination must be completed by a physician licensed to practice medicine in all of its branches or a licensed optometrist and recorded on the State Vision Form. The vision exam must be performed within the previous year. **This is a requirement of Public Act 095-0671.**

MEDICAL HISTORY

At the time of registration, the parent or legal guardian will be asked to complete pertinent medical history information on the Emergency Procedure Card. Additional information may be required dependent on the medical history.