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Immunization Updates for Grade 7 Students

Dear 6th Grade Parent/Guardian,

*Did you know the Ohio Immunization Law requires two (2) vaccines **before** the start of 7th grade*?

- **Tdap/Adacel** (Tetanus, Diphtheria, and acellular Pertussis)
- **Meningococcal** (MCV4 or Menactra for meningitis prevention)
  A dose of these vaccines given after the student's 11th birthday is considered acceptable

What should I do?

Please start sending the vaccine record to the school nurse NOW

You may ask for a copy of the records as soon as the vaccines are given. If your child has already turned 11 years old and received the vaccines, contact your doctor's office to fax an updated copy to school.

Where can I get the needed vaccines?

- Your family physician or health care provider
- Visit any Minute Clinic (CVS, Rite-Aid, Walgreens) – no appointment needed; most insurance accepted
- Cuyahoga County Department of Health 216-201-2041 (Vaccine for Children Program/low cost option)

Please submit the updated record to the School Nurse no later than August 10, 2021.

Label the envelope **Attention: School Nurse** and send to:

- Dover Intermediate School, 2240 Dover Center Rd, Westlake, OH 44145
- You may scan/email directly to the school nurse, drop them off in the DIS office or FAX (440) 250-1060
- **AFTER June 7th,** please send to Lee Burneson Middle School
  2260 Dover Center Rd. Westlake, OH 44145 or FAX (440) 808-8964

If you have any questions, or there are circumstances preventing your child from getting vaccinations, please call (440) 250-1120 or email Kaiser@wlake.org

Thank you,
Betsy Kaiser, BSN, RN, LSN
Westlake City School Nurse

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