

Attention Schools & Parents

Coming Soon

NEW Chickenpox (Varicella) and Adolescent Immunization REQUIREMENTS For School Programs

BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2010, pending approval
and effective for November 2010 report period

**Required for all children entering kindergarten and
all children changing school districts:**

- Two doses of varicella (Var) or history of chickenpox disease

**Required for all children enrolled in 6th grade and for all
children 7 through 18 years changing school districts:**

- One dose of meningococcal conjugate vaccine (MCV4) on or after the 11th birthday
- One dose of tetanus/diphtheria/acellular pertussis (Tdap) on or after the 11th birthday if 5 years since last dose of tetanus/diphtheria vaccine (DTaP, Td, DT)
- Two doses of varicella (Var) or history of chickenpox disease

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Required Childhood Immunizations for Michigan School Settings

Entry Requirements for All Public & Non-Public Schools		
Age → Vaccine**↓	4 years through 6 years	7 years through 18 years
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis	4 doses DTP or DTaP, one dose must be on or after 4 yrs	4 doses D and T OR 3 doses Td if #1 given on or after 7 yrs of age. Must have 1 dose within last 10 years
Polio	4 doses, if dose 3 administered on or after 4 years, only 3 doses required	3 doses
Measles,* Mumps,* Rubella*	2 doses on or after 12 mo.	2 doses on or after 12 mo.
Hepatitis B*	3 doses	3 doses
Varicella* (Chickenpox)	1 dose if given on or after 12 months of age and prior to 13 th birthday OR 2 doses if initiated on or after 13 th birthday OR current lab immunity OR reliable history of disease	

* Current laboratory evidence of immunity is acceptable instead of immunization with antigen.

For more information, please refer to www.michigan.gov/immunize

****All doses of vaccines must be given with appropriate spacing between doses and at appropriate ages to be considered valid.**