

Indiana State Department of Health

Minimum Immunization Requirements for School Entry

2010-2011 **NEW REQUIREMENTS – in bold**

Grades 6-12

- 5 doses of diphtheria-tetanus-acellular pertussis (DTaP), diphtheria-tetanus-pertussis (DTP), or pediatric diphtheria-tetanus vaccine (DT) (4 doses are acceptable if the 4th dose was administered on or after the 4th birthday and at least 6 months after the 3rd dose).
- 4 doses of any combination of IPV or OPV by age 4-6, (3 doses of all OPV or IPV are acceptable if the 3rd dose was administered on or after the 4th birthday).
- 3 doses of Hepatitis B vaccine (3rd dose must be on after after 24 weeks of age).
- 2 doses of measles (rubeola) vaccine, on or after the first birthday.
- 2 doses of mumps vaccine, on or after the first birthday.
- 1 dose of rubella (German measles) vaccine, on or after the first birthday.
- **2 doses of varicella (chickenpox) vaccine on or after the first birthday separated by age-appropriate interval or written history of disease. Parental history of chickenpox disease is acceptable proof of immunity. A signed written statement from the parent/guardian indicating month and year of disease is sufficient.**
- **1 dose of tetanus-diphtheria-acellular pertussis vaccine (Tdap) given on or after 10 years of age.**
- **1 dose of meningococcal conjugate vaccine (MCV4).**
- For children who have delayed immunizations, please refer to the 2010 CDC "Catch-up Immunization Schedule" to determine adequately immunizing doses. All minimum intervals and ages for each vaccination as specified per 2010 CDC guidelines must be met for a dose to be valid. These guidelines can be found a www.cdc.gov/vaccines/recs/schedules/default.htm

**The immunization series must be completed by
August 11 before your child enters school.**

Please call your family doctor to schedule immunizations.

Immunizations are also available at the:

Ripley County Health Department - Call for appointment 812-689-0506

**Margaret Mary Community Hospital name change MMCH Wellness Clinic
2 West Pearl Street – Batesville (across from the Bookshelf)**

**Every Tuesday from 12:30 to 7:00, walk-in only
or by scheduled appointments only on Thursdays**