

# **Health Services Student Information**

## STATE OF ILLINOIS SCHOOL HEALTH REQUIREMENTS

The State of Illinois Certificate of Child's Health Examination form is due <u>October 15, of the current school year</u>. Your child will be excluded from school on <u>October 15, of the current school year</u> until the forms have been completed and turned in or you provide a signed letter or form from your doctor indicating your child has a scheduled appointment and will receive any needed immunizations and/or tests.

The State of Illinois Dental Examination Report is due on or before <u>May 15 of the current school year</u>. Completed forms may be faxed to Manteno CUSD No. 5 at (815) 802-7484. Authorized forms are available on the Manteno CUSD No. 5 website (<u>www.manteno5.org</u>.)

# Illinois Department of Public Health issues a New School Requirement for 2015-2016 School Year

The immunization requirement consists of one dose of MCV4 vaccine (meningococcal conjugate vaccine) for 6<sup>th</sup> grade entrance and 2 doses for 12<sup>th</sup> grade entrance, unless the first dose is administered to a child who was 16 years of age or older, in which case only one dose is required at 12th grade entrance.

#### **NEW PRESCHOOLERS**

• Physical Examination must be completed within one calendar year prior to the date of entry. The exam must include up-to-date immunizations and medical history signed by the parent.

#### KINDERGARTEN

- Physical Examination must be completed within one calendar year prior to the date of entry. The exam must include up-to-date immunizations and medical history signed by the parent.
- Eye Examination must be performed by a licensed optometrist within one year prior to the first day of school and submitted before October 15 of the school year.
- Dental Examination must be performed by a licensed dentist and submitted prior to May 15 of the school year. Dental exams must be completed within 18 months prior to the May 15 deadline.

#### 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE

• Dental Examination must be performed by a licensed dentist and submitted prior to May 15 of the school year. Dental exams must be completed within 18 months prior to the May 15 deadline.

#### 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

- Physical Examination must be completed within one calendar year prior to the date of entry. The exam must include up-to-date immunizations and medical history signed by the parent.
- Proof of one dose of the Tdap vaccine for students entering sixth grade.
- Dental Examination must be performed by a licensed dentist and submitted prior to May 15 of the school year. Dental exams must be completed within 18 months prior to the May 15 deadline.
- Proof of one dose of MCV4 vaccine on or after the 11<sup>th</sup> birthday.

#### 9<sup>™</sup> GRADE

• Physical Examination must be completed within one calendar year prior to the date of entry. The exam must include up-to-date immunizations and medical history signed by the parent.

### 12<sup>™</sup> GRADE

• Proof of MCV4 vaccine.

#### NEW STUDENTS FROM OUT OF STATE

- Physical Examination must be completed within one calendar year prior to the date of entry. The exam must include up-to-date immunizations and medical history. School physicals and immunization records are expected within 30 days of transferring in to Manteno Schools.
- Eye Examination must be performed by a licensed optometrist within one year prior to the first day of school and submitted before October 15 of the school year.

#### STUDENTS TRANSFERRING FROM OTHER ILLINOIS SCHOOLS

Transfer of current Illinois school health records-students has 30 days from their start date to submit this medical
information to the school. (This includes: physical exam with up-to-date immunizations, dental exam and eye
exam.) School Health Requirements (Physicals, Immunizations, Dental, Vision)

Illinois State Board of Education websites: <u>www.idph.state.il.us/about/shots.htm</u> Health forms can be found on our website <u>www.manteno5.org</u>. Click on the Health Services tab, and click on Forms.

# SCHOOL PHYSICALS for Pre-School, Kindergarten, Sixth, Ninth and New Transfer Students from Out of State will need a SCHOOL PHYSICAL turned in by MONDAY, OCTOBER 16th, 2017. Exclusion from attending school starts Monday, October 16th, 2017.

#### WAIVERS

#### MEDICAL OBJECTION

A statement from the MD, DO, APN or PA indicating that an immunization is "medically contraindicated" is acceptable and will be attached to the student's physical exam form in lieu of the vaccination. In case of disease outbreak, the student must be excluded from school for 14 to 21 days of school, mandated by IDPH.

Should the condition of the child later permit immunization, the requirement will then have to be met.

#### **RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION**

Requires the filing of a signed statement explaining the objections to physical exam, health screenings, and/or immunizations on religious grounds. General philosophical or moral reluctance will not provide a sufficient basis for exemption. In case of disease outbreak, the student must be excluded from school for 14 to 21 days of school, mandated by IDPH.

#### **SPORTS PHYSICALS**

A yearly Sports Physical is **required for all Athletes** to participate on school sponsored athletic program. **The 6<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> graders will not need a separate sport physical.** 

All athletes in grades 7, 8, 10, 11 and 12 are required to have a yearly sport physical to participate in any school sponsored athletic program.

Sports Physicals are good for 395 days from the date of the physical.

Physical forms can be found online by going to the District Website>Health Services>Forms, as well as in both the High School and Middle School Main Offices.

#### **MEDICATIONS**

#### OVER THE COUNTER MEDICATIONS

Any over the Counter medication, not prescribed by a Doctor, such as cough drops\*, Tums, and other OTC remedies, will only be administered when accompanied by the Parent Request for Administration of Medication at School Form. All Over the Counter Medication must be in the original packaging, with the students name, name of medication and dosage. \* Students are not administered cough drops in the Elementary or Early Childhood Center due to choking concerns.

#### PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION AND SELF ADMINISTERED MEDICATION

Forms for Prescription Medication and Self Administered Medication can be found on the website (www.manteno5.org). Click on the **Health Services** tab and then **Forms.** 

#### <u>Students will not be given Prescription and over the counter medications without a completed Medication</u> <u>Authorization form.</u>

Many physicians' offices become very busy during the late spring and summer months. We encourage you to call and make your appointments early.

Please Contact Kim Couch at 815-928-7249 with any questions.