

SUBJECT: IMMUNIZATION OF STUDENTS

Every student entering or attending a District school must present proof of immunization in accordance with Public Health Law Section 2164 unless:

- a) A New York State licensed physician certifies that such immunization may be detrimental to the students health. The requirement for that immunization is waived until the immunization is no longer detrimental to the student's health.

Except for the above exemption the District may not permit a student lacking evidence of immunization to remain in school for more than fourteen (14) days, or more than thirty (30) days for an out-of-state or out-of-country transferee who can show a good faith effort to get the necessary certification or other evidence of immunization.

The administration will notify the local health authority of the name and address of excluded students and provide the parent/person in parental relation a statement of his/her duty regarding immunization as well as a consent form prescribed by the Commissioner of Health. The school shall cooperate with the local health authorities to provide a time and place for the immunization of these students.

Parents, guardians or other persons in parental relation may appeal to the Commissioner of Education if their child is denied school entrance or attendance for failing to meet health immunization standards.

The District will provide an annual summary of compliance with immunization requirements to the Commissioner of Health.

For current information regarding immunization requirements, refer to website: <http://schoolhealthservices.org>.

Education Law Sections 310 and 914
Public Health Law 613 and 2164
8 New York Code of Rules and Regulations (NYCRR) 100.2 and 136.3
10 New York Code of Rules and Regulations (NYCRR) Subpart 66-1

NOTE: Refer also to Policy #7131 -- Education of Students in Temporary Housing

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