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CHILDHOOD IMMUNIZATIONS UPDATE PALM BEACH COUNTY

The Palm Beach County Health Department encourages parents of school age children to vaccinate now in anticipation of the new school year Childhood immunizations are available by appointment at our Health Centers and the following outreach locations with our Immunization Van:

<p>Friday, July 30th Tabernacle Missionary Baptist Church 801 8th Street West Palm Beach Registration 9:00 am</p>	<p>Saturday, July 31st Jamaicans of the Palm Beaches 1150 45th Street West Palm Beach Registration 8:30 am</p>
<p>Tuesday, August 3rd 1st SDA Church/Palm Beach Academy 6300 Summit Boulevard West Palm Beach Registration 9:00 am</p>	<p>Wednesday August 4th Lake Worth West Community Center 4730 Maine Street Lake Worth Registration 9:00 am</p>
<p>Thursday, August 5th Carver Middle School 101 Barwick Road Delray Beach Registration 9:30 am</p>	<p>Friday, August 6th Good Shepherd United Methodist Church 2341 South Military Trail West Palm Beach Registration 9:00 am</p>
<p>Saturday, August 7th First Baptist Church 7479 Overlook Road Lantana Registration 9:00 am</p>	<p>Tuesday, August 10th The Mentoring Center @ Lake Worth Resource Center 1121 Lucerne Avenue Lake Worth Registration 9:30 am</p>
<p>Wednesday August 11^h Northmore Elementary Beacon Center 4111 North Terrace Drive West Palm Beach Registration 9:00 am</p>	<p>Thursday, August 12th Atlantic Community High School 2455 West Atlantic Avenue Delray Beach Registration 9:00 am</p>
<p>Friday, August 13th Church of God 709 North "F" Street Lake Worth Registration 9:00 am</p>	<p>Saturday, August 14th Redemptive Life 2101 North Australian Avenue West Palm Beach Registration 8:30 am</p>

New students in Palm Beach County need a "680" blue card from Florida with vaccines verified and signed by a medical provider.

Kindergarten students (age 4-5) - Boosters for DTaP, Polio, MMR and Varicella (chicken pox) (in addition to all other vaccines.)

1st and 2nd grade - 2 Varicella (in addition to all other vaccines.)

7th & 8th Grades (age 11-12) - Tdap booster (in addition to all other vaccines.)

Physicals are also required for new students, and students in Kindergarten and 7th grade.

Childhood immunization records should be brought to the provider when receiving new or updated shots.

Health Centers operated by the Palm Beach County Health Department are located from Delray Beach to Jupiter and west to Belle Glade and offer children's vaccines daily. Visit www.pbchd.com or call toll-free, 1-800-810-1225 for locations and times.

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