SCHOOL IMMUNIZATION PROGRAM

Student & Parent Checklist

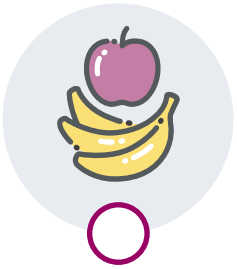
This is a reminder that Toronto Public Health will be providing free vaccinations to students in Grades 7 and 8 at their school to help protect against cancers, meningitis, and serious infections.

STUDENT'S CHECKLIST FOR DAY OF THE CLINIC:

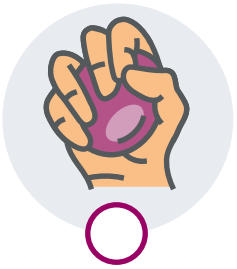
- ○ Have your parents complete & sign the consent form and return it to school

- ○ Bring a copy of your yellow vaccine card if available

- ○ Wear a loose fitting or short sleeve shirt



- ○ Eat something before the clinic



- ○ Take deep breaths to stay calm and bring something to distract yourself

PARENT'S CHECKLIST BEFORE THE CLINIC: COMPLETING THE CONSENT FORM

- ○ Review the Vaccine Fact Sheet together with your child. If you have questions about the vaccine for your child, speak to a health care provider.
- ○ Before the clinic, fully complete the consent form, sign it and return it.

STEP 1. STUDENT INFORMATION

- Include your cell phone number in case the nurse needs to contact you
- Include the full name of your child's school and their teacher's name

Example of a completed form

Last Name	First Name	Ontario Health Card #	Sex
Doe	**Jane**	**1234-567-890**	**Female**

Birthday	Month	Day	School	Class or Teacher's Name
2010	**01**	**01**	**Toronto Middle School**	**7A, Mrs. X**

Parent / Legal Guardian Name (please print)	Parent / Legal Guardian Phone
John Doe	**416-123-4567**

STEP 2: STUDENT VACCINATION HISTORY

- If you're unsure if your child has received these vaccines before (for example, if you purchased the vaccine for travel or if they were vaccinated in another country), you can look at your child's yellow vaccine card. If you are unable to find it, you can contact your health care provider for their vaccination records or see if they're on Immunization Connect Ontario (ICON) at toronto.ca/StudentVaccines.

- If you're unsure which vaccine(s) your child needs, please still sign and return the child's consent form. Toronto Public Health nurses will assess if your child is up to date with their vaccinations or if additional doses are needed.
- Note: Under Ontario's Immunization of School Pupils Act (ISPA), the meningococcal ACYW vaccine or a valid exemption is required for students 12 years of age and older for school attendance, even if your child already received a meningococcal-C (MenC) vaccine. MenC and MenACYW are different vaccines. MenC vaccine is routinely given at one year of age, and MenACYW is routinely given to students in grades 7 and 8 at school clinics.

STEP 3: HEALTH HISTORY

- Check off "Yes" or "No" for each item about your child's health. Explain any "Yes" responses.

STEP 4: CONSENT FOR VACCINATION - MUST BE COMPLETED

- Please check ◯ **YES** or ◯ **NO** for each vaccine.
- Sign and date the form.

I have read the attached vaccine information. I understand the expected benefits and possible risks and side effects of the vaccines. I understand the possible risks of not being vaccinated. I have had the opportunity to have my questions answered by Toronto Public Health. **This consent is valid for two (2) years.** I understand that I can withdraw my consent at any time. I understand that three needles may be administered in one day.

YES I authorize Toronto Public Health to administer the following vaccines:
Check ☑ all the vaccines you give permission for the student to receive.

Note: Toronto Public Health will review the student's vaccination history (see Step 2) and vaccinate only if the student requires it.

- ◯ Meningococcal ACYW vaccine (1 dose)
- ◯ Human papillomavirus vaccine (2 or 3 doses)
- ◯ Hepatitis B vaccine (2 or 3 doses)

NO I do not authorize Toronto Public Health to administer the following vaccines to the student:
Check ☑ for each vaccine you do not want the student to receive:

- ◯ Meningococcal ACYW vaccine
- ◯ Human papillomavirus vaccine
- ◯ Hepatitis B vaccine

X _____ ◯ Parent ◯ Legal Guardian _____

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian/Student Over 14 years old | **Relationship to Student** | **Date**

Personal health information on this form is collected under the authority of the Health Protection and Promotion Act. It is used to administer the TPH Vaccine Preventable Diseases (VPD) Program, including maintaining immunization records for students. For more information, visit https://www.toronto.ca/community-people/health-wellness-care/information-practices-statement/ or contact 416-338-7600.

For more information, please visit toronto.ca/SchoolVaccines.