

2020 - 2021

**HARDIN COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT #1**  
**State of Illinois School Health Requirements**

General Health Requirements	Pre-K	K	1	2	3	4	5
<p>Child Health Exam &amp; Immunizations</p> <p>Due on or before <b>October 15th</b>. Exam must be dated within one year of the first day of school.</p> <p><b>** Failure to comply by this date will result in exclusion from school.</b></p>	All Students At First Entry	All Students 2 Varicella Shots & 4 POLIO	Catch Up Grade Varicella #2 Shot & 4 POLIO	Catch Up Grade Varicella #2 Shot & 4 POLIO	Catch up Grade Varicella #2 Shot & 3 POLIO	Catch Up Grade Varicella #2	Catch Up Grade Varicella #2
<p>Dental Exam</p> <p>Due on or before <b>May 15th</b> and dated within 18 months of the deadline.</p>		All Students		All Students			
<p>Vision Exam</p> <p>Due on or before <b>October 15th</b> and dated within one year of the first day of school.</p>		All Students					
<p>Sports Physicals</p> <p>Due <u>prior</u> to first practice, tryout, game. Sports Physicals are good for 395 day from the date of the exam and may not expire during a sports season.</p>							All Sports Participants

General Health Requirements	6	7	8	9	10	11 & 12
<p>Child Health Exam &amp; Immunizations</p> <p>Due on or before <b>October 15th</b>. Exam must be dated within one year of the first day of school.</p> <p><b>**Failure to comply by this date will result in exclusion from school.</b></p>	All Students Tdap, Varicella #2 Shot, MCV4 #1 Shot & 3 POLIO	Catch Up Grade Tdap, Varicella #2 Shot, MCV4 #1 Shot & 3 POLIO	Catch Up Grade Tdap, Varicella #2 Shot, MCV4 #1 Shot & 3 POLIO	All Students Tdap, Varicella #2, MCV4 #1 Shot & 3 POLIO	Catch Up Grade Tdap, Varicella #2 Shot, MCV4 #1 & 3 POLIO	Catch Up Grades Tdap, Varicella #2 Shot & 3 POLIO  **12th ONLY MCV4 #1 & #2 Shot, & 3 POLIO
<p>Dental Exam</p> <p>Due on or before <b>May 15th</b> and dated within 18 months of the deadline.</p>	All Students					
<p>Sports Physicals</p> <p>Due <u>prior</u> to first practice, tryout, game. Sports Physicals are good for 395 days from the date of the exam and may not expire during a sports season.</p>	Child Health Exam Fulfills Requirement	All Sports Participants	All Sports Participants	Child Health Exam fulfills Requirement	All Sports Participants	All Sports Participants

\*\*MCV4 (meningococcal) one dose is required if received on or after 16th birthday. A second dose is required if the first dose was received before 16th birthday.

**Requirements from Illinois Department of Health regarding Religious Exemptions**

Parents who are requesting a religious exemption to immunizations or examinations **MUST** submit the ILLINOIS CERTIFICATE OF RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION TO REQUIRED IMMUNIZATIONS AND/OR EXAMINATIONS FORM. The form must be signed by the child's parents **AND** the child's health care provider responsible for performing the child's health examination. A separate form must be used for each child. This form may **NOT** be used for personal or philosophical reasons. Illinois law does not allow for such exemptions.

**New Students**

All new students entering K-12 are required to provide a Illinois Child Health Exam, Illinois Dental Exam, and Illinois Vision Exam. All exam forms must be completed and signed by the child's health care provider responsible for performing each separate exam. All forms are required within thirty days of the first day of attendance at Hardin County School District # 1.

**Minimum Immunization Requirements Entering a Child Care Facility or School in Illinois, Fall 2018**

Vaccine Requirement	Child Care Facility, Preschool, Early Childhood, Pre-Kindergarten Programs	Kindergarten through 12 <sup>th</sup> Grade		Minimum Intervals Allowed Between Doses and Other Options for Proof of Immunity
		First Entry into School (Kindergarten or 1 <sup>st</sup> Grade)	Other Grades	
Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus (DTP/DTaP/ or Tdap, Td)	Three doses of DTP or DTaP by 1 year of age. One additional booster dose by 2nd birthday.	Four or more doses of DTP/DTaP with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4th birthday.	Three or more doses of DTP/DTaP or Td; with the last dose qualifying as a booster if received on or after the 4th birthday.  For students entering 6th thru 12th grades: in addition, one dose of Tdap.	Minimum interval between series doses: 4 weeks (28 days). Between series and booster: 6 months. No proof of immunity allowed.
Polio	Two doses by 1 year of age. One additional dose by 2nd birthday.	Four doses of the same type of polio vaccine with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4th birthday. <i>(progressive requirement)</i>	Three or more doses of polio with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4th birthday.  If the series is given in any combination of polio vaccine types, four or more doses are required with the last being a booster on or after the 4th birthday.	Minimum interval between series doses: 4 weeks (28 days). Booster doses: One after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday For kindergarten entry: Booster dose 6 months from previous dose and 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday. No proof of immunity allowed.
Measles	One dose on or after the 1st birthday.	Two doses of measles vaccine, the first dose must have been received on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Two doses must have been received on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Laboratory evidence of measles immunity or certified physician verification of measles disease by date of illness. Cases diagnosed after 7/1/2002 must include lab evidence of infection.
Rubella	One dose on or after the 1st birthday.	Two doses of rubella vaccine, the first dose must have been received on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Two doses must have been received on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Laboratory evidence of rubella immunity. History of disease is not acceptable proof of immunity to rubella.
Mumps	One dose on or after the 1st birthday	Two doses of mumps vaccine, the 1st dose must have been received on or after the first birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Two doses must have been received on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Laboratory evidence of mumps immunity or certified physician verification of mumps disease by date of illness.
Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)	Refer to ACIP Hib series schedule for children 24-59 months. Children without series must have one dose after 15 months. of age.	Not required after the 5th birthday (60 months of age).		Refer to ACIP Hib series schedule. No proof of immunity allowed.

Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (PCV 13)	Refer to ACIP PCV series schedule for children 24-59 months. Children without series must have one dose after 24 months of age.	Not required after 5 <sup>th</sup> birthday (60 months of age).	For students entering grades 6 thru 12: Three doses of hepatitis B vaccine administered at recommended intervals OR Two doses Adult Recombivax-HB vaccine for ages 11-15.	Refer to ACIP PCV series schedule. No proof of immunity allowed.
Hepatitis B	Three doses for all children. Third dose must have been administered on or after 6 months of age (168 days).	No Requirements.	One dose of varicella on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday for students entering grade 5. Two doses of varicella for students entering grades 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12.	Minimum intervals between doses: First and second-at least 4 weeks (28 days), second and third-at least 2 months (56 days), first and third-at least 4 months (112 days) OR Adult Recombivax-HB two doses separated by 4 months (112 days). Must start and finish series between 11 – 15 years of age.
Varicella <i>(progressive requirement)</i>	One dose on or after 1st birthday.	Two doses of varicella. The first dose must have been on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday and the 2nd dose no less than 4 weeks (28) days later.	One dose of varicella on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday for students entering grade 5. Two doses of varicella for students entering grades 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 & 12.	Minimum intervals for administration: The first dose must have been received on or after the 1st birthday and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later. Statement from physician or healthcare provider verifying disease history OR laboratory evidence of varicella immunity.
Meningococcal Conjugate Vaccine <i>(progressive requirement)</i>	No Requirements.	No Requirements.	Applies to students entering 6 <sup>th</sup> , 7 <sup>th</sup> , 8 <sup>th</sup> AND 9 <sup>th</sup> grades: one dose of meningococcal conjugate vaccine. 12 <sup>th</sup> grade entry: two doses of meningococcal conjugate vaccine.	Minimum intervals for administration: For 6 <sup>th</sup> grade entry: the first dose received on or after the 11th birthday. For 12 <sup>th</sup> grade entry: second dose on or after the 16th birthday and an interval of at least eight weeks after the first dose. Only one dose is required if the first dose was received at 16 years of age or older. No proof of immunity allowed.

Notes:

Students attending ungraded school programs must comply in accordance with grade equivalent.

Within the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommendations, vaccine doses given up to four days before minimum interval or age can be counted as valid. However, this does not apply to intervals between live vaccines. Live vaccines shall not be given fewer than 28 days after receipt of a prior live vaccine.

Sources:

Title 77, Part 665 Child and Student Health Examination and Immunization Code  
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