PUPIL IMMUNIZATIONS

To protect the health of all students and staff and to curtail the spread of infectious diseases, the Office of Education shall cooperate with state and local public health agencies to encourage and facilitate immunization of all students against preventable diseases.

Each student enrolling for the first time in an Office of Education school shall present an immunization record from any authorized private or public health care provider certifying that he/she has received all required immunizations in accordance with law. Students shall be excluded from school or exempted from immunization requirements only as allowed by law.

Each transfer student shall be requested to present his/her immunization record upon registration at an Office of Education school.

However, when necessary, a transfer student may be conditionally admitted for up to 30 school days while his/her immunization records are being transferred from the previous school. If these records do not arrive within 30 school days, the student shall present written documentation by an authorized health care provider showing that the required immunizations were received. If such documentation is not presented, the student shall be excluded from school until the required immunizations have been administered.

The Principal or designee may arrange for an authorized health care provider to administer immunizations at school to any student whose parent/guardian has consented in writing. At the beginning of the school year, parents/guardians shall be notified of their right to provide consent for the administration of an immunization to their child at school.

Legal Reference

EDUCATION CODE

44871 Qualifications of supervisor of health

46010 Total days of attendance

48216 Immunization requirements and procedures

48853.5 Immediate enrollment of foster youth

48980 Notice at beginning of term

49403 Cooperation in control of communicable disease and immunization of pupils

49426 Duties of school nurses

49701 Flexibility in enrollment of children of military families

HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE

120325-120380 Immunizations

120335 Immunization requirement for admission

120395 Information about meningococcal disease, including recommendation for vaccination

120440 Disclosure of immunization information

Board Policy 5141.31(b)

Students

CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 5
430 Student records
CALIFORNIA CODE OF REGULATIONS, TITLE 17
6000-6075 Immunizations
UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 20
1232g Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act
UNITED STATES CODE, TITLE 42
11432 Immediate enrollment of homeless children
CODE OF FEDERAL REGULATIONS, TITLE 34
99.1-99.67 Family Educational Rights and Privacy

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