

## Minimum Immunization Requirements for Those Entering a Child Care Facility or School in Illinois, Fall-2013

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 First Grade)	Other Grades	
<b>DTP/DTaP/ or Tdap, Td Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis</b>	Three doses by 1 year of age  One additional dose by 2 <sup>nd</sup> birthday	Four or more doses of DTP/DTaP with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday	Three or more doses of DTP/DTaP or Td with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday  Beginning school year 2013-2014*: Students entering 6 <sup>th</sup> through 12 <sup>th</sup> grades: 1 dose of Tdap	Minimum Interval:  between series doses: 4 weeks (28 days)  between series and booster: 6 months
<b>Polio</b>	Two doses by 1 year of age.  One additional dose by 2 <sup>nd</sup> birthday	Three or more doses of the same type of Polio vaccine with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday. *If the series is given in any combination of polio vaccine types, 4 or more doses are required with the last being a booster on or after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday.	Three or more doses of Polio with the last dose qualifying as a booster and received on or after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday. *If the series is given in any combination of polio vaccine types, 4 or more doses are required with the last being a booster on or after the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday.	Minimum interval between series doses: 4 weeks (28 days)
<b>Measles</b>	One dose on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday but prior to 24 months of age	2 doses of Measles Vaccine, the 1 <sup>st</sup> dose must have been received on after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday, and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	2 doses of Measles Vaccine, the 1 <sup>st</sup> dose must have been received on after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday, and the second dose no less than 4 weeks (28 days) later.	Minimum Interval 4 weeks (28 days) <i>Laboratory evidence of measles immunity OR Certified physician verification* of measles disease by date of illness</i> <b>*Cases diagnosed after 7/1/02 must include lab evidence</b>
<b>Rubella</b>	One dose on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday but prior to 24 months of age	Vaccine administered on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	Vaccine administered on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	<i>Laboratory evidence of rubella immunity</i>
<b>History of disease is not acceptable proof of immunity to rubella</b>				
<b>Mumps</b>	One dose on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday but prior to 24 months of age	Vaccine administered on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	Vaccine administered on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	<i>Laboratory evidence of mumps immunity OR Certified physician verification of mumps disease by date of illness</i>
<b>Haemophilus influenzae type b</b>	See Hib vaccination schedule	Not required after the 5 <sup>th</sup> birthday (60 months of age)		Refer to Hib vaccination schedule
<b>Hepatitis B</b>	Three doses for all children 2 years of age or older.  Third dose must have been administered on or after 6 months of age (168 days).	No Requirements	Students entering 5 <sup>th</sup> grade beginning school year 1997-98:  Three doses administered at proper interval  (Following this 5 <sup>th</sup> grade cohort, the requirement will progress through the grades)	Minimum intervals between doses: 1 & 2- at least 4 weeks (28 days) 2 & 3 - at least 2 months (56 days)  AND STARTING SCHOOL 2002-03: Childcare & 5 <sup>th</sup> grade enterers: must have at least 4 months between dose 1 and 3  <i>Laboratory evidence of prior or current infection</i>
<b>Varicella</b>	Children entering beginning in the Fall 2002: 1 dose on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday	Children entering Kindergarten beginning 2002-03 school year 1 dose on or after the 1 <sup>st</sup> birthday (Following this Kindergarten cohort, the requirement will progress through the grades)		<i>Statement from physician or health care provider verifying disease history OR Laboratory evidence of varicella immunity</i>
<b>Pneumococcal (Prevnar)</b>	Age-appropriate vaccination of all infants > 2 months of age beginning 1.1.08	Not required		

Source: Child Health Examination Code/Part 665, Immunization Code/Part 695, Public Act 095-0159

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