

MEMO: To all School Principals and Administrative Staff.

The Haldimand-Norfolk Health Unit (HNHU) is requesting the help of all schools in an effort to keep all children healthy.

As you know, the *Immunization of School Pupils Act* requires that students be immunized against nine diseases:

- Measles
- Mumps
- Rubella
- Diphtheria
- Tetanus
- Polio
- Meningococcal disease
- Whooping cough (pertussis)
- Chickenpox (only applies to children born on or after 2010)

It is the responsibility of a child's parent to report the updated immunization records to the HNHU. It is vital for the HNHU to have this updated information because it is public health's responsibility to identify, report and manage an outbreak.

Parents can submit records to the HNHU by calling in, by faxing it in, by dropping it off to an HNHU office or by filling out the online form via hnhu.org.

For more information about immunization and record reporting, please phone the HNHU at 905-318-6623 or 519-426-6170 ext. 3227 or visit hnhu.org.

The HNHU would like to thank you for your continued cooperation towards our common goal of keeping all community children safe, healthy and ready to learn.

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