



ALLEN COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH

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Allen County Combined Health District

Dear Parent of 12th Grade Student,

Students in Ohio are required to receive the meningococcal (MCV4) vaccine for entry into grades 7, and 12. Your child may have received one dose of this vaccine; however, there is a two-dose requirement if the first dose was given before age 16. Students without proof of vaccination will be subject to exclusion from school.

Allen County Public Health nurses will be at Apollo School on **August 30, 2023** from **10:30 am until 1 pm** to administer Meningococcal (MCV4) vaccine to meet your teen's school requirement for the year. We will also have Meningitis B and HPV vaccines available if you choose to have your teen vaccinated against Meningitis B and HPV. Meningococcal disease can cause meningitis, which is an infection of the brain and spinal cord, and it can also cause blood infections. HPV vaccine can prevent infections that can cause cancer.

Please mark below which vaccines you would like for your teen to receive. All students who are not yet 18 years-of-age will be required to have a parental/guardian signature. **Also, please fill out and sign the yellow consent and insurance forms which are attached.**

Parent/Guardian will NOT need to be present if all paperwork is completed.

Please have your teen return the completed forms to the school nurse on the first day of school. Apollo will accept forms turned in after August 24.

I choose to have my teen receive the following vaccines at Apollo School Immunization Clinic. (Please check which vaccines you want your teen to receive).

Meningococcal (MCV4) vaccine _____	(School requirement)
HPV Vaccine _____	(Not required, but highly recommended)
Meningococcal B vaccine _____	(Not required, but recommended for anyone at increased risk of Meningococcal B.)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

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