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2021 SAINT JAMES SCHOOL / MANCHESTER BOARD OF EDUCATION HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR KINDERGARTEN ENTRY

Please refer to the information below concerning the Connecticut State Immunization Laws and complete the requirements for the Connecticut Health Assessment Record. For your convenience, a copy of this form can be found on the Saint James School website (under Forms/Docs). In order for your child to begin school with us, your child's doctor/health care provider must complete the State Health Assessment Form with the following:

PHYSICAL ASSESSMENT:

The physical assessment must be completed within one year prior to entry into preschool. According to CT Statute, health care providers are required to complete all the (*) areas on the health assessment record (blue form) including an evaluation for TB (tuberculosis). The parent/guardian must complete Part 1 of the State Health Assessment Form.

IMMUNIZATIONS:

At the time of school entrance, the following immunizations are required:

Hepatitis B: 3 doses, last dose on or after 24 weeks of age.

Diphtheria, Pertussis and Tetanus (DPT or DTaP): At least 4 doses. The last dose must be given on or after 4th birthday.

Polio: At least 3 doses. The last dose must be given on or after 4 th birthday.

Measles, Mumps and Rubella (MMR): 2 doses separated by at least 28 days, 1st dose on or after the 1st birthday.

Varicella (Chickenpox): 2 doses separated by at least 3 months, 1st dose on or after the 1st birthday. 28 days between doses is acceptable if the doses have already been administered.

Hepatitis A: 2 doses given six calendar months apart, 1st dose on or after 1st birthday.

Hib: 1 dose on or after the 1st birthday for children less than 5 years old.

Pneumococcal: 1 dose on or after the 1st birthday for children less than 5 years old.

**If the above requirements have not been met, your child may be denied entrance into school.

Please reach out to the Saint James School Nurse at (860) 643-5088 (x3) with any questions.

Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.