

Important Information for 9th Grade Physicals

All MCHS families will be asked to complete the registration forms and make payments online at www.mchs.net. The registration process is open upon receipt of this packet. Bus information, class schedules and other information will be available after July 15, 2020; if/when the registration process has been completed. Please note that residency in District 111 must be proven and freshman must have a recent physical on file at MCHS. Appointment cards will NOT be accepted for receipt of schedule.

The school code Sec 27-8 requires all incoming high school students to have a health/physical examination with the required immunizations, completed *prior to the first day of school*.

Incoming freshman must use the State of Illinois Certificate of Child Health Examination form. This serves as their sports physical for the first year. *The Illinois High School Athletic (IHSA) sports physical form CANNOT be accepted as the freshman physical.*

Immunizations must include:

- **Diphtheria/Pertussis/Tetanus (DTP/DTAP)** - Three (3) or more doses, including a booster after the 4th birthday
- **Tdap (Boostix/Adacel)** - One (1) dose of Tdap
- **Polio (OPV/IPV)** - Three (3) or more doses including a booster after the 4th birthday
- **Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR)** - Two (2) doses on or after the 1st birthday.
- **Hepatitis B** - All students must provide proof of completed 3-dose series
- **Varicella** - Two (2) doses on or after the 1st birthday *or* statement from physician verifying disease
- **Meningococcal Conjugate (MCV4)** - One (1) dose received on or after the 11th birthday

Dates of **ALL** immunizations must be verified by a physician or health care provider. The Student Information (top of page 1) and Health History sections (top of page 2) of the **State of Illinois Certificate of Child Health Examination** form must be fully completed and signed by the parent/legal guardian.

Dental Requirements

In accordance with Public Act 100-0829, all incoming freshmen are **required** to have a dental exam performed by a dentist by May 15 of the end of their 9th grade school year. Health exam and dental forms may be obtained online at the MCHS website under **Departments** in the drop down, **Nurse's Office**.

School Health Forms can be found on MCHS website under **Nurse's Office**. We encourage you to call your healthcare provider now for an appointment, as they usually book up quickly! Any questions should be emailed to Heidi Lia, RN @ hlia@mchs.net. She will only respond to email, please no phone inquiries.

