



Quick Guide to Wyoming School Immunization Requirements School Year 2017-2018



Any person attending, full or part time, any public or private school, kindergarten through twelfth grade, shall within thirty (30) days after the date of school entry, provide to the appropriate school official written documentary proof of immunization, an approved waiver, or proof of immunity.

Vaccines must be administered in accordance with the [Advisory Committee for Immunization Practices Recommended Immunization Schedule](#) in regard to the number of doses and time of administration in order to be valid.

Vaccine	Total Doses	Footnote
Diphtheria, tetanus & pertussis (DTaP)	4-5 Doses*	First dose at 2 months, second dose at 4 months, third dose at 6 months, fourth dose between 15-18 months, 5th dose at 4-6 years. *If a fourth (4th) dose of DTaP vaccine was administered on or after a child's fourth (4th) birthday, and at least six (6) months has passed since the third (3rd) dose, a fifth (5th) dose is not required.
Hepatitis B (HepB)	3 Doses	First dose at birth, second dose between 1-2 months, third dose between 6-18 months.
Haemophilus influenzae type b (Hib)	1-4 doses**	**The number of primary doses of Hib vaccine is determined by vaccine product and the age the series begins. If a child has not received the completed series of Hib vaccine and is younger than 60 months (5 years) of age, the child should receive one (1) dose of the Hib vaccine. Hib vaccine is not required for children age 5 years and older.
Inactivated poliovirus (IPV)	3-4 Doses ***	First dose at 2 months, second dose at 4 months, third dose at 6-18 months, and fourth dose at 4-6 years. ***Children who receive three (3) doses of IPV before the fourth (4th) birthday should receive a fourth (4th) dose before or at school entry. The fourth (4th) dose is not needed if the third (3rd) dose is given on or after the fourth (4th) birthday. If all four (4) doses are given after six (6) weeks of age and are all separated by at least four (4) weeks, a fifth (5th) dose is not needed, even if the fourth (4th) dose was administered before four (4) years of age.
Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR)	2 Doses	First dose between 12-15 months Second dose at 4-6 years
Varicella (VAR) "Chickenpox"	2 doses or history of disease ****	First dose at 12-15 months, second dose at 4-6 years. ****If a child has had chickenpox the parent, guardian, school nurse, or physician must provide a written statement for the student's permanent school record. A student who has been diagnosed with a history of the herpes zoster virus is considered as having evidence of immunity to Varicella.
Tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (Tdap)	1 Dose	Children eleven (11) years of age and older should receive the Tdap vaccine. Children with a medical contraindication to the pertussis (whooping cough) antigen should receive Td instead of the Tdap vaccine. Tdap vaccine may be administered to a child regardless of the interval since the last tetanus- or diphtheria-toxoid containing vaccine.