Immunization Status

Each child can only have <u>ONE</u> immunization status entered even though a child could be complete for some vaccines, conditional for others and exempt for still others. Consider these examples:

- A child is up-to-date and compliant if fully immunized at the appropriate ages and intervals.
- A child exempt for any doses or vaccine means the child's status is exempt.
- A child conditional for any vaccine or dose in a series and with no exemptions means the child's status is conditional.
- A child neither exempt nor conditional for any vaccine or dose in a series but not compliant for a vaccine or dose in a series means the child's status is NOT up-to-date.
- A child with no immunization record is NOT up-to-date.

Up-To-Date

A child has an immunization status of <u>"Up-To-Date"</u> if he or she:

- Is fully immunized with all vaccine doses required for their age; or
- Has evidence of immunity by a certified lab report that confirms serologic immunity.
- *For varicella only* has a written statement from a parent, legal guardian or physician attesting to a child's positive history of varicella disease.

Not Up-To-Date

A child has an status of **<u>NOT</u>** up-to-date if he or she:

- Does not have a vaccine record; or
- Has not received the vaccine; or
- Does not have a waiver form or parent/guardian letter on file.

Exempt

A child has an status of "exempt" if he or she:

• Has a religious or medical exemption for any or all required vaccines, approved by the State or a County Health Officer.

Conditional

A child has a status of "Conditional Enrollment" if they are attending school while receiving missed or invalid doses of vaccines. This must be documented by using the conditional enrollment form provided by the Department and signed by both the parent/guardian and physician or their designee.