



# Watertown Middle School

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Dear parent/guardian,

This is a reminder that Massachusetts State law requires all 7<sup>th</sup> grade students to have up-to-date immunizations & physicals for the 7<sup>th</sup> grade. These regulations are designed to prevent the illness and disruptions caused by diseases.

### **Requirements:**

- Most recent copy of student's physical exam and immunizations.
- 1 dose of **Tdap** (Tetanus/diphtheria) vaccine is required
- 1 dose of **Meningococcal conjugate** vaccine is recommended

Please do not assume that your Doctor will forward this information to the schools. It is your responsibility to see that the immunizations are given and to provide a copy of the physical examination and the vaccination documentation to the schools. We sincerely appreciate your cooperation and assistance with this State mandate.

Updated physicals & immunizations can be handed into the School Nurse, faxed to (617) 924-4125, or sent via email to [Michelle.Laracy@watertown.k12.ma.us](mailto:Michelle.Laracy@watertown.k12.ma.us) **as soon as possible.**

We understand that your child's 7<sup>th</sup> grade physical may be scheduled for the near future. Please send a copy in as soon as possible once the exam is completed. If you have already sent in your 7<sup>th</sup> graders physical for the 2019-2020 school year, please disregard this notice.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, contact the nurse at (617) 926-7787 during school hours.

Thank you,

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