2023-2024 Health Requirement Letter

CITY OF NEW HAVEN Health Department

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Dear Parent/Guardian:

Your child's health is important to us! To make sure students are healthy and ready to learn, all children going into pre-kindergarten, kindergarten, 7th, or 10th grade, and all students new to the New Haven school system, must have a <u>current physical exam</u> and <u>proof of vaccines</u> on file with their school. These records must be dated on or after **September 1, 2022**.

If your child needs a physical exam, please call your child's doctor **BEFORE JUNE 30, 2023**, to make an appointment. If your child does not have a doctor, you can make an appointment with one of the providers below or at a school health center. A list of schools with school-health centers and the permission slip can be found by visiting: www.nhps.net/healthandwellness.

Cornell-Scott Hill
Health Center
428 Chapel Street
New Haven
(203) 503-3000

Fair Haven Community

Health Care

374 Grand Avenue

New Haven

(203) 777-7411

New Haven Health

Department

54 Meadow Street

New Haven

(203) 946-8181

Physical exam forms and immunization records must be turned in by <u>August 15, 2023</u>. Children without a physical exam or proof of vaccination cannot start school. To learn more about school health requirements scan the QR Code to the right.



To upload your child's health records, use the following link https://veoci.com/v/p/form/y2u7pv8eg8ju

APPOINTMENT CARDS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

If you have any questions, please call the New Haven Health Department Nursing Section at (203) 946-7301.

Sincerely,

Maritza Bond, MPH Director of Health

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Required Health Documents Checklist

The health documents shown below $\underline{\text{must be submitted}}$ before your child starts the 2023-2024 school year.

Students New to New Haven public school system and students entering Pre-Kindergarten,
Kindergarten, 7 ^{th,} or 10 th grade:
☐ Physical Exam (dated on or after September 1, 2022)
☐ Up-to-date vaccine record
Students with acute or chronic health conditions:
☐ Medication Authorization signed by your child's doctor with child's medication (i.e., epi pen, inhaler, insulin, etc.)
Any medication authorized by your child's doctor to be given during the school day (i.e epi-pen, inhaler, insulin, etc.). All medication must be in its original box with pharmal label attached. Medications must be given directly to the school nurse by a parent/guardian.
Asthma Action Plan signed by your child's doctor (for children with asthma)