

## IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM THE <u>NJDOH</u> REGARDING STUDENT IMMUNIZATIONS FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR:

The New Jersey Department of Health (NJDOH) has received inquiries regarding the status of the immunization of pupils in school regulations (N.J.A.C. 8:57-4). The value of immunizations is even more evident during this pandemic: therefore, NJDOH will not waive the vaccine requirements nor will there be any extensions for the upcoming school year. Students will be expected to comply with all vaccine requirements prior to attending virtually or in-person at a New Jersey childcare/preschool and school. New Jersey still allows for medical and religious exemptions when applicable. Contact your health care provider for additional information.

Please visit the New Jersey Immunization Requirements Frequently Asked Questions document available on the website <u>https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/imm\_requirements/</u> and directly at <u>https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/documents/imm\_requirements/vaccine\_ga.pdf</u>