

Date: April 22, 2022  
TO: Parents/Guardians of Rising 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Students  
FROM: Gloucester County Public Schools and Three Rivers Health District  
SUBJECT: **Pertussis, Meningococcal and HPV Vaccination for 7<sup>th</sup> Graders**

Virginia Code § 22.1-271.2. requires all students who are entering 7<sup>th</sup> grade to receive a dose of the meningococcal vaccine, a booster dose of a pertussis-containing vaccine, and the Human Papilloma Virus Vaccine (HPV). However, after reviewing educational materials approved by the Board of Health, the parent or guardian, at the parent's or guardian's sole discretion, may elect for the child not to receive the HPV vaccine. If your child has already received his/her vaccinations, please send a copy of his/her vaccination record to school.

The Three Rivers Health District will provide Tdap, HPV, and Meningococcal ACWY vaccines during the upcoming vaccine clinics to be held on **Thursday, May 12, 2022.**

**Page Middle School 9:00 am - 10:00 am**  
**Peasley Middle School 10:30 am - 11:30 am**

If your child has private insurance/FAMIS/Medicaid, please enter the coverage information on the consent form as requested along with a copy of the front and back of your insurance card. Please return a completed vaccination consent form to school by Friday, May 6, 2022 to ensure adequate vaccine supply is ordered.

Attached are four forms for your review:

1. 2022 Student Vaccination Consent Form.  
<https://gets.gc.k12.va.us/theme/files/Safety%20and%20Health/2022-Adolescent-Vaccine-Consent-Form.docx>
2. Tdap Vaccine Information Statement (Must be 11 years old)  
English- <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/vis-statements/tdap.pdf>  
Spanish- [https://www.immunize.org/vis/spanish\\_tdap.pdf](https://www.immunize.org/vis/spanish_tdap.pdf)
3. HPV Vaccine Information Statement  
English- <https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/hcp/vis/vis-statements/hpv.pdf>  
Spanish- [https://www.immunize.org/vis/spanish\\_hpv.pdf](https://www.immunize.org/vis/spanish_hpv.pdf)

HPV Letter from Acting State Health Commissioner

English- [https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/content/uploads/sites/11/2021/03/HPV\\_Letter\\_Spring.pdf](https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/content/uploads/sites/11/2021/03/HPV_Letter_Spring.pdf)  
Spanish- <https://www.vdh.virginia.gov/content/uploads/sites/11/2022/04/Spanish-HPV-Letter.pdf>

4. Meningococcal Vaccine Information Statement  
English- [https://www.immunize.org/vis/meningococcal\\_acwy.pdf](https://www.immunize.org/vis/meningococcal_acwy.pdf)  
Spanish- [https://www.immunize.org/vis/spanish\\_meningococcal.pdf](https://www.immunize.org/vis/spanish_meningococcal.pdf)

Ensure your child is wearing clothing that allows his/her arm to be easily accessible.

If you have any questions, please contact your school nurse.

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Peasley- Ms. Sabourin, RN (804) 693-2044