

ADMINISTRATION OF STUDENT VACCINES

In order to safeguard the school community from the spread of certain communicable diseases, and in recognition that prevention is a means of containing the spread of disease, and in order to assist families to meet *Washington State Department of Health Immunizations Requirements for School Attendance*, the Board allows for the administration of childhood vaccines in the school setting.

The Clarkston School District Board of Directors and Health Services Department shall collaborate with community partners for the purpose of assuring immunization compliance in the schools. Collaborative agreements shall be reviewed annually to assure compliance with immunization requirements, update procedures as needed, and allow for necessary changes to business partnerships.

The Clarkston School District/Health Services Department shall maintain current procedural guidelines as a condition of receiving vaccines from the *Washington State Department of Health Vaccine for Children Program*. The district allows for local public health officials to conduct site-visits as a condition of receiving vaccine.

The Clarkston School District/Health Services Department shall adhere to all aspects of the *Vaccine for Children Program* as outlined by the Washington State Department of Health. These aspects include, but are not limited to, the following: storage of vaccine, accountability of vaccine, administration of vaccine, documentation of vaccine administration, safeguarding of health records, and adherence to privacy requirements and financial regulations.

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