

You asked us **HOW TO AVOID SCHOOL SUSPENSION**

Update Public Health after each vaccination.

Parents need to provide their child's immunization records to Public Health.

The annual enforcement of the Immunization of School Pupils Act (ISPA) helps to keep our students and schools healthy. Immunization protects children from many diseases that are easily spread in schools. See checklist on back for mandatory vaccines.

Public Health will mail letters to those students with incomplete records. **If you receive a letter**, please arrange a visit with your health care provider to assess and update your child's immunizations, and contact Public Health to update your child's record or to place a legal exemption on file.

How to provide your records:

Online: <https://e-immunization.regionofwaterloo.ca>

Fax: 519-885-7260 Phone: 519-575-4400 ext. 13009



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PUBLIC HEALTH AND
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Keep Our Students and Schools Healthy!

Back to School Checklist:

- ✓ Check your child's Immunization Card to make sure they are fully immunized against these diseases:

Mandatory as of July 2014

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| • Tetanus | • Measles | • Meningitis |
| • Diphtheria | • Mumps | • Pertussis |
| • Polio | • Rubella | • Varicella* |

*Only for children born in 2010 and later.

- ✓ Book an appointment with your healthcare provider if needed or contact Public Health to update your child's record.
- ✓ Report each new immunization to Public Health; your Doctor's office does not report these records for you.

- Reminder:**
- ✓ Students aged 4-6 require a booster dose for tetanus, diphtheria, pertussis and polio.
 - ✓ Students aged 14-16 require a booster dose for tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis.

Protect your child. Protect our community. **IMMUNIZE.**