

Grade 5 School Immunization

Hepatitis B, Human Papillomavirus (HPV) & Chickenpox (Varicella) Vaccine

Hepatitis B Vaccine

- All students in grade 5 are offered hepatitis B immunization.
- The immunization consists of 3 needles given over a six-month period.

Human Papillomavirus Vaccine

- All students in grade 5 are offered human papillomavirus immunization.
- The immunization consists of 3 needles given over a six-month period, and will be offered at the same time as the hepatitis B immunization.

Varicella (Chickenpox) Vaccine

- All students who have not had chickenpox disease or vaccine are offered varicella vaccine.
- Varicella vaccine consists of one or two needles depending on your child's date of birth, and will be given on the same day as the above immunizations.

Information and Consent:

- Your child will be given an immunization package containing a consent form and information on each of the diseases and vaccines, as appropriate, for the parent/guardian to read. The consent form must be signed and returned as per the instructions on the consent form within one week.
- Your child will only be immunized with your consent.

If you have any questions, please call:

• Health Link Alberta at 780-408-LINK (5465) or 1-866-408-LINK (5465).

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