



MONTESSORI INC. Child Care Immunization Record

(Must be on file **before** child attends child care)

(Fax back to American Montessori at 952-736-8430)

Child's Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Date of Enrollment _____

Immunization History						Signature's	
Fill in the Month/Day/Year information for children 2 months of age or older. Vaccines in the shaded boxes are NOT required by law. If a child received a combined shot (like DTP-Hib) write the date in all the boxes that apply.						A. For children who are 15 months or older and who have received all the immunizations required by law for child care (4DTP, 3 Polio, 1 MMR, and at least 1 Hib): I certify that the above named child is at least 15 months of age and has completed the immunizations which are required by law for child care.	
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTP)	Vaccine		Mo.	Day	Yr	Signature of Parent/Guardian or Physician/Public Clinic _____ Date _____	
• 3 doses during 1 st year (at 2 month intervals)		1					
• 4 th dose at 12 – 18 months		2					
• 5 th dose at 4 – 6 years or at school entrance		3					
		4					
		5				B. For children who are younger than 15 months and/or who have not received all the immunizations required by law for child care (4DTP, 3 Polio, 1 MMR, and at least 1 Hib): I certify that the above named child has received all the immunizations indicated to the left and: _____ will complete the immunizations required by law for childcare within 18 months; and/or _____ immunization is not indicated for medical reasons or lab-oratory confirmation of adequate immunity exists for the following immunization(s) _____ and/or the parent or guardian is opposed to certain vaccine(s) as indicated in Section C below	
Polio (IPV and/or OPV)	Vaccine		Mo.	Day	Yr	Signature of Physician or Public Clinic _____ Date _____	
• 3 doses at 2 – 18 months		1					
• 4 th dose at 4 – 6 years or at school entrance		2					
		3					
		4				C. If the parent/guardian conscientiously opposes immunizations: I hereby certify by notarization that: _____ I am opposed to all immunizations _____ I am opposed to only the vaccine(s) indicated and have had my physician or health care provider complete Section B above. Vaccine(s) I oppose are: _____	
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	Vaccine		Mo.	Day	Yr		
• Required for children 15 months or older		1					
• Must be given on or after 1 st birthday		2					
• 2 nd dose at either 4 -6 or 11 -12 Years							
Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (Hib)	Vaccine		Mo.	Day	Yr	Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____ *****This option must be notarized *****	
• 3 – 4 doses for children 2 – 15 months		1					
• 1 dose for previously unvaccinated children 15 months – 5 years		2					
• Not required for children 5 yrs. And up		3					
		4				Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____	
Hepatitis B (HBV)	Vaccine		Mo.	Day	Yr		
• 3 doses between birth and 18 months		1					
		2				Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____	
		3					
Varicella (Chicken Pox)	Vaccine		Mo.	Day	Yr	Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____	
• 1 dose between 12 – 18 months		1					

Subscribed and sworn to before me this ____ day of _____, 20 ____

Signature of Notary Public

(A copy of this notarized statement will be forwarded to the commissioner of health)

Notary Public Stamp Here

For Office Use Only

() in Compliance

Preschool/Toddler (4 DTP, 3 Polio, 1 MMR and at least 1 Hib)
School Aged (5 DTP, 4 Polio, 1 MMR)

() In Process

18 months expire _____

() Medical Exemption

for _____

() Conscientious Objection

for _____



Instructions

Who should Complete and Sign this form?

Either the parent/guardian, physician/clinic or child care provider can fill in the child's immunization history. Who signs depends on the child's age and situation:

- If the child is at least 15 months old and has had all the shots required by law (4 DTP, 3 Polio, 1 MMR and at least 1 Hib), a parent or guardian can sign the form in Section A
- If the child is younger than 15 months or has not had all the shots required by law, a doctor or a representative from a public health clinic must sign in Section B
- If there are medical reasons why a child can't have or doesn't need any shot(s), a doctor or public health nurse must sign in Section B
- If a parent or guardian objects to a certain shot, a doctor or representative from a public health clinic must sign the form in Section B and the parent or guardian must complete Section C and have it notarized by a Notary Public.
- If a parent or guardian objects to all shots, they must complete Section C and have it notarized by a Notary Public

Notes for Parents

1. **Give your child's immunization history to the child care center when you enroll.**
By law, licensed child care centers, must keep a form like this one on file for each child. A child care provider can refuse to admit a child who has not received the required shots. The only exceptions are if your child has a medical reason for not receiving a shot or you are conscientiously opposed to immunization.
2. **Keep track of your child's shots, and tell your day care provider each time your child gets a shot.**
It will save you time if you keep a shot record card for each of your children. Be sure to have the record card updated each time your child receives a shot. Child care will be the first of many times you will need a shot record card. You will also need this record for school, camp, college, and if you got a new doctor or clinic.
3. **If your child is not up to date on his or her shots, you can catch up.**
By law you have 18 months after enrolling for your child to have all of his or her required shots.
Minnesota children are still getting diseases like measles, mumps and rubella. These diseases are contagious. They can spread rapidly – especially among groups of children that have not received their shots. And some of them like Pertussis (Whooping Cough) are much more serious for children than they are for adults. As a parent you can protect your children by making sure they get all their shots. Most shots are due by 2 years of age.

Notes for Child Care Providers

1. **Be sure you have a complete immunization history on file for all children 2 months of age or older.**
This specific form is not required by law. However if you run a licensed day care facility in Minnesota you must have the information it contains on file before a child enrolls. If a child enrolls at a younger age, you must obtain immunization information when they reach 2 months of age.
2. **Keep track of the date when each child's required immunizations are due by law.**
If a child is 2 months of age or older and has not yet received all their required shots, you should note the date when these immunizations will be due by law – 18 months after the child enrolls in your facility.
By law, preschoolers in child care must have 4 DTP, 3 Polio, 1 MMR and at least 1 Hib immunization. Immunizations against Hepatitis B and Chicken Pox are not required by law. However these immunizations are recommended.
3. **Be sure each child's immunization history clearly indicates whether they or not they have received Pertussis.** (DTaP and DTP contain Pertussis vaccine, DT does not).
Nationwide there has been an increase in Pertussis disease (Whooping Cough). If an outbreak of Pertussis disease occurs in your child care center, you will need to be able to quickly identify which children are protected and which are not.
4. **Remind parents to immunize children on time.**
As a child care provider, you are in an excellent position to help remind parents about immunizations.
Make sure the immunization records you have on file for each child are up to date, and regularly remind parents when shots are due.
Ask your local health department for an updated immunization schedule each calendar year, so you will have the latest information on hand. Or call the number listed below.

Questions?

If you have questions about immunizations, call your clinic, your local public health department, or the Minnesota Immunization Hotline.

1-800-657-3970

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