Vaccines Required for School Enrollment in Nevada

All children enrolling into kindergarten, 7th grade or those who are new to a Nevada school district for any grade, must be fully vaccinated according to the U.S. Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) for the vaccines listed in the table below. These children must be fully vaccinated PRIOR to being enrolled into school. This bulletin applies to all Nevada public, private and charter schools.

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<th>Required Vaccines</th>
<th>2 mo. of age</th>
<th>4 mo. of age</th>
<th>6 mo. of age</th>
<th>12-15 mo. of age</th>
<th>18-24 mo. of age</th>
<th>4-6 yrs. of age</th>
<th>11-12 yrs. of age</th>
<th>Total Doses Required PRIOR to School Entry</th>
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<td>DTP, DT, DTaP</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>4</td>
<td>5*</td>
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<td>*If dose #4 is given on or after 4th birthday, #5 is not needed</td>
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<td>Polio (IPV)</td>
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<td>3</td>
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<td>(doses must be at least 4 weeks apart)</td>
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"Catch-Up" Schedule

Persons aged 7 years or older who are not fully immunized with the childhood DTaP series should receive a Tdap vaccine as the first dose in the catch-up series. If additional doses are needed to confer protection, then use Td vaccine. Any student who presents for school enrollment without the required number of doses listed above will need to follow the [ACIP Catch-Up Schedule](#).
Conditional Enrollment
Conditional enrollment is only permitted when a child would need multiple visits to a healthcare provider in order to achieve compliant status. If all needed doses can be administered at one appointment, then the child CANNOT enroll into school until they are vaccine compliant.

Exemptions
Only medical and religious exemptions are permitted per NRS’ 392.437-439 and 394.193-194.

Nevada WebIZ
Nevada WebIZ is the statewide immunization information system used in Nevada. It is a great tool for helping you to determine if a student is compliant with vaccination requirements. To receive free training on how to use Nevada WebIZ, please contact your local trainer:

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ACIP Immunization Schedules
To view the most current ACIP immunization schedule for children birth – 18 years, please visit:

Epidemiology and Prevention of Vaccine Preventable Diseases (Pink Book)
For additional information on valid minimum intervals for dosing and ages, please refer to Appendix A in the CDC’s “Pink Book.” The entire “Pink Book” can be downloaded here:

For information about clinics in your area, go to: http://www.vfcnevada.org/for-families/find-a-provider/

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