THIS IS AN IMPORTANT MESSAGE FROM THE RILEY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

For the 2019-2020 school year, Kansas is updating the school immunization requirements to more closely reflect the Centers for Disease Control & Prevention and the American Academy of Pediatrics recommended immunization schedule.

The revised regulation will require vaccination against hepatitis A (already a daycare requirement) and will require meningococcal (Serotype A,C,W,Y) for entry into 7th and 11th grades.

So, BEAT THE RUSH! Don’t wait for the next school year to see if your child’s immunizations are up-to-date and risk your child missing school due to missed vaccines! Talk to your healthcare provider today and get your kids vaccinated!