

## SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The DC Health School Health Services Program provides health care services to students throughout the school day as well as administers hearing and vision screenings, manages student health records and tracks student health trends in the District of Columbia. The School Health Services Program also offers telehealth which requires a parental/guardian consent form to be submitted in order for a student to participate.

Your student will receive a hearing and/or vision screening if they have not received one in the previous calendar year, as documented in their submitted universal health certificate. Your student's health data may be transferred electronically between authorized District agencies, their agents and your student's healthcare providers. Student health information will always be stored and transferred in accordance with District and federal laws and regulations including, but not limited to, the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), the Health Information Technology for Economic and Clinical Health (HITECH) Act and D.C. Law 18-273, the Data-Sharing and Information Coordination Amendment Act of 2010 (D.C. Official Code § 7-241 et seq.)

**If you would like to opt-out of your student receiving a hearing and/or vision screening or electronic health data transfers please submit in writing your request to your student's registrar, school health suite staff or submit it electronically via the [School Health Services Program Information and Request Online Portal](#).**

If you would like to consent for your student to participate in the School Health Services Telehealth Program, please submit the below completed form to your student's registrar or school health suite staff to consent for telehealth services.

## SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES TELEHEALTH CONSENT

Please submit the completed document to your student's school registrar or health suite staff. The School Health Services Telehealth Program allows students to be seen remotely at their school by a medical care provider. By signing below, I understand, acknowledge and agree that:

- My student may participate in appointments conducted by video (video conferencing) or phone call (teleconferencing) with healthcare providers such as behavioral health providers who may be at an off-school location. The healthcare provider may determine that an in-person follow-up visit or that urgent care or emergency services is required.
- In addition to my student's healthcare team and provider, individuals who operate the video equipment and who are trained to maintain the confidentiality of all information obtained may also be present. The student has the right to request that: (1) specific details of their medical history/physical examination be omitted; (2) non-medical personnel leave the examination room; or (3) the visit be terminated at any time.
- I have the option to refuse a telehealth appointment for my student.
- I authorize the School Health Services Telehealth Program to share my student's educational records and health information with a telehealth provider for the purpose of providing care to my student.
- I authorize the provider or its healthcare personnel to release any and all information to my student's health insurance plan or any other agent that may be responsible for paying medical bills associated with the visit. I further authorize the School Health Services Telehealth Program to release specific medical information to school officials and DC Health, either because it is required by law or by regulation, or because it is necessary to protect my student's health and safety.
- My insurance may be billed for Telehealth services. I understand I am responsible for providing insurance information and am responsible for any additional copay or charge resulting from this service. Enrollees in any DC Medicaid Managed Care Organization will not receive a bill for any of the services provided through telehealth. All charges associated with this program are at the discretion of the insurance company. Any copay that is required for primary care visits could apply for this service. I understand that any monies or benefits for providing telehealth will be assigned and transferred to the provider, including benefits/monies from my health plan, Medicaid, or other third parties who are financially responsible for my student's medical care. I authorize the release of all information needed (including but not limited to medical records, copies of claims and itemized bills) to verify payment and as needed for other public health purposes.
- If I am not satisfied with the services rendered at any time, I may file a complaint with the Ombudsman team via phone: (202) 724-7491 or via email: [healthcareombudsman@dc.gov](mailto:healthcareombudsman@dc.gov). Complaints should also be submitted via the School Health Services Program portal at: <https://dchealth.force.com/studenthealthservices/s/>.
- This consent will be valid for the duration of the student's enrollment in the school. I also understand that I have the right to withdraw my consent at any time by giving the health suite staff a signed and dated letter withdrawing my consent.

Student's Personal Information   Completed by parent/guardian/student eighteen (18) years of age or older				
<b>Student Last Name:</b>		<b>Student First Name:</b>		<b>Date of Birth:</b>
<b>School or Child Care Facility Name:</b>				
<b>Home Address:</b>		<b>Apt:</b>	<b>City:</b>	<b>State:</b>
<b>ZIP:</b>				
<b>Ethnic Designation:</b> <i>(check all that apply)</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer				
<b>Race:</b> <i>(check all that apply)</i>				
<input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/ Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer				
Parent/Guardian Information				
<b>Parent/Guardian Name 1:</b>		<b>Parent/Guardian Name 2:</b>		
<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>	<b>Phone:</b>	<b>Email:</b>	
<b>Relationship to Student:</b>		<b>Relationship to Student:</b>		
<b>Parent/Guardian Phone:</b>		<b>Parent/Guardian Phone:</b>		
<b>Emergency Contact Name, Relationship to Student:</b>		<b>Emergency Contact Phone:</b>		
Insurance Information				
<b>Insurance Type:</b>		<b>Insurance Name/ID #:</b>		
<input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> None		<b>Insurance Plan:</b>		
<b>If your child does not have health insurance, would you like to be contacted by the clinical case manager for assistance with obtaining health insurance?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No				
<b>Primary Care Provider Name:</b>				
<b>Primary Care Provider Organization &amp; Address:</b>				
<b>Primary Care Provider Phone:</b>				

**Student Name (printed)** \_\_\_\_\_ **Parent/Guardian Name (printed)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Signature/Student if age is 18 or older** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

## SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES PROGRAM POLICIES

The below School Health Services Program Policies are provided for your awareness.

- To participate in the in the electronic transfer of my student’s data for the SHSP, I must provide consent to my student’s medical care provider to electronically send my student’s health information including, but not limited to the information in the universal health certificate, to my student’s school. Information regarding care provided to my student in my student’s school may be shared with other District agencies for the purpose of coordinating my student’s care and for District-wide data collection, for example to monitor asthma or other health trends in the District.
- A student that is eighteen (18) years of age or older, or an emancipated minor, as defined by D.C. Official Code § 7-1231.02 (10), may complete this form for themselves and legally consent to any school health services.
- In accordance with the Minor’s Health Consent Regulation (22-B DCMR § 600.7) a minor may legally consent for the prevention, diagnosis or treatment of (1) a pregnancy or its lawful termination; (2) substance abuse, including drug and alcohol abuse; (3) a mental or emotional health condition, or (4) a sexually transmitted disease. Furthermore, parental consent is not required for the application of emergency first aid treatment or the provision of services where the health of a student is endangered.
- The consents and acknowledgements contained herein will be valid for the duration of the student’s enrollment. I may withdraw consent at any time by providing a signed and dated letter to the student’s school.
- As provided for in D.C. Official Code § 38-651.11, the District, the school, its employees and agents (including school nursing staff) or the practicing physician, physician assistant or advanced practice nurse, who has issued a standing order shall be immune from civil liability for any acts or omissions relating to or arising from their good faith performance of responsibilities under D.C Official Code § 38-651.01 et seq., except for criminal acts, intentional wrongdoing, gross negligence, or willful misconduct.

# Universal Health Certificate

Use this form to report your child’s physical health to their school/child care facility. This is required by DC Official Code §38-602. Have a licensed medical professional complete part 2–4. Access health insurance programs at [dchealthlink.com](https://dchealthlink.com). You may contact the Health Suite Personnel through the main office at your child’s school.

Part 1: Child Personal Information   To be completed by parent/guardian.						
Child Last Name:		Child First Name:		Date of Birth:		
School or Child Care Facility Name:			Student Grade Level:		Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Binary	
Home Address:		Apt:	City:	State:	Zip:	
Ethnicity: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic/Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer						
Race: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian/Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander <input type="checkbox"/> Black/African American <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Prefer not to answer						
Parent/Guardian Name:				Parent/Guardian Phone:		
Emergency Contact Name:				Emergency Contact Phone:		
Insurance Type: <input type="checkbox"/> Medicaid <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> None			Insurance Name/ID #:			
Has the child seen a dentist/dental provider within the last year? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No						
I give permission to the signing health examiner/facility to share the health information on this form with my child’s school, child care, camp, or appropriate DC Government agency. In addition, I hereby acknowledge and agree that the District, the school, its employees and agents shall be immune from civil liability for acts or omissions under DC Law 17-107, except for criminal acts, intentional wrongdoing, gross negligence, or willful misconduct. I understand that this form should be completed and returned to my child’s school every year.						
Parent/Guardian Signature: _____				Date: _____		
Part 2: Child’s Health History, Exam, and Recommendations   To be completed by licensed health care provider.						
Date of Health Exam:	BP: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> NML <input type="checkbox"/> ABNL	Weight: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> LBS <input type="checkbox"/> KG	Height: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> IN <input type="checkbox"/> CM	BMI:	BMI Percentile:	
Vision Screening Acuity Level: For Children 3–6 years of age, only a (Pass/Fail) will be required. Those age 6 years and over will require vision acuity levels for this section.						
Vision Screening:	Left eye: 20/_____ L: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail	Right Eye: 20/_____ R: <input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail	<input type="checkbox"/> Corrected <input type="checkbox"/> Uncorrected	<input type="checkbox"/> Wears glasses	<input type="checkbox"/> Referred	<input type="checkbox"/> Not tested
Hearing Screening: (check all that apply) <input type="checkbox"/> Pass <input type="checkbox"/> Fail <input type="checkbox"/> Not Tested <input type="checkbox"/> Uses Device <input type="checkbox"/> Referred						

**Does the child have any of the following health concerns?** (check all that apply and provide details below)

- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma         | <input type="checkbox"/> Failure to thrive | <input type="checkbox"/> Sickle cell   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Autism         | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart failure     | <input type="checkbox"/> Significant food/medication/environmental allergies that may require emergency medical care. <i>Details provided below.</i> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Behavioral     | <input type="checkbox"/> Kidney failure    | <input type="checkbox"/> Long-term medications, over-the-counter-drugs (OTC) or special care requirements. <i>Details provided below.</i>            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer         | <input type="checkbox"/> Language/Speech   | <input type="checkbox"/> Significant health history, condition, communicable illness, or restrictions. <i>Details provided below.</i>                |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cerebral palsy | <input type="checkbox"/> Obesity           | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Developmental  | <input type="checkbox"/> Scoliosis         |  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes       | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures          |  |

**Provide details. If the child has Rx/treatment, please attach a complete Medication/Medical Treatment Plan form; and if the child was referred, please note.**

**TB Assessment** | Positive TB tests should be referred to Primary Care Provider for evaluation. For questions call DC Health TB Control at 202-698-4040. Visit [dchealth.dc.gov/page/tuberculosis-basics](https://dchealth.dc.gov/page/tuberculosis-basics) for more information on Tuberculosis.

<b>What is the child’s risk level for TB?</b> <input type="checkbox"/> High > complete skin test and/or IGRA blood test <input type="checkbox"/> Low	<b>Skin Test Date:</b>	<b>IGRA Blood Test Date:</b>
	<b>Skin Test Results:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive, CXR Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive, CXR Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Positive, Treated	<b>IGRA Results:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Negative <input type="checkbox"/> Positive <input type="checkbox"/> Positive, Treated

**Additional notes on TB test:**

**Lead Exposure Risk Screening** | All lead levels must be reported to DC Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention. Call (202) 481-3837 or fax (202) 535-2607.

<b>ONLY FOR CHILDREN UNDER AGE 6 YEARS</b> <i>Every child must have 2 lead tests by age 2</i>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Test Date:</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> Result:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal, <b>Developmental Screening Date:</b>	<b>1st Serum/Finger Stick Lead Level:</b>
	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Test Date:</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Result:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal, <b>Developmental Screening Date:</b>	<b>2nd Serum/Finger Stick Lead Level:</b>
	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Test Date:</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Result:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> Normal <input type="checkbox"/> Abnormal, <b>Developmental Screening Date:</b>	<b>3rd Serum/Finger Stick Lead Level:</b>

# Universal Health Certificate

Part 3: Immunization Information   To be completed by licensed health care provider.							
Child Last Name:	Child First Name:				Date of Birth:		
Immunizations	In the boxes below, provide the dates of immunization (MM/DD/YY)						
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTP, DTaP)	1	2	3	4	5		
DT (<7 yrs.)/ Td (>7 yrs.)	1	2	3	4	5		
Tdap Booster	1						
DTaP-IPV	1	2					
DTap-IPV-Hib	1	2	3				
DTap-HepB-IPV	1	2	3				
DTap-IPV-Hib-HepB	1	2	3				
Haemophilus influenza Type b (Hib)	1	2	3	4			
Hepatitis B (HepB)	1	2	3	4			
Polio (IPV, OPV)	1	2	3	4			
Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR)	1	2					
Measles	1	2					
Mumps	1	2					
Rubella	1	2					
Varicella	1	2	Child had Chicken Pox (month & year): _____ Verified by (name & title): _____				
Pneumococcal Conjugate	1	2	3	4			
Hepatitis A (HepA) (Born on or after 01/01/2005)	1	2					
Human Papillomavirus (HPV)	1	2	3				
Meningococcal Vaccine (ACWY)	1	2					
Influenza (Recommended)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Rotavirus (Recommended)	1	2	3				
COVID-19 (Recommended)	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Other	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

The child is **behind on immunizations** and there is a plan in place to get him/her/them back on schedule.  
**Next appointment is:** \_\_\_\_\_

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## Medical Exemption (if applicable)

I certify that the above child has a valid medical contraindication(s) to being immunized at the time against:

- Diphtheria    Tetanus    Pertussis    Hib    HepB    Polio (All 3 serotypes)    Measles  
 Mumps    Rubella    Varicella    Pneumococcal    HepA    Meningococcal (ACWY)    HPV  
 COVID-19

Is this medical contraindication permanent or temporary?    Permanent    Temporary until: (date) \_\_\_\_\_

## Alternative Proof of Immunity (if applicable)

I certify that the above child has laboratory evidence of immunity to the following and I've attached a copy of the titer results.

- Diphtheria    Tetanus    Pertussis    Hib    HepB    Polio (All 3 serotypes)    Measles  
 Mumps    Rubella    Varicella    Pneumococcal    HepA    HPV

## Part 4: Licensed Health Practitioner's Certifications | To be completed by licensed health care provider..

This child has been appropriately examined and health history reviewed and recorded in accordance with the items specified on this form. At the time of the exam, this child is **in satisfactory health** to participate in all school, camp, or child care activities except as noted on page one.    No    Yes

This child is cleared for **competitive sports**.    NA    No    Yes    Yes, pending additional clearance from: \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby certify that I examined this child and the information recorded here was determined as a result of the examination.

**Licensed Health Care Provider Office Stamp**   **Provider Name:**

**Provider Phone:**

**Provider Signature:**

**Date:**

## OFFICE USE ONLY | Universal Health Certificate received by School Official and Health Suite Personnel.

**School Official Name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**

**Health Suite Personnel Name:**

**Signature:**

**Date:**

# Oral Health Assessment Form

For all students aged 3 years and older, use this form to report their oral health status to their school/childcare facility.

## Instructions

- Complete Part 1 below. Take this form to the child/student's dental provider. The dental provider should complete Part 2.
- Return fully completed and signed form to the student's school/childcare facility.

## Part 1: Child/Student Information (To be completed by parent/guardian)

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_

School or Child Care Facility Name \_\_\_\_\_

Student ID \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth 

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(MMDDYYYY):

Current Gender Identity: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Home State: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Zip Code 

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School Grade	Day- care	Pre-K3	Pre-K4	K	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	Adult Ed.
<input type="checkbox"/>																	

## Part 2: Child/Student's Oral Health Status (To be completed by the dental provider)

- |  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
|  | Yes                      | No                       |                          |                          |
| 1. Does the patient have at least one tooth with <b>apparent cavitation</b> (untreated caries)? This does NOT include stained pit or fissure that has no apparent breakdown of enamel structure or non-cavitated demineralized lesions (i.e. white spots). | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| 2. Does the patient have at least one <b>treated carious tooth</b> ? This includes any tooth with amalgam, composite, temporary restorations, or crowns as a result of dental caries treatment.  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| 3. Does the patient have at least one permanent molar tooth with a <b>partially or fully retained sealant</b> ?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| 4. Does the patient have untreated caries or other oral health problems requiring <b>care before his/her routine check-up? (Early care need)</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| 5. Does the patient have <b>pain, abscess, or swelling? (Urgent care need)</b>   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |                          |                          |
| 6. How many <b>primary teeth</b> in the patient's mouth are affected by caries that are either:  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
| a. <b>Untreated</b> <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr></table>  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
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| b. <b>Treated with fillings/crowns?</b> <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr></table>                              |                          |                          |                          |                          |
|  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
| 7. How many <b>permanent teeth</b> in the patient's mouth are affected by caries that are either:  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
| a. <b>Untreated</b> <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr></table>  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
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| b. <b>Treated with fillings/crowns</b> <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr></table>                               |                          |                          |                          |                          |
|  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
| c. <b>Extracted due to caries?</b> <table border="1" style="display: inline-table; border-collapse: collapse;"><tr><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td><td style="width: 20px; height: 20px;"></td></tr></table>                                   |                          |                          |                          |                          |
|  |                          |                          |                          |                          |
| 8. What type of dental insurance does the patient have?  | Medicaid                 | Private Insurance        | Other                    | None                     |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Dental Provider Name _____	Dental Office Stamp
Dental Provider Signature _____	
Dental Examination Date _____	

*This form replaces the previous version of the DC Oral Health Assessment Form used for entry into DC Schools, all Head Start programs, and childcare centers. This form is approved by the DC Health and is a confidential document. Confidentiality is adherent to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) for the health providers and the Family Education Right and Privacy Act (FERPA) for the DC Schools and other providers.*



## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SCHOOL IMMUNIZATION POLICY

All DC students **must** be up to date on their immunizations before next school year!

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### SCHEDULE YOUR CHILD'S ANNUAL WELLNESS VISIT

Schedule your child's annual wellness visit today, and ask your healthcare provider to complete the Universal Health Certificate. If your child receives an immunization during the visit, ask for written proof of the immunization that you can share with your school.

### MAKE SURE YOUR CHILD HAS RECEIVED ALL OF THEIR IMMUNIZATIONS

Not sure if your child has received all of their required immunizations? Ask your primary care provider, and request a copy of your child's immunization history to share with your school.

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### SUBMIT IMMUNIZATION DOCUMENTS TO YOUR SCHOOL

Submit the Universal Health Certificate and any other immunization documents to your child's school to guarantee they are ready for next school year. Not sure if your child's school has all the immunization documents they need? Call the school and ask today!

For more information:

OSSE: (202) 727-6436 | DC Health: (202) 576-7130 | [bit.ly/DCIAP](https://bit.ly/DCIAP)

