



County of El Dorado

HEALTH SERVICES DEPARTMENT

Healthy People Living in Healthy Communities Throughout El Dorado County

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Dear Parent(s),

The California fiscal crisis has resulted in the elimination of free vaccine for our school based clinics. At this time, we will only be able to immunize children who are eligible for the Vaccine for Children (VFC) program.

Please complete the Tdap Vaccination VFC Eligibility form to determine your child's ability to participate in this program.

If your child is eligible to participate, complete the Tdap Vaccination Registration and Consent form and return to your child's school. If your child's completed Registration form is received by Wednesday, April 13th, we will vaccinate your child during the school clinic in April. **No child will be immunized without parent/guardian permission.**

If your child is NOT eligible to participate, you do not need to complete the Registration and Consent form.

You may be able to receive free or low cost (\$10) immunizations at the County of El Dorado Health Services Department Clinic at 931 Spring St. Placerville or 1360 Johnson Blvd. South Lake Tahoe. Please go to our website www.edcgov.us/publichealth for available times and dates or call (530) 621-6100 in Placerville or (530) 573-3155 in South Lake Tahoe.

If you have questions about the vaccines before or after immunization, you may discuss them with your health care provider, your school district nurse, or call the Health Services Department in Placerville at (530) 621-6112 or in Tahoe at (530) 573-3165.

Sincerely,

Michael Ungeheuer, R.N., M.N., P.H.N.
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