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INFLUENZA VACCINE

Dear Parents:

Please read the follow paragraph carefully.

PA regulations require that children have vaccines recommended by the ACIP. * The ACIP is the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices. The ACIP recommends that everyone older than 6 months of age receive influenza vaccine.

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends that childcare programs prevent influenza with annual immunization for everyone older than 6 months of age, especially all teachers/caregivers. **THIS IS NOT THE COVID-19 VACCINE.**

* The vaccine regulations of the Department of Public Welfare (DPW) and Department of Health (DOH) are: *PA DPW Chapter 55 3270.131(e), 3280.131(e) and 3290.131(e) and PA DOH Title 28 § 27.77.* These regulations require compliance with ACIP recommendations.

It is required that all children and staff in a childcare program (Preschool/Kindergarten) setting must have an influenza vaccine. Since our paperwork is due back before the "flu shot" is available for your child to receive, please fill-out the bottom portion of this form so that we know when your child will be receiving his/her flu shot this year.

Please be aware that if you choose to not have your child vaccinated and there is a flu outbreak, we have the right to ask you to keep your child home until it is deemed safe for your "unvaccinated" child to return to school.

Thank you,
CSS Preschool & Kindergarten

PLEASE FILL-OUT AND RETURN BY FRIDAY, AUGUST 5, 2022

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Child's Name: _____

My child will be going in _____ to get his/her flu shot.

Enter the Month

I am aware that I am to provide the school with proof of vaccination after my child has received his/her flu vaccine for 2022.

I/We have chosen not to have our son/daughter receive the flu vaccine.

***** Please fill-out the attached State require form and return it with this cut-off*****