

State-Required Immunizations for Purposes of School Enrollment

Immunization	Point of Requirement	Waiver Availability
DTAP (4 doses if the 4 th one occurs after 4 th birthday; if not, then 5 doses)	First enrollment in Grades K-12	 (1) Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2) Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
IPV (4 doses)	First enrollment in Grades K-12	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2)Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
MMR (2 doses)	First enrollment in Grades K-12 or with existing students entering 6 th Grade	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2)Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
HEPATITIS B (3 doses)	First enrollment in Grades K-12 or with existing students entering 6 th Grade	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one-time) (2)Physician's Letter of Immunity—by Blood Testing (one-time) *
HIB or PEDVAX	Enrollment Pre-School/Pre-K or Head Start ONLY (targets younger students)	 (1) Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2) Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
VARICELLA (2 doses)	First enrollment in Grades K-12 or with existing students entering 6 th Grade	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2)Parent or Physician's Letter of Immunity (one-time) *
PCV or PREVNAR	Enrollment Pre-School/Pre-K or Head Start ONLY (targets younger students)	 (1) Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2) Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
HEPATITIS A (2 doses if born on or after 1/1/06)	Enrollment Pre-School/Pre-K or Head Start ONLY (targets younger students); Only for students born after 1/1/06	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2)Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
TDAP (1 dose if born on or after 1/1/02)	First enrollment in Grades 7 th through 12 th or existing students entering 7 th grade	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2) Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *
MENINGOCOCCAL (2 doses if born on or after 1/1/02; booster is required unless 1 st dose is given on or after 16 th birthday	First enrollment in Grades 7 th through 12 th or existing students entering 7 th grade; booster upon first enrollment in Grade 11 or existing students entering 11 th grade	 (1)Affidavit of Religious Exemption (one- time) (2) Physician's Letter of Exemption (annual) *

*Note: All Physicians' letters of Exemption or Immunity need to be on the Physicians' letterhead and contain a signature and contact number.

Screenings and immunizations are available at the following Cherokee County Health Department Centers:

Canton 1219 Univeter Road Canton, GA 30015 770-345-7371 Woodstock 7545 North Main Street Woodstock, GA 30188 770-928-0133

Please call for the days and hours of operation.