

## Information Regarding Immunizations

Dear Staff Member / Volunteer

The state of Massachusetts require our staff members and volunteers aged 17 and under to have and provide evidence of the following immunizations:

Tdap	1 dose; and history of DTaP primary series or age appropriate catch-up vaccination. Tdap given at ≥7 years may be counted, but a dose at age 11-12 is recommended if Tdap was given earlier as part of a catch-up schedule. Td should be given if it has been ≥10 years since Tdap.
Polio	<b>4 doses;</b> $4^{th}$ dose must be given on or after the $4^{th}$ birthday and $\geq 6$ months after the previous dose, or a $5^{th}$ dose is required. 3 doses are acceptable if the $3^{rd}$ dose is given on or after the $4^{th}$ birthday and $\geq 6$ months after the previous dose.
Hepatitis B	3 doses; laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable
MMR	<b>2 doses;</b> first dose must be given on or after the 1st birthday and the 2nd dose must be given ≥28 days after dose 1; laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable
Varicella	<b>2 doses;</b> first dose must be given on or after the 1st birthday and 2nd dose must be given ≥28 days after dose 1; a reliable history of chickenpox* or laboratory evidence of immunity acceptable

The deadline for submitting proof of immunizations is **10 days before your first chosen session start date.** 

- 1. If you are returning to camp, please contact the camp office to see if the required information is currently held on our system from previous years.
- 2. To prove immunization, a licensed healthcare provider can complete the Immunization Record Form enclosed, or you can obtain a copy of your vaccination record from your health care provider. There are three options for submitting this information:
  - A. Provide a copy of your records to our online system: <a href="https://grotonwood.campintouch.com">https://grotonwood.campintouch.com</a> by scanning and uploading the forms
  - B. Fax to (978) 448 0025
  - C. Email office@grotonwood.org
- 3. Upon receipt, our nurses will be in touch to confirm receipt and follow up on any queries. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact the office at 978-448-5763 or office@grotonwood.org.

## Exemptions

The following exemptions may be allowed:

### 1. Religious Exceptions

If you have religious objections to physical examinations or immunizations, you may submit a written statement, signed by yourself, to the effect that you are in good health and stating the reason for such objections.

#### 2. Immunization Contraindicated

Any immunization specified shall not be required if the Health History Form includes a certification by a physician that he or she has examined you and that in the physician's opinion the physical condition of yourself is such that your health would be endangered by such immunization.

Whilst we appreciate these requirements are time consuming and, lets face it, pretty inconvenient, they are a legal requirement and ensure we run a compliant, safe and well regulated summer camp. I thank you for your cooperations with this and look forward to seeing you soon!

Blessings,

Breeze Everitt

Director of Summer Camping



# **Immunizations Record Form**

## Part 1 - Staff / Volunteer Information

Your Name		
Date of Birth		
Sex:		
Parts 2 to 7 are to be	e completed by a Healthcare prov	ider.
<u>All dates must</u>	include MONTH, DAY and YEAR.	
<b>Part 2 – Measles, Mumps, Rubel</b> Staff / Volunteers born on or befo for MMR	l <b>la</b> re January 1, 1957 will not have to pr	ovide immunity
MMR #1 Date of Vaccine		
	(must be given on or after 12 months of	of age/first birthday)
MMR #2 Date of Vaccine		
	(must be given at least 2	8 days after MMR #1)
	OR	
If individual vaccines were received following:	for Measles, Mumps, and Rubella, please	complete the
Measles (Rubeola) Vaccine	Date of Vaccine #1	
	Date of Vaccine #2	
Rubella (German Measles) Vaccine	Date of Vaccine #1	
	Date of Vaccine #2	
Mumps Vaccine	Date of Vaccine #1	
	Date of Vaccine #2	
If proof of vaccine cannot be provid	ed, you must obtain a <b>blood titer</b> to con	firm immunity of

all of the above.

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Part 3 - Tetanus/Dinh	theria/Pertussis (DPT,DTP,DT,DTap,Td or Tdap)
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Date of Vaccine #1	Type of vaccine, please circle: DPT, DTP, DT, DTap, Td or Tdap
Date of Vaccine # 2	Type of vaccine, please circle: DPT, DTP, DT, DTap, Td or Tdap
Date of Vaccine # 3	Type of vaccine, please circle: DPT, DTP, DT, DTap, Td or Tdap
Date of Vaccine # 4	Type of vaccine, please circle: DPT, DTP, DT, DTap, Td or Tdap
Part 4 - Varicella (Ch	icken Pox)
Date of Vaccine #1	
Date of Vaccine # 2	
Or	
Applicant has previously had Chicken Pox	
Part 5 - Polio	
Date of dose #1	
Date of dose # 2	
Date of dose # 3	
Date of dose # 4	
Part 6 - Hepatitis B	
Date of dose #1	
Date of dose # 2	

Date of dose # 3

## Part 7 - Healthcare Provider Certification

Providers Signature	
Providers Printed Name	
Address	
Phone Number	