

7th Grade Vaccines



In 7th grade, public health offers immunizations in schools against Hepatitis B, Meningococcal disease, and human papillomavirus

1 Hepatitis B

This vaccine that protects against the hepatitis B virus that can cause liver infections. Hepatitis B is highly contagious.

In Ontario, grade 7/8 students are offered a two dose series of this vaccine, and the 2nd dose is 4-6 months after the first.

2 Meningococcal

This vaccine helps protect against invasive meningococcal disease. This is a serious disease that can cause swelling of the brain and spinal cord, or a bacterial infection of the blood. It can be fatal.

In Ontario, grade 7/8 students are offered one dose of this vaccine.

3 Human Papillomavirus (HPV)

This vaccine that protects against the Human Papillomavirus. The virus is spread through sexually activity, and can cause genital warts or cancer.

In Ontario, grade 7/8 students are also offered a two dose series of this vaccine, and the second dose is recommended to be given 6 months after the first.

If your child missed these immunizations while in school, did not want to get them at school or is homeschooled, please contact the clinic to schedule their appointment