



**Miami-Dade County Immunization Requirements
2015-2016 School Year**

Required Vaccines for Childcare Entry:
 Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis (DTaP)
 Polio Series (IPV)
 Measles/Mumps/Rubella (MMR)
 Varicella
 Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (Hib)
 Pneumococcal Conjugate (for children 2 to 59 months of age)

By the time a child starts childcare he/she should have already had all required immunizations.¹

PROOF OF THE FOLLOWING VACCINES ARE REQUIRED FOR ENTRY TO CHILDCARE
 (Age-appropriate doses as indicated)

Vaccine	Dosage And Additional Instructions
(DTaP) Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis	4 doses
(IPV) Polio Series	3 doses
(MMR) Mumps, Measles, Rubella	1 dose
(Varicella) Chickenpox	1 dose Exempt with history of chickenpox. ²
(Hib) Haemophilus Influenzae Type B (age appropriate)	1 to 4 doses The number of doses required for Hib varies, depending on the child's age and type of vaccine received
(PCV) Pneumococcal Conjugate	1 to 4 doses For children 2 to 59 months of age. ³

¹ Any child who has incomplete documentation of vaccination should be admitted in childcare only if they have an up to date temporary medical exemption, permanent medical exemption or religious exemption.

² The Varicella vaccine is not required if there is a history of chickenpox documented by the healthcare provider in the space provided on the DH 680 Form.

³ The number of doses required for PCV varies, depending on the child's vaccine start age.

IMMUNIZATIONS ARE AVAILABLE BY THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY
 TO SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT, CALL (786) 845-0550
<http://miamidade.floridahealth.gov/>

For complete information on school immunization requirements, please visit the Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Immunization Website at: <http://www.floridahealth.gov/programs-and-services/immunization/index.html>