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Dear Foreign Exchange Program Directors,

The Indiana State Department of Health Immunization Division annually reviews and updates the immunizations required for school entry. Foreign exchange students who are enrolled in Indiana schools are required to meet the school immunization requirements for high school entry each academic year.

The Indiana school immunization requirements do not include all recommended immunizations for children in this age group. Children who are behind on their immunizations should follow the 2019 CDC Catch-up Immunization Schedule. All minimum intervals and ages for each vaccination as specified in the 2019 CDC guidelines must be met for a dose to be valid.

The enclosed document lists all vaccines by grade level required for school entry in Indiana. An electronic version of this document is available on the Indiana State Department of Health's Immunization Division website.

Thank you for protecting the health of our students in Indiana.

Sincerely,

Dave McCormick, Director

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Enclosure: 2019-20 school year immunization requirements

