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Dear Parents/Guardians of 6th grade students:

This letter is to inform you that the New Jersey Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) revised Chapter 14 N.J.A.C. 8:57-4 which mandates the following two new vaccines for **Grade 6**.

1. Tdap vaccine (Tetanus, diphtheria, acellular pertussis) Beginning September 1, 2008, every child born on or after January 1, 1997 and entering or attending Grade 6 **shall have received** one dose of Tdap given no earlier than the 10th birthday **and** five (5) years have elapsed from the last DTP/Dtap or td dose.

2. Meningococcal vaccine Beginning September 1, 2008, every child born on or after January 1, 1997 and entering or attending Grade 6 **shall have received** one (1) dose of a meningococcal-containing vaccine, such as the medically preferred meningococcal conjugate vaccine.

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Students must provide documentation of these immunizations from their Primary Care Provider by entrance into sixth grade.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 201-833-9600 ext 111.

Sincerely,

School Nurse

IMMUNIZATION DOCUMENTATION

STUDENT NAME _____ Date of Birth: _____

The above-named student has received:

1. Tdap booster _____ (Month/Day/Year)

2. Meningococcal vaccine _____ (Month/Day/Year)

Signature of Primary Care Provider Print

Stamp of Primary Care Provider

PLEASE RETURN TO THE SCHOOL NURSE