



Health Requirements Information

CLC Parents,

This information sheet is aimed at answering some frequently asked questions regarding the required health paperwork your child needs to attend CLC.

Immunizations

- Current immunizations must be turned in at the time of enrollment. You may access the CDC guidelines for vaccinations at <https://dshs.texas.gov/immunize/school/child-care-requirements.aspx>.
- CLC can only accept an immunization that has a doctor's signature or doctor's stamp on the document.
- If your child receives an immunization during the school year, or after enrollment and prior to the next school year starting, please submit the updated paperwork at your earliest convenience.
- If you have opted for your child not to receive any immunizations, you will need to provide CLC with the original **notarized affidavit** that details which specific vaccinations are not being received. This affidavit is valid for two years from the date it is notarized. Information on immunization affidavits: <https://www.dshs.texas.gov/immunize/school/exemptions.aspx#affidavit>.
- Out-of-date or incomplete immunization paperwork can delay or stop CLC registration and/or attendance.

Allergies/Medications

- When marking allergies for your child on the Emergency Medical Information form, please include (if known) the severity of the allergy, and/or the signs/symptoms of the allergic reaction. This will help CLC staff identify potential allergic reactions.
- **The CLC nurse and designated staff are the only staff allowed to administer medication in case of an emergency.** Any other medications, including daily prescriptions, cannot be given. If your child needs medication given during school hours, you are welcome to come to CLC and give the medication at the appropriate time.
- If your child has a severe allergy or medical condition and will be providing CLC with emergency medication (EpiPen Jr, oral Benadryl, rescue inhaler), please be sure to have your child's doctor/pediatrician fill out the appropriate paperwork. This paperwork and the emergency medications must be turned in to CLC prior to the first day of school. The medication must be in the original pharmacy packaging with the pharmacy label including the doctor's instructions. Medication must not expire during the CLC school year. Medication will stay at CLC for the school year.
- Children who have paperwork marked that emergency medications will be provided, but do not have the medication and/or paperwork turned in to CLC, will be unable to attend school until medication/paperwork is provided.

For all CLC Parent Policies and Procedures, please visit: <http://www.prestonwoodclc.org>. Please contact the CLC office or nurse if you have any questions.