If your child is starting kindergarten or first grade, he or she needs a health exam which **includes immunizations.**
Call your doctor today to make an appointment!
Ask your doctor to complete the attached "Report of Health Examination for School Entry."
Then take the completed report to your child's school nurse or school secretary.

If you need help finding a doctor or clinic near you, call the CHDP Program at **875-7151**.

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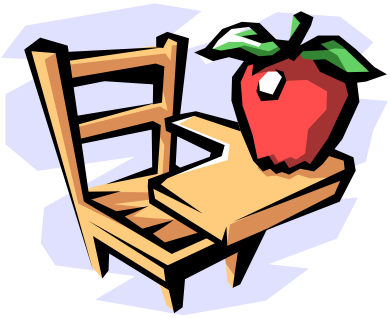

Free Health Exams for School Entry

Each child entering first grade needs a complete health exam. The examination is very important. The doctor, nurse, or physician assistant may find hidden health problems that could keep your child from doing well in school. A healthy child learns best!

Your child may have the exam as early as **six months before entering kindergarten, but no later than 3 months after first grade entry.**

Children from low and moderate income families may get their Exams free through participating physicians and clinics. If eligible for CHDP Gateway, children may receive temporary full scope Medi-Cal for up to 60 days. You may apply for continued Medi-Cal/ Healthy Families coverage.

Your family needs to meet certain income guidelines to qualify for a free health exam. To find out if you qualify call **(916) 875-7151**.

See back for more information!

PARENTS:

Call the CHDP Program to get more information about free child health exams

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