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Mr. Seth Cohen Chief School Administrator Mrs. Lori Walker Supervisor of Instruction

Dear Parents/Guardians of students starting Alpha Public School,

As required by NJ law, N.J.A.C. 8:57-4.2, all students entering Alpha Public School must have documentation of their current immunizations and current health physical to begin the school year. Please complete the enclosed Student Health History/Emergency Medical Treatment Consent form and Universal Child Health Record form completed by your doctor. The health form must also note any allergies, vision or hearing difficulties, or any significant medical conditions.

The following immunizations are required for admittance:

- DTaP a total of 4 doses with one of these doses on or after your child's 4th birthday or any 5 doses.
- Polio (IPV) a total of 3 doses with one of these doses given on or after your child's 4th birthday or any 4 doses.
- HIB series at least one dose given after 1st birthday
- Pneumococcal conjugate (PCV 13) at least one dose given after on or after 1st birthday
- MMR 2 doses
- Varicella 1 dose
- Hepatitis B -3 doses
- Influenza (Pre-K) one dose each year between 9/1-12/31 (*documentation must be* received by 12/31 in order for the student to remain in the Pre-school program)

All new families must complete and submit all required forms and documents for each child entering the district. Registration will be considered pending until <u>all</u> required documentation has been verified.

If the student has a religious exemption, please forward a signed document by a parent or guardian stating this. If there is a medical exemption, please show the necessary documentation from your physician.

Any documentation may be sent to Alpha School District addressed to the school nurse. If you have any questions, please call me at (908) 454-5000 option 2.

Thank you for your time and cooperation. Stay safe and healthy!

Laura Griffiths, BSN, RN, CSN-NJ

School Nurse, Alpha Public School