

## State of California—Health and Human Services Agency California Department of Public Health



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## NOTICE OF FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE STATE LEGAL REQUIREMENT TO REPORT STUDENT IMMUNIZATION STATUS AT YOUR SCHOOL

California (CA) Health & Safety Code 120325-120380 and CA Code of Regulation Title 17, Section 6075 require that all schools with 7th grades screen students for required vaccinations or valid exemptions and report student status to the California Department of Public Health (CDPH). Instructions for reporting can be found at <a href="https://www.shotsforschool.org/reporting">www.shotsforschool.org/reporting</a>.

Our records indicate that one or more schools under your supervision (see attached delinquent list) are now in violation of state law for failure to report student immunization status for the 2015-2016 school year by the due date of November 1, 2015. If any of the listed delinquent schools you supervise do not have a 7th grade this year, please confirm your status online. Please also contact the California Department of Education (CDE) to correct these schools' statuses for this year in the CDE database.

Please be aware that unless the delinquent school(s) on this list report student immunization status to CDPH before the closing date of December 4, 2015, your School Name will be referred to CDE for possible disciplinary action. Delinquent schools with 7th grades will also be listed as such on the CDPH and shotsforschool.org websites. If you have questions, contact your <u>local health department</u> directly.

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