Ohio Community Schools

Ohio Consolidated School District #17

Ohio Community High School District #505

"Where People Care"

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MCV4 Meningitis Vaccination:

All students entering twelfth grade are required to show proof of receiving the meningococcal vaccine (MCV4). This vaccine helps to protect you from bacterial meningitis.

Some students have received this vaccine when entering 6th or 9th grade; however, all students entering their senior year need to have two doses, or one dose given after the age of 16.

Additional vaccines you may want your student to receive at this time include the HPV series and hepatitis A.

You can contact your family doctor or contact the Bureau County Health Department at 815-872-5091.

If you need a copy of your child's immunization form, please contact the school office to request a copy. Your provider will give the vaccine, then date and sign the form. Otherwise, you can request a written statement showing proof of the immunization. Please return either of these forms to the school office before Labor Day.

If you have any questions, please contact the school nurse, Sue Cater, at 815-875-3308.

Sincerely,

Ohio Administration