2019-2020 Freshman Medical Requirements

The School Code of Illinois requires that each student entering high school as a freshman or a transfer student must have a current (within a year of the first day of school) Certificate of Child Health Examination, including documentation of required immunizations. The following records must be returned to Winchester High School at registration. If you are unable to turn it in at registration, please notify the WHS Office (217) 742-3151. We are required to have them on file no later than October 1, 2019. Please remember a current physical has to be on file to participate in any extracurricular activity.

- 1. **Certificate of Child Health Examination including Immunizations :** This is the State of Illinois immunization and physical record.
 - a. **Health History Section:** A parent/guardian must complete, sign and date this portion for the Certificate of Child Health Examination.
 - b. Physical Examination Section: A physician must complete, check the appropriate boxes for physical education and sports, sign and date. (An IHSA form <u>will not</u> work for a freshman physical, but this form will work for a sports physical if properly checked)
- 2. **Immunization Record:** This section must include all vaccines since birth recorded in month/day/year format and must be signed by a healthcare provider. If you do not have a record of your child's immunizations, you may obtain a copy from their current school. The Scott County Health Department offers vaccinations (217-742-8203).
- 3. **Dental Examination: New requirement starting 2019/2020 school year (still awaiting ISBE update for mandate). This must be on the Proof of School Dental Examination Form with exam dated on or after November 15, 2018.

Please contact the High School Office if you have any questions or need more information. WHS Office 217-742-3151.

Thank you,

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