

August 2023

## Dear Parents/Guardians:

We are looking forward to meeting and serving you and your child. As school nurses, we are committed to providing a safe and healthy learning environment for our students. This is only possible with good communication and good working relationships between the faculty/staff and our student's family members.

One step in the goal will be to assure that the school nurse and appropriate staff are aware of any pertinent medical or emotional concerns or needs that your child has that may affect their day at school. For example, a student with a bee sting allergy may need emergency treatment and would benefit from faculty and staff having knowledge of such medical information to ensure your child's safety.

We ask that the Medical History form be completed/updated and supplied to the health office upon entry and yearly thereafter. The information on the Medical History form is utilized as a tool for the health office to gain an understanding of your child's needs to better serve them. A permission form allowing the health office to share medical information with faculty and staff is included for your consent and signature. This will make it possible for the health office to share your child's medical needs on a need to know basis. This information will be kept confidential by those it is shared with.

The NYS requirements for immunizations are detailed in the Immunization and Physical letter. Enclosed is a blank Physical form to be completed by your child's Health Care Provider to include in their individual health record. Physicals for the 2023-2024 calendar year are valid when completed September 2022 through September 2023. If an exam is completed prior to September 2022 and your child is not eligible for an updated physical by their provider, one may be completed by the school physician per the health office schedule.

We will be reviewing your child's medical records, conducting vision and hearing screenings, discussing your child's health history and will be available to answer any questions or concerns you as parents and guardians may have.

Please make every effort to complete and bring with you to your child's registration appointment the following forms: Health History form (in entirety), signature sheet to share information, most recent Immunization and physical with a medication request form. These forms will aid in the review process during your child's registration and are available on the school website, <a href="https://www.fondafultonvilleschools.org">www.fondafultonvilleschools.org</a>.

Please feel free to contact us with any questions prior to registration day.

Sincerely,

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