Vaccinations during COVID-19 (coronavirus)

The COVID-19 (coronavirus) pandemic has been a challenging time for everyone and it means that we need to maintain social distance. However, it is still very **important that your child continues to receive the vaccines they need** when invited by school.

Attending for vaccination

Your child should still attend for vaccinations unless they are unwell or self-isolating because they have been in contact with someone with COVID-19.

If your child or anyone in your house has a high temperature, a new continuous cough or a loss of or change in smell or taste, even if it is mild, you should speak to your school nurse *before* attending.

For more information on signs and symptoms, visit: www.pha.site/coronavirus

Your child's school vaccination clinic will take all possible precautions to protect your child from COVID-19.

Be aware that school vaccination clinics will continue to take place in schools, but the usual processes may change in order to maintain social distance.



the safest way to protect your child

Clinics will be arranged so that people can maintain social distance





Staff will be wearing personal protective equipment (PPE), including:

- face mask
- gloves
- apron
- eye protection

Please continue to minimise the spread of COVID-19 by:

- catching coughs and sneezes in a tissue
- maintaining social distance



washing your hands properly and regularly

The latest guidance for COVID-19 is available on the PHA website www.pha.site/coronavirus



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