

# **Welcome to Jackson Elementary's School Health Services!!**

A DoDEA goal of school nursing is to advance the "well being, academic success, and life-long achievement of students."

## **Has your child(ren) been immunized?**



Students who enroll in DoDEA schools must meet specific immunization requirements prior to enrollment. These immunization requirements are: Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, DTP, Hib, Polio (OPV), MMR, Varicella (chicken pox). A certification of immunization completed by the local medical authority must be provided to school officials at the time of initial registration for placement in the student's health record.

## **Does your child have health concerns?**



Please be sure that you notify the school nurse of any health concerns your child has (i.e., asthma, food allergies, diabetes, seizure disorder, behavior problems that he/she is medicated for). Please be sure to alert the school nurse of ANY medications your child may take at home.

## **Does your child need medication(s) administered during school hours?**



I want to encourage all parents to administer necessary medications to their children at home when possible. When medications must be administered during the school day, the medications must be (1) delivered to the school nurse in the original container (2) properly labeled by the pharmacy with students name, name of medication, dosage and current date. Prior to administration of medication, the physician and parent must complete and sign a "permission for medication form." **NO MEDICATIONS ARE TO BE SENT WITH A CHILD TO SCHOOL. PARENTS SHOULD BRING ALL MEDICATIONS INTO THE SCHOOL.**

## **Have your phone numbers changed?**



Please be sure all phone numbers are kept current. In the event of an emergency, there **MUST** be a phone number where you can be reached.

## **Do you know the 24 hour rule?**



Please do NOT send your child to school if:

1. He/She has had a fever in the past 24 hours
2. He/she has had a diarrhea and/or vomiting in the past 24 hours
3. He/She has been diagnosed with strep throat, pink eye, or any other contagious condition AND has not been on antibiotics
4. He/She has had a bad cough, extremely runny nose or difficulty breathing

