

Healthy People Build Strong Communities

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KIP Project Updates

1. Mid-Year Meeting Planning

I've begun working with the Kansas Immunization Program on developing a session for the MYM. This session will either be something different or a continuation of something presented at the immunization conference in June.

2. Vaccine Buying Group

Continuing to do research on options for a vaccine buying group. There a couple of nationwide groups that might offer discount codes for LHDs. If you are interested in providing feedback, let me know.

3. Kindergarten Vaccination Data Dashboard

The kindergarten immunization coverage data dashboard is now available at KDHE's website. You can view data about vaccination coverage, exemptions, and view school district specific data. You can find the dashboard here: Kindergarten Immunization Data | KDHE, KS

4. Updated Immunization Requirements for School Released

The updated immunization schedules for Kansas students (kindergarten through 12th grade) have been released on KDHE's website. You can view it here: 2023-2024-School-Requirement-K-12-PDF (ks.gov)

5. Upcoming Events

April 24-26, 2023: Immunize Kansas Coalition Regional Meetings Register here: <u>IKC Regional Meetings Survey (surveymonkey.com)</u>

May 12, 2023: CCNKS One Day Immunization Conference

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Other Updates

1. Scope of Practice Matrix

I shared the scope of practice matrix with this group last month, but wanted to circulate it again in case you have not seen it. We are waiting on a final approval from KDHE to share it with the administrator listsery.