



Department of
Health



Starting or moving schools – immunisation records

Why is immunisation important?

Some diseases, like measles and mumps, can be very serious for children, and other people in the community.

In places where people are in close contact, like school, diseases can spread fast.

Help protect your child by making sure they have had all their immunisations.

What do I have to do when my child starts school?

When your child starts school, you need to give the school their Australian immunisation register (AIR) history statement.

Your child's school needs this, so if any children are not fully immunised they can protect them by telling them to stay away from school if there is an outbreak of some diseases.

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