Resources Supporting Schools, Students, Staff, and Families

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Resources

Measles: About the Virus

- **Measles Cases and Outbreaks**: This CDC Web page presents information on the number of cases and locations in the U.S.
  - **Signs and Symptoms**: Describes the disease and its symptoms
  - **Signos y Síntomas del Sarampión** (Español)
  - **Transmission of Measles**: Describes how the disease is spread
  - **Complications**: describes possible complications and those potentially at risk.
  - **Travel Updates**

Measles: Information and Fact Sheets for Parents

- **Measles: It Isn’t Just a Little Rash**
- **Measles and the Vaccine (Shot) to Prevent It**
- **El Sarampión y la Vacuna que lo Previene** (Español)
- **Measles Vaccination**
- **Measles Vaccine Safety**
- **Who Should Not Be Vaccinated?**
- **Five Important Reasons to Vaccinate Your Child**: a “matte article,” free, ready-to-print article that schools can reproduce

Immunization and Vaccinations

- **Vaccine Safety**
- **Immunization Schedules**
- **School Vaccination Web page**: presents state vaccination and documentation requirements

Day-to-day Disease Prevention Resources

- **Effective hand washing**
- **Proper cough and sneeze etiquette**;
- **Routine cleaning and sanitation** policies;

Department of Education’s School Emergency Management Resources

**Readiness and Emergency Management of Schools (REMS) Technical Assistance (TA) Center**

Guidance Documents, Publications, and Resources

- **Fact Sheet: Addressing the Risk of Measles in Schools while Protecting the Civil Rights of Students with Disabilities**
• Preparing for Infectious Disease: Department of Education Recommendations to Ensure the Continuity of Teaching and Learning for Schools (K-12) During Extended Student Absence or School Dismissal
• Supporting Continuity of Teaching and Learning During an Emergency
• Guide for Developing High-Quality School Emergency Operations Plans
• K–12 Six Step Planning Process
• Principles for Creating a High-Quality School Emergency Operations Plan

Webinars
• Information Sharing for Schools and Postsecondary Institutions—the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA)

Online Courses
• Developing Emergency Operations Plans (EOPs) K-12 101
• School EOPs In-Depth: Planning for Infectious Diseases

Specialized Training Packages
• Overview of Six Step Planning Process
• Large Event Planning
• Infectious Disease Planning
• Continuity of Operations Planning