Mid-Delta Head Start Immunization Policy

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Subject: Immunizations And The Law

Upon enrollment of your child in Mid-Delta Head Start, you were asked about immunizations and if they were current or had been started.

Arkansas State Code, 20-78-206 as Amended by Act 870 states that, “Within 15 days of enrollment of a child, The Childcare Facility shall verify the child has been immunized as required by the Arkansas Department of Health or the child cannot remain in care.”

Students are to be immunized in accordance with the Arkansas Department of Health Immunization Service. A current schedule of immunizations is provided alone with this letter.

You have been encouraged to bring these immunizations up-to-date. As of this time, this has not been done and we, in Head Start, find ourselves in the position of having to enforce this law.

As of this date, you will be required to begin these immunizations or at the end of two (2) weeks, we will be forced to drop your child from our program. If we can be of any service in acquiring the necessary immunizations, please let us know. We want your child to remain with Head Start and we will do all possible, with your help, to see that this is done.