## It's the RULE... SHOTS before SCHOOL!



## **Kindergarten Vaccination Requirements**

- Four or more doses of diphtheria, tetanus, and pertussis (DTaP) vaccine, at least one dose on or after age 4.
- Four or more doses of **poliovirus vaccine**, at least one dose on or after age 4.
- Two doses of a measles, mumps, and rubella vaccine (MMR). Minimum age for the first dose is 12 months.
- Two doses of varicella (chickenpox) vaccine. Minimum age for the first dose is 12 months. History of disease is acceptable with parent or guardian signature.

**NOTE:** Although not required for school entry, Hib, Hepatitis A, Hepatitis B, Influenza, and Pneumococcal vaccines are also recommended for your kindergartener.



For more information, talk with your family physician or your local community health nurse about these and other vaccinations your kindergartener should receive.