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Central Valley Health District

Dear Parents and Students:

In-School Tdap and Menactra Vaccinations

Central Valley Health will be offering school based Tdap and Menactra vaccinations to all students in **Grade 5**, on Wednesday April 10. Children will be able to receive their immunizations in school **provided the parent signs the authorization form.**

Central Valley Health only charges for the cost of administration of the shot, which is covered by most major insurance companies and Medicaid. The information highlighted in yellow on the form is needed for us to file with insurance. Others may receive a bill for minimal charge. **No child will be denied vaccinations due to inability to pay.** If you have questions about the cost – please call our office.

The in-school Tdap and Menactra vaccination clinics will be on Wednesday April 10. Your child is not mandated to receive these immunizations at this clinic; you may have your child immunized at a facility of your choice prior to entering middle school. The intent of this in-school immunization clinic is to provide convenience in adhering to state vaccine requirements.

The North Dakota State Law requires that students entering **Middle School** receive Menactra (meningitis) and Tdap (Tetanus, Diphtheria, and Pertussis) immunizations prior to entering this level of their education.

Please contact Central Valley Health District with questions, 252-8130.

Respectfully,
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