

# Washington State's New Chickenpox Vaccine Requirement for Grades 7 - 12

Students in K-6th grade are already required to have two doses of the chickenpox vaccine. The same requirement will now apply to students in grades 7-12. The requirement will start:

- Fall 2015 for 7th-8th grade
- Fall 2016 for 9th-12th grade

**Students who already had two doses of the vaccine do not need to repeat it.**

Talk to your school nurse, healthcare provider, or visit the Department of Health at: [www.doh.wa.gov/VaccineRequirements](http://www.doh.wa.gov/VaccineRequirements)

