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I have pros and cons for the new immunization law proposed.

I do feel that all students need to have their immunizations **prior to coming to school with NO grace period.**

I feel that the 5 day notice is not a reasonable amount of time for any school nurse and we should not have to come in and work over the summer to check immunizations. We do not get paid and or are required to volunteer our time before school starts. The first 5 days of school is so hectic and not even realistic for a school nurse. If our nurse student ratio wasn't so high maybe. When you have many new kids enrolling in school 5 days is not enough time to even look at the shot records. My first few days of school are getting meds brought in from parents and doctors orders.

All Peds offices need to be made aware of this as many doctors do different schedules. The Dr offices need to make the parents aware that they can not enroll or attend school without their vaccines. Period, end of story and take the responsibility off of the nurse.

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