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Good Morning~

In my district the biggest challenge to obtaining a better immunization rate is the 8 month provisional period.

I work in a Middle School and to date I still have 4 students who are not compliant. They are notified at the end of 5th grade when I notify them about their physical exam requirement, and again at the end of 6th grade. In addition they are notified every 60 days during Gr 7, and I spend time on the phone with parents ensuring that there is not an insurance issue.

I also feel that the philosophical/religious exemption needs to be more stringent.

Thank you for taking the time for public comment.

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...I am driven by two main philosophies: know more today about the world than I knew yesterday. And lessen the suffering of others..... Neil deGrasse Tyson