
IMMUNIZATION POLICY

After much consideration, we have established a practice policy that all of my patients must be vaccinated. We follow the AAP vaccine schedule and recommendations. We feel it is in the best interest of all children to be vaccinated. We will allow an alternative schedule for vaccines, but children must receive them according to a schedule set forth by the parent and provider. If a parent chooses not to vaccinate, we will not be able to care for your child.

If following an alternative or delayed schedule with vaccines, we are requiring that infants must receive their first DTAP immunization at the 2 month visit, unless there is a medically necessary reason that the baby should not be vaccinated. All children must be vaccinated with their first MMR vaccine by the age of 2 years. We highly recommend and encourage our patients to have their child vaccinated with the MMR at the 12 month visit.

I understand that some parents have fears against vaccines, but I want to assure you that vaccines are very safe and the diseases that we vaccinate against are much more concerning. As Providers, we feel the obligation to protect our patients that are too young or unable to receive vaccines due to certain medical conditions. We want the best for your child's present and future well being.

We welcome any questions or desires to discuss individual parent concerns.

Sincerely,

Just Us Kids Pediatrics