



Immunisation

At Coin Street Nursery we expect and promote that children are vaccinated in accordance with the government's health policy and their age.

We ask that parents inform us if their children are not vaccinated so that we can manage any risks to their own child or other children, staff and parents in the best way possible. The nursery manager must be aware of any children within the nursery who are not vaccinated in accordance with their age.

We make all parents aware that some children in the nursery may not be vaccinated, due to their age, medical reasons or parental choice. Our nursery does not discriminate against children who have not received their immunisations and will not disclose individual details to other parents. However, we will share the risks of infection if children have not had immunisations and ask parents to sign a disclaimer (see form below).

We record, or encourage parents to record, information about immunisations on children's registration documents and we update this information as and when necessary, including when the child reaches the age for the appropriate immunisations.

Staff vaccinations policy

It is the responsibility of all staff to ensure they keep up-to-date with their vaccinations, as recommended by the NHS vaccination schedule and keep the nursery informed.

If a member of staff is unsure as to whether they are up-to-date, then we recommend that they visit their GP or practice nurse for their own good health.

Emergency information

We keep emergency information for every child and update it every six months with regular reminders to parents in newsletters, at parents' evenings and a reminder notice on the Parent Information Board.

Immunisation Disclaimer Form – to be included in the Child registration form

Name of child	
Date of birth	

Statement	Acknowledgement (please ✓)
I/We acknowledge that all children can be exposed to diseases that can have serious, if not fatal, consequences, e.g. measles, mumps, meningitis and polio.	
I/We are aware of the view of the NHS that the best way to protect children is by immunisation and that this will also help to protect other people with whom the child may come into contact in the setting, such as those with weakened immune systems or newborn babies.	

I/We are aware of the view of the NHS that immunisation is the best defence against epidemics that can kill or disable both children and adults.	
I/We assume full responsibility for my/our decision and confirm that I/we understand the associated risks and benefits and the importance of childhood immunisations in reducing the risk of my/our child contracting serious, potentially fatal diseases.	

Please indicate which vaccines have been received by your child	✓
Diphtheria/Tetanus/Pertussis/Polio/Hib/Hep B	
Pneumococcal	
Men C	
Hib/Men C	
MMR1	
MMRV 1	
Preschool Booster	
MMR2	
MMRV 2	
Rotavirus	
Men B	
None of the above	

Name(s) of parent(s)	
Signature(s)	
Date	

This policy was adopted on	Signed on behalf of the nursery	Date for review
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