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## Consent for Disclosure of Immunization Information to Local and State Health Departments

Immunizations are an important part of keeping our children healthy. Schools and state and local health departments must monitor immunization levels to ensure that all communities are protected from potential life-threatening diseases and, if necessary, respond promptly to an emerging public health threat. It is important that disease threats be minimized through the monitoring of students being immunized.

Sharing immunization and personally identifiable information including the student's name, date of birth, gender, and address with local and state health departments will help to keep your child safe from vaccine preventable diseases. The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), 20 U.S.C. 1232g, requires written parental consent before personally identifiable information from your child's education records is disclosed to the health department. If your child is 18 or over, he or she is an "eligible student" and must provide consent for disclosures of information from his or her education records.

You may withdraw your consent to share this information by checking the Opt-out box and signing below.

Stude	ent's Name:	DOB:
_	ture of Parent/ dian or Eligible Student:	
Printe	ed Parent/Guardian Name:	
Date:		
	<b>OPT- OUT</b> . I do not authorize Northview Public Schools to	share my student's immunization information.
	<b>YES.</b> I authorize Northview Public Schools to release my child's immunization record to the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services and Kent County Health Department. I understand this information will be used to improve the quality and timeliness of immunization services and to help schools comply with Michigan law. This includes any immunization information and limited personally identifiable information from the school.	