State of Connecticut Requirements to enter 7th Grade

## **Current 6th Grade Students**

In order to enter 7<sup>th</sup> grade, the State of Connecticut requires all students must have a current physical exam on file with the school, **dated on or after July 1, 2023**. Students also must have proof of immunizations against tetanus, diphtheria, and pertussis (**Tdap**), and meningococcal (which may appear on his/her immunization form as Menveo, Menquadfi, Menactra, **or** MCV4).

Currently, we do not have the above updated medical information on your child. If your child has had the required physical and immunizations, please obtain a copy from your child's primary care provided and forward to the school nurse prior to the start of school. If a physical and/or immunization is needed, please make an appointment as soon as possible with your child's doctor.

Please note, if we do not have proof that your child meets the State of Connecticut regulations, your child will not be allowed to start 7<sup>th</sup> grade.

If you have any questions, please call the nurse's office at 860-691-5527. Or you can fax the information confidentially to 860-691-5528.

Thank you.

East Lyme Middle School Health Office