

# HEALTH OFFICE INFORMATION

## IMMUNIZATIONS

All students must be in compliance with state regulations concerning immunizations. **Students will not be enrolled until documentation is provided** (i.e. school record, medical record, international travel record, etc.). Pima County Health Department clinic locations are available at [www.pimahealth.org](http://www.pimahealth.org).

## SPORTS PHYSICALS

All students who participate in any school sponsored team sport are required to have a physical exam report on file with the school registrar. Exams are valid for 1 year beginning March 1st and continue into the fall of the following school year.

## MEDICATIONS

All student medications must be furnished by parent/guardian. All prescription medication must be in the original container as prepared by a licensed pharmacist and labeled with the child's name, name of medication, dosage, time to be given and duration of treatment. All non-prescription medication must be in the original unopened container with all directions, dosages and contents clearly marked. Homeopathic, herbal, naturopathic and foreign prescription medications will not be administered. All medications require the signature of a parent/guardian on a *permission form* that can be obtained in the Health Office and is required to be renewed each year.

## INHALERS / EPI PEN

We DO allow middle school students to carry prescription inhalers. Please have your child carry the inhaler in the original box dispensed by the pharmacy as the box displays the prescription label which identifies the medication, recommended dosage and health care provider's name. As per Amphitheater regulation **J-5361©JLCD-R**, students are not allowed to carry and self-administer any medication without a licensed prescriber's written recommendation/authorization on file. **Exceptions: Medication for diagnosed anaphylaxis (Epi Pen), breathing disorders requiring handheld inhaler devices, and diabetes.** Parent/guardian must provide written permission (form available in the school Health Office) for the student to self-administer and carry the medication. Students in violation of this regulation are subject to disciplinary action.

**PLEASE contact the school nurse each school year if your child has any serious illness or health condition. Health office contact information: 520-696-5932 or [jmelnick@amphi.com](mailto:jmelnick@amphi.com)**