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Dear [Parent/Guardian]:

As your child's Primary Care Physician, I'd like to remind you that all children should have the recommended well-child visits and immunizations to help make sure children stay healthy. Over the past two years, COVID-19 has caused interruptions in children's and teen's check-ups and vaccinations. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) recommend children/teens catch up on routine childhood and adolescent immunizations following disruptions from COVID-19 public health emergency.

**Well-child visits are important for many reasons, including:**

- Tracking growth and development milestones
- Discussing any concerns about your child's health
- Getting scheduled immunizations to prevent illnesses like measles, whooping cough (pertussis), meningitis, and other [serious diseases](#)

Making sure that your child sees their doctor for well-child and well-adolescent visits and recommended vaccines is one of the best things you can do to protect your child/teen and community from serious diseases that are easily spread. This is particularly important as children/teens attend in-person learning and care. For more information on recommended immunizations for children and adolescents, please go to the CDC website

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/parents/downloads/parent-ver-sch-0-6yrs.pdf>;

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/downloads/teen/parent-version-schedule-7-18yrs.pdf>

To check your health plan benefits, call the Member Service phone number on your Member ID Card.

Please take a few minutes now to review your child's records and call us. If you are not sure if your child is up to date, contact our office, and we would be happy to assist you. You'll be helping your child maintain good health.

Sincerely,

Physician Name

Practice Name