To Parents:

This fall Dickey County Health District (DCHD) will be holding **Seasonal Influenza (flu)** vaccination clinics in the schools for students in grades K-12. DCHD is committed to increasing the number of children vaccinated against influenza in our community by making vaccinations more convenient for parents. Receiving an influenza vaccination can also help reduce the number of sick days affecting your family.

If you would like your child to receive a seasonal influenza vaccination in school, please follow the steps below:

Consent form

*Fill out all highlighted areas on the influenza vaccine consent form

*The consent form must be completed in ink and signed by a parent or legal guardian

*The consent form and payment, if applicable, must be <u>returned to our office by</u>
September 22

*Your child will not be vaccinated if we do not receive a completed consent form

*Additional forms can be downloaded at: https://dickeynd.com/health-district.php

2. Payment – if applicable

*Use the chart below to determine if payment applies to you

*Payment by cash or check is accepted. Make checks payable to DCHD. Payment may be sent with consent forms

No Insurance/Insurance doesn't cover vaccine*	Medicaid	Medical insurance covers vaccine*
\$20.00 suggested fee per child if able to pay	Ensure Medicaid number is on consent form. Do not send money.	Ensure insurance information is on consent form. Do not send money.

^{*}Please call the number on the back of your insurance card to determine if your policy covers the seasonal flu vaccine.

If you have any questions about your child being vaccinated or the vaccination clinics at your school, please call Dickey County Health District at 349-4348. Visit the North Dakota Department of Health's influenza website for more information: www.ndflu.com

Sincerely,

Dickey County Health District