

# Our Vaccine Policy

We believe that fully vaccinating your child is one of the most important things you can do to secure your child's health. Our practice is pro-vaccination, and we require our patients to follow the vaccine schedule recommended by the American Academy of Pediatrics and to follow the Massachusetts School Immunization Requirement.

- While we do not mandate the flu and COVID-19 vaccines, we highly encourage our patients getting them each year.
- We do not allow for alternative or customized vaccine schedules.
- We require patients who transfer into our practice and are behind on their vaccine schedule to agree to a catch-up schedule to become patients with us.

We know Information comes from many sources, and it can be tough to figure out what exactly to follow. We are here to give you the most up-to-date and medically-accurate information to help you feel confident in your decisions. If you have concerns about the effectiveness or safety of vaccines, we are happy to talk with you about it.

While it is never our goal to part ways with a patient, ultimately, parents who remain firm in choosing not to vaccinate their children according to the Massachusetts School Immunization Requirements will no longer be able to receive care for their children at Peak Pediatric Care. Our commitment to the health and safety of all our patients is unwavering, and we stand by the science of vaccines.