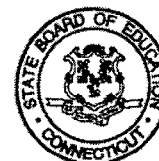




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TO: School Medical Advisors
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SUBJECT: *Revised* HAR-3 Health Assessment Record

State law requires complete primary immunizations and a health assessment by a legally qualified practitioner of medicine, an advanced practice registered nurse or registered nurse, a physician assistant or the school medical advisor prior to school entrance in Connecticut (Connecticut General Statutes [C.G.S.] Sections 10-204a and 10-206). An immunization update and additional health assessments are required in Grade 6 or 7 and in Grade 9 or 10. C.G.S. Section 10-206 (d) further requires that the results of each health assessment be recorded on forms supplied by the State Board of Education (SBE). The HAR-3 Health Assessment Record is the tool utilized by the SBE for such purposes and has been revised as of April 2010. In addition to being utilized as the Health Assessment Form for students' physicals, the revised form may now be used for health assessments required every year for students participating on sports teams. This 3-page document is organized as follows:

- page one – Part I To be completed by parent/guardian;
- page two – Part II Medical Evaluation; and
- page three – Immunization Record.

The Revised HAR-3 Health Assessment Record is available at the Connecticut State Department of Education (CSDE) Health Promotion Services/School Nurse Web site at <http://www.sde.ct.gov/sde/cwp/view.asp?a=2678&q=320768> (scroll down to "**Health Forms**"). The revised forms will be distributed to school districts in the month of June 2010.

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