



My Kids

Pediatric Partners

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Vaccine Policy

Dr. Sudo and her nurse practitioner have done their best to support families who are concerned about vaccinating their children. Our philosophy has been that it is our role to provide reasoned, scientific information that can help alleviate those concerns and ultimately encourage all parents to comply with the recommendations of the medical community. Unfortunately, there is a small group of parents that insist that they will not vaccinate their children, or that they have found a schedule of vaccination that they feel is safer than the schedule recommended by health care experts worldwide. Groups in our society that use the Internet to spread a variety of untruths have promoted this phenomenon. Numerous worldwide scientific studies have confirmed the safety of vaccines.

At My Kids Pediatric Partners, we firmly believe in the effectiveness of vaccines to prevent serious illness and to save lives. We firmly believe in the safety of our vaccines, based on all available literature, evidence, and current studies. Vaccines do not cause autism or other developmental disabilities. We firmly believe that all children should receive all of the recommended vaccines according to the schedule published by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP).

All of the children of our staff have been fully vaccinated. All of our providers believe that vaccinating your children may be the *single most important* health-promoting and life-saving intervention that you can perform as parents. .

Our practice will not accept new families that do not vaccinate their children.

Parents or caregivers who don't agree with the My Kids Pediatric Partners vaccine policy will be given a 1 month grace period to find another Pediatrics practice. Please recognize that by not vaccinating you are putting your child at unnecessary risk for life-threatening illness and disability, even death.

Child's Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____

By signing this, I agree to vaccinate my child according to the current vaccine schedule outline by the CDC and AAP.