

Ottawa, September 15th, 2021

UPDATE | Personnel Vaccination Policy

FORMAL COMMUNICATION

Dear Parents and Guardians,

We know that you are concerned about the health and safety of your children and that you want every measure to be taken to protect them.

We are informing you that, last night, at the School Board's Public Meeting, school trustees proposed and adopted a resolution requesting that the School Board's Executive Team prepare the draft of a mandatory immunization policy for all staff of the Conseil des écoles publiques de l'Est de l'Ontario (CEPEO), school counselors, visitors and service providers. This draft policy will be presented to Board members at the September 28th Public Meeting. You will be informed of the details of this policy following the September 28th Board meeting.

We invite you to review the documentation related to the September 14th Public Board Meeting by clicking on this [link](#).

Please be reminded that the mandatory disclosure of COVID-19 vaccination status for all CEPEO employees has been in effect since September 7th, as required by the Ministry of Education. Employees are required to inform their employer of their vaccination status. This information remains confidential and will not be shared with the public.

Also note that data on the number of vaccinated and unvaccinated employees of CEPEO are now published on our website as requested by the Ministry of Education. ([Follow the link](#))

Back to School Guide and Public Health Resources

Lastly, I invite you to regularly review our *2021-2022 Back-to-School Guide* by following this [link](#) and updated public health resources in your jurisdiction (follow the [link](#)).

I thank you for your trust and cooperation in a context that is sometimes difficult and complex.

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