HOW TO REQUEST AN IMMUNIZATION RECORD FROM CIRTS

Connecticut Immunization Registry and Tracking System (CIRTS) is the statewide childhood immunization registry, operated by the CT Department of Public Health (DPH).

Immunization data from CIRTS can only be released to the following:

- the pediatric provider of the child; the Director of Health of the town/district in which the child resides and any outreach staff duly designated by the Director of Health to track children late for immunizations; the school nurse of the child; the child's parent (unless the parent's rights have been terminated pursuant to a court order) or legal guardian.
- *Only* with the written permission of the child's parent/legal guardian can CIRTS release immunization data to anyone who does not meet the regulations listed above for access.
- Parents can call CIRTS at (860) 509-7929 to request their child's Official Immunization Certificate, needed for daycare, camp, school, and when transferring to a new doctor/clinic.
- Daycare staff can send a FAX to (860) 509-8370 to request a child's immunization record with a Signed Release of Information from their parent.
 - CIRTS Release of Information in English-Spanish (pdf) is on our DPH website: <u>http://www.ct.gov/dph/lib/dph/infectious_diseases/immunization/cirts/cirts_release_o</u> <u>f_confidential_info_-_eng-span.pdf</u>
 - Or you may use your daycare's release of information form.
- All children born in CT are automatically enrolled unless the parent opts out. A child born outside of CT can be manually enrolled. CIRTS Enrollment Forms are available on our DPH website at: <u>http://www.ct.gov/dph/cwp/view.asp?a=3136&Q=388412&PM=1#4</u>

How can I enroll my child if he or she is not currently in CIRTS? <u>Click here</u> for an English CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a Spanish CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for an Albanian CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for an Arabic CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a Chinese CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a Creole CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a French CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a French CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a Polish CIRTS Enrollment form. <u>Click here</u> for a Russian CIRTS Enrollment form.

Send the completed form to: **Mail:** Department of Public Health, Immunization Program 410 Capitol Avenue, MS# 11MUN Hartford, CT 06134 **Or Fax:** (860) 509-8370

