



# SOUTH WESTERN SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Dear Parents:

South Western School District has been selected to be the next district to receive the H1N1 vaccine through YAMMRS (York Adams Metropolitan Medical Response System). Vaccines will be given according to the following schedule and during the school day:

**December 7th** – West Manheim Elementary, 9:00 A.M. to 2:15 P.M.

**December 8th** – Park Hills Elementary and Baresville Elementary, 9:00 A.M. to 2:15 P.M.

**December 9th** – EHMIS, Manheim Elementary, and South Western High School, 8:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

1. We are not accepting any new permission forms.
2. Students who have submitted permission forms will only be able to receive the vaccine if they are in attendance the day the vaccine is being given in their assigned building.
3. If a permission slip indicates that the child could receive the vaccination through an injection or the nasal mist, the child will receive the nasal mist.
4. Any student who has submitted a permission slip will receive a card indicating that he/she has been vaccinated.
5. If the child refuses the vaccination, it will be indicated on the card.
6. Students with a permission form with missing information will not be vaccinated.
7. If your child is absent the day of the vaccine, please check the YAMMRS website ([www.yammrs.org](http://www.yammrs.org)) for dates of mass vaccination sites in York County.
8. If your child has recently received the nasal mist for seasonal flu, please contact your pediatrician to see if enough time has lapsed for him/her to receive the H1N1 vaccine.
9. Also, please contact your school nurse if you completed a permission form and your child has already received the H1N1 vaccine at another site.
10. Elementary students are encouraged to bring a favorite stuffed animal for comfort.
11. More information about the vaccines can be found on our district website ([www.swsd.k12.pa.us](http://www.swsd.k12.pa.us)).

If you have any questions, please contact your building principal or school nurse.

Sincerely,

Barbara A. Rupp  
Superintendent

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