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COVID-19 vaccination for children and young people aged 12 to 15 years

Dear Parent/Guardian

Hounslow and Richmond Community Healthcare NHS Trust (HRCH) vaccination team will be returning to your child's school on **Thursday 17th March 2022** to offer the Pfizer COVID vaccination to pupils aged between 12 and 15 years who have not yet received their first dose or require a second dose vaccination. (Second doses are being given at an interval of at least 12 weeks from a first dose).

Please note that if your child has had covid within the previous 12 weeks they will not be eligible to have the vaccine on this date.

If you would like to consent to them receiving a first or second dose vaccination at school, please complete the following electronic consent form: https://hrch.jotform.com/220122746116950

If you are unable to open the link, please try downloading this letter, or if you are using a laptop or desktop computer, hold the 'ctrl' key on your keyboard and click on the link to open.

The enclosed leaflet includes further information about the vaccine. Paper consent forms are also available from the school.

The deadline for consent forms is on **9am on Tuesday 15th March 2022**. If we receive consent to vaccinate your child after this point, they may not be vaccinated during the scheduled visit as our vaccination team are only able to bring enough vaccine to the school site, for the number of pupils that have consented in advance.

If your child has the vaccination, details will be added to their health records. If you have any questions or you would like to discuss the vaccination with a member of the HRCH vaccination team, please contact us on the telephone number or email address below:

Tel: 0208 614 5306 / email: Hrch.schoolcovid19vaccine@nhs.net

Yours sincerely

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