



Kearney County Health Services

727 East First Street Minden NE 68959

Kearney County Hospital
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(308) 832-1440

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846 E Hawthorne Minden NE 68959
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Vaccines for Children is a federally-funded and state-operated vaccine supply program that provides free vaccines to VFC-eligible children. Through the combined efforts of public immunization clinics and private physicians, the program strives to increase vaccine coverage levels nationwide.

Children must meet one of the following criteria to be eligible for VFC vaccines:

- Enrolled in the Medicaid program
- Have no health insurance coverage
- American Indian or Alaskan Native
- Underinsured: the child may have some health insurance but the benefit plan does not include immunizations. **Underinsured children are eligible to receive VFC vaccines only if they are served by a Federally Qualified Health Center or Certified Rural Health Center ***

** If a child's insurance provider covers immunization, then that child is not eligible to receive VFC vaccines regardless of whether the deductible has been met or not.*

The VFC program was created to meet the vaccination needs of children from birth through 18 years as recommended by the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP). The ACIP and the American Academy of Pediatrics are working closely to ensure uniformity in the childhood immunization schedule. The vaccines available through the VFC program currently include nine vaccines: diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, Haemophilus influenza type b, poliomyelitis, measles, mumps, rubella, and hepatitis B.

Parents do not need an appointment for vaccines and may obtain this service at any time during regular clinic hours, however an appointment is recommended to avoid a long wait.

Minden Medical Clinic 244 North Minden Avenue Minden NE 68959 Phone: (308) 832-1911	Kenesaw Community Health Services 109 West Elm Street Kenesaw NE 68956 Phone: (402) 752-3662
Monday thru Friday 8:30 AM – 4:30 PM Saturday 8:30 AM – 11:30 AM	Monday thru Friday 1:30 PM – 4:30 PM Saturday (closed)

Kearney County Health Services will charge a VCF vaccine administration fee of \$8.00 for the first vaccine and \$5.00 for each additional vaccination. Payment is due and expected to be made at the time of service. **It is important for parents to pay the administration fees to help cover KCHS' costs for providing this service; however KCHS will provide the vaccinations to VCF eligible children regardless of the parent's ability to pay at the time of service.**

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