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## REMINDER

TO: All Public School District and Private School Administrators  
FROM: Kern County Department of Public Health, CHDP Program  
DATE: January 26, 2010  
RE: **School Entry Packets Are Still Available Online!**

Each school that has children enrolling in kindergarten is required to provide information to the parents or guardians of those children on the importance of receiving a health screening before the **start** of first grade. Health screenings are given at an early age to detect problems that may interfere with learning. This parent information is called the SCHOOL ENTRY PACKET.

Just a reminder, all the material for the packet is still available **online** and can be accessed through the new County webpage. The **new** online address is:

<http://www.kernpublichealth.com/departments/CHDP/CHDP.html>

☞ Click on "School Entry Packet"

Please call Sharon Hayes, Provider Relations at 868-0353 if you have any questions. If you have specific questions regarding resources on immunizations, please call the KCDPH Immunization Section at 868-0510.

To receive future correspondence electronically, please send your e-mail address to: [hayess@co.kern.ca.us](mailto:hayess@co.kern.ca.us) Thank you.

