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Dear Parent or Guardian:

As a part of your child's requirements for school, a physical examination has been required for students in Prekindergarten or Kindergarten and in Grades 2, 4, 7 and 10. A law was recently enacted that expands health screenings to include the dental health of students in New York State.

After September 1, 2008, when we require that your child have a physical examination, we will be requesting a dental certificate as well. There is a sample certificate available for you to take to your child's dentist and once it is completed, it should be returned to the School Nurse as it will be filed in your child's Cumulative Health Record.

Thank you for your cooperation in this new health endeavor. Our students benefit when we work together to promote the health and achievement of all students.

Please call the school's Health Office if you have any questions or concerns.

\_\_\_\_\_, School Nurse

School Name  
Health Office Phone Number