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**TDaP, Meningitis Vaccines Offered to Upcoming 7th Graders**

The Mid-Ohio Valley Health Department is partnering with several local middle schools to bring TDaP and Meningitis vaccines to students.

In order to receive the vaccines, paperwork must be completed by a student's parents or legal guardian. Paperwork is available from the school nurse.

The MOVHD's mobile clinical staff will be visiting Williamstown Middle School/High School, Jackson Middle School, Edison Middle School and Hamilton Middle School on Thursday, April 2.

TDaP is a tetanus, diphtheria and pertussis vaccine which is recommended for ages 11-12. The meningitis vaccine is recommended for the same age group, and then a booster at 16.

For more information about vaccination, contact the Mid-Ohio Valley Health Department at 304-485-7374.

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The Mid-Ohio Valley Health Department serves Wood, Wirt, Calhoun, Pleasants, Ritchie and Roane Counties. It is located at 1824 Murdoch Ave. in Parkersburg. The offices are open 8 a.m.

to 4 p.m. Call 304-485-7374 or visit the website, [movhd.com](http://movhd.com) for more information. Follow them at Mid-Ohio Valley Health Department MOVHD on Facebook and @MOVHealthDept on Instagram, Twitter, YouTube and LinkedIn.