





## **School Immunization**

Ottawa Public Health nurses currently provide in-school clinics in about 100 Ottawa schools. Hepatitis B and Meningitis vaccines are available for Grade 7 students and for Grade 8 students who missed past clinics. These vaccines will also be offered at evening "catch-up" clinics for students who missed the vaccine(s) at their school. The HPV vaccine (Gardasil) is available for all Grade 8 female students. Starting in September 2012, female students who have not completed their HPV immunization series or did not receive the HPV vaccine in Grade 8 may receive the publicly funded HPV vaccine until the end of Grade 12. The HPV vaccine will be offered by appointment at an Ottawa Public Health evening "catch-up" clinic.

For more information about the School Immunization Clinics Program contact Ottawa Public Health at 613-580-6744 or visit <a href="https://www.ottawa.ca/health">www.ottawa.ca/health</a>.