

1-1 By: Zedler (Senate Sponsor - Deuell) H.B. No. 1316
1-2 (In the Senate - Received from the House April 27, 2005;
1-3 April 29, 2005, read first time and referred to Committee on Health
1-4 and Human Services; May 16, 2005, reported favorably by the
1-5 following vote: Yeas 6, Nays 0; May 16, 2005, sent to printer.)

1-6 A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
1-7 AN ACT

1-8 relating to immunization requirements for children in regulated
1-9 child-care facilities.

1-10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

1-11 SECTION 1. Section 42.043(b), Human Resources Code, is
1-12 amended to read as follows:

1-13 (b) The department shall require that each child at an
1-14 appropriate age have a test for tuberculosis and be immunized
1-15 against diphtheria, tetanus, poliomyelitis, mumps, rubella, ~~and~~
1-16 rubeola, invasive pneumococcal disease, and hepatitis A and against
1-17 any other communicable disease as recommended by the ~~[Texas]~~
1-18 Department of State Health Services. The immunization must be
1-19 effective on the date of first entry into the facility. However, a
1-20 child may be provisionally admitted if the required immunizations
1-21 have begun and are completed as rapidly as medically feasible.

1-22 SECTION 2. This Act takes effect September 1, 2005.

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