



# 2019 LEGISLATIVE PRIORITIES

New York State American Academy of Pediatrics (NYS AAP)  
*A Coalition of AAP NY Chapters 1, 2 & 3*

## WORKING TO SUPPORT AND ENHANCE CHILDREN'S HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

### Flu Vaccine in Infant & Child Care

A.02316/S.02276

Requires infants, toddlers and young children to get an annual flu immunization to attend infant & child care.

### Medical Exemptions Only for Immunizations

A.02371/S.02994

Eliminate all but Medical Exemptions for Immunizations to attend school. Would make NYS a Medical Exemption Only state for Immunization Exemptions.

### Allow Minors Age 14 & Over to Consent to Immunizations

A.6564/S.4244

Using mature minor consent platform to allow minors to consent to all of their own AAP schedule vaccinations.

### Lowering State Blood Lead Action Level

A.05779/S.01028

Lowers Lead Blood Action Level from the current 10 ug/dL to 5ug/dL this year. Legislation also offers SDOH the option of continuing to lower the level by regulation to meet CDC guidelines.

### Children's Toxic Labeling & Disclosure Act

A.6296

Requires identification and labeling of chemicals of high concern in children's clothing, toys and accessories.



## Tobacco 21

A.00558/S.02833

Raises purchase age to 21 statewide.

## Crib Bumpers

A.00217/S.03788

Limits the sale of crib bumpers to only mesh bumpers which are fully porous.

## NY Health Act

Creates a statewide public, single payer health care coverage system.

## Payment for Vaccines

*No number available*

Exploring reintroduction this year.

## Allow Physicians to Engage in Collective Bargaining

*No number available*

Exploring reintroduction this year.

