

MILLER PLACE ATHLETICS

*Office of Athletics, Physical Education,
Health and Intramurals*

15 Memorial Drive

Miller Place, New York

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SPORTS PHYSICALS – POLICY CHANGE 2017/2018

May 1st, 2017

Dear Miller Place Community:

This letter is to communicate to the parents of athletes the District's procedure changes associated with our Sports Physical policy. Previously the district only accepted sports physicals performed by our Board of Education approved physicians. These sports physicals were administered during school hours through a sign-up process and the costs were covered through the district. Beginning this Spring there will be changes to provide flexibility and limit disruption to the academic process during the school day.

Starting in May of 2017 the following will be the policy for School Sports Physicals required for athletic participation.

1. Sports physicals will no longer be offered during the school day. Instead there will be a select number of days and times where sports physicals will be offered outside of the school day. Those dates are noted at the end of the document distributed via email. A copy may also be found on the district website. The cost of the sports physicals offered through our district approved medical physicians on these dates will still be covered as in the past by the district.
2. Additionally sports physicals will also be accepted from private, personal or family physicians of choice under the following conditions:
 - a. These examinations must be completed and submitted on Miller Place School District forms.
 - b. These examinations are not financially covered or reimbursed by the Miller Place School District
 - c. No Sports physical for the following school year will be accepted with an examination date before May 1st. (EX: No sports physical before May 1st, 2017 can be accepted for athletic participation for the 2017-2018 school year).
 - d. If there is an issue with blood pressure falling out of an acceptable range, the participant must be seen and approved through a School Medical Physician before participation is permitted. This secondary evaluation will be at the District's expense.
 - e. These examinations must be scheduled and completed before the start of the season of participation

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The scheduled dates and times for all Miller Place High School and NCR Middle School athletes for the School Doctor to conduct the physicals are as follows:

Sport Physicals Schedule 2017

Date	Location	Time	Students
6/6/17	Miller Place High School	2:30-4:30pm	Current 9-11
6/7/17	Miller Place High School	2:30-4:30pm	Current 9-11
6/8/17	Miller Place High School	2:30-4:30pm	Current 9-11
6/9/17	North Country Road MS	3:00-5:00pm	Current 6-8
6/12/17	North Country Road MS	3:00-5:00pm	Current 6-8
6/13/17	North Country Road MS	3:00-5:00pm	Current 6-8
8/10/17	Miller Place High School	10am-12pm	All Grades 6-12

These dates of services are the only opportunities for sports physicals to be financially covered by the Miller Place School District.

Should you have any questions or concerns about the process please feel free to contact the Athletic Office @ 631-474-2723 x 307 during school hours.

Sincerely,

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