

# **S.1618** THE COMMUNITY IMMUNITY ACT

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#### BY THE NUMBERS: KIDS AT RISK

Among the schools that reported immunization and exemption data for the 2023-2024 academic year:

### Programs lacking community protection against the spread of MEASLES

141 (12%) 180 (21%)

Childcare Kindergarten

44 (9%) 38 (10%) 32 (42%)

Grade 7

Grade 12

College



## Programs lacking community protection against the spread of **PERTUSSIS**

169 (14%) 153 (18%)

Childcare Kindergarten

169 (34%) 38 (10%) 37 (48%) Grade 7

Grade 12 College



#### Programs lacking community protection against the spread of POLIO

37 (3%) 15 (2%)

Childcare Kindergarten



Percentages are calculated based on the total number of reporting schools with publicly visible data. The Department of Public Health data did not include polio vaccination rates for grades 7 or 12 or college. Source data available at www.mass.gov/info-details/school-immunizations