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Dear Member:

Summer is almost over. That means a new school year will start soon. Schools require that all shots are up to date before the first day of school.

Teens and young adults need immunizations, too! Each year children, teens and young adults ages 4 to 21 should visit their doctor to have a yearly well visit. For members under the age of 21 years, this well visit is called an Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnostic and Treatment (EPSDT) exam.

You should call your child's doctor to ask if it is time for these services:

<u>Age</u>	<u>Recommendations</u>
4-6	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Yearly EPSDT exam (well visit)▪ Dental, vision, & hearing screening▪ Blood lead test if never tested▪ A review of your child's shot record to get any that his/her school needs your child to get▪ Yearly flu shot
7-10	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Yearly EPSDT exam (well visit)▪ Dental, vision, & hearing screening▪ A review of your child's shot record to get any that his/her school needs your child to get▪ Yearly flu shot

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- 11-17
 - Yearly EPSDT exam (well visit)
 - Dental, vision, & hearing screening
 - A review of your child's shot record to get any that his/her school needs your child to get, including Tdap, HPV(3) and meningitis vaccine
 - Yearly flu shot

- 18-21
 - Yearly EPSDT exam (well visit)
 - Dental, vision, & hearing screening
 - A review of your child's shot record to get any that his/her school needs your child to get, including meningitis vaccine if going to college
 - Baseline cholesterol screen
 - Yearly flu shot

If you have any questions, or need help with a ride or finding a doctor, please call the Quality Improvement Department at 1-844-432-8930. You can also visit our website at CareSource.com to use the Find a Doctor/Provider tool.

Best wishes for a happy and healthy school year!

Sincerely,

CareSource Quality Improvement Department