

OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

H1N1 Flu Vaccination Parent Survey

RESULTS: October 12, 2009

Last week the Darien Public Schools conducted an online survey of families as part of our studying the feasibility of hosting Town of Darien H1N1 flu vaccination clinics at our school sites. The following data was provided by parent responses:

1. When adequate vaccine is available, I plan to have my child/children vaccinated:

- A. **661** At a town/school hosted clinic (72.9% of those responding)
- B. **88** At our doctor's office (9.7% of those responding)
- C. **158** Not at all (17.4% of those responding)

907 TOTAL Individual Responses

2. Of those responding as "A" above, the number of children at each school is:

356 Darien High School	27.7% of 1,284 Oct. 1 st enrollment
391 Middlesex Middle School	33.8% of 1,156 Oct. 1 st enrollment
60 Hindley School	11.3% of 532 Oct. 1 st enrollment
130 Holmes School	26.9% of 483 Oct. 1 st enrollment
113 Ox Ridge School	23.6% of 478 Oct. 1 st enrollment
153 Royle School	34.4% of 444 Oct. 1 st enrollment
137 <u>Tokeneke School</u>	<u>34.2% of 401 Oct. 1st enrollment</u>
1,340 TOTAL K-12	28.0% of 4,778 Oct. 1 st enrollment

We are forwarding this data to the Darien Director of Health, David Knauf, so that he can make more definitive decisions, based upon this data and what he learns about a estimated timetable for receipt of vaccine and the quantities allocated to Darien. When further details have been established, parents will be notified of the vaccination logistics.

Thank you to all parents in the District who assisted us by completing the survey.

Thank you. Don Fiftal, Superintendent of Schools.