**MUNTERCONNAUGHT COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**ASSOCIATION CLG**

**SUPERKIDS**

**IMMUNISATION POLICY**

March 2024

**Policy Statement**

SuperKids respects the right of parents to choose whether or not to have their child immunised and understands that not all children who attend SuperKids will be immunised. Children in groups are prone to picking up infections and they can spread quickly, It is our belief that immunisation gives a child protection from disease as well as protecting others around them.

**Principle**

This policy is underpinned by the Childcare (Preschool Services) Regulations 2006.

**Terms of Policy**

SuperKids is legally obliged to keep a record of all children’s immunisations and requires all parents/guardians to provide the following information before the child attends the preschool:

* name and date of birth of child;
* age at which immunisation was due and date given;
* date of vaccination record;
* where and by whom the vaccination was given;
* whether or not the child is up-to-date with immunisations; and
* if the child has not been immunised, the reasons why – e.g. parental choice/underlying medical condition.

SuperKids will keep a record of all children who have not received immunisation.

It is the responsibility of parents/guardians to keep SuperKids up to date with their child’s immunisations.

Should there be an outbreak of infectious/contagious illness/disease, parents/guardians and staff will be informed as soon as practically possible.

The Manager and all staff of SuperKids and the Directors of Munterconnaught Community Development Association CLG, being the registered service provider of SuperKIds, are not in any way liable for any issues/problems health or other resulting in any way from a child nor being immunised,