

Florida Voters Strongly Support Maintaining School Vaccine Requirements



New statewide poll shows nearly 8 in 10 (79%) Floridians support keeping Florida's long-standing school vaccine requirements.

Bipartisan support across every region, political affiliation, and demographic, including:

71%
Republicans

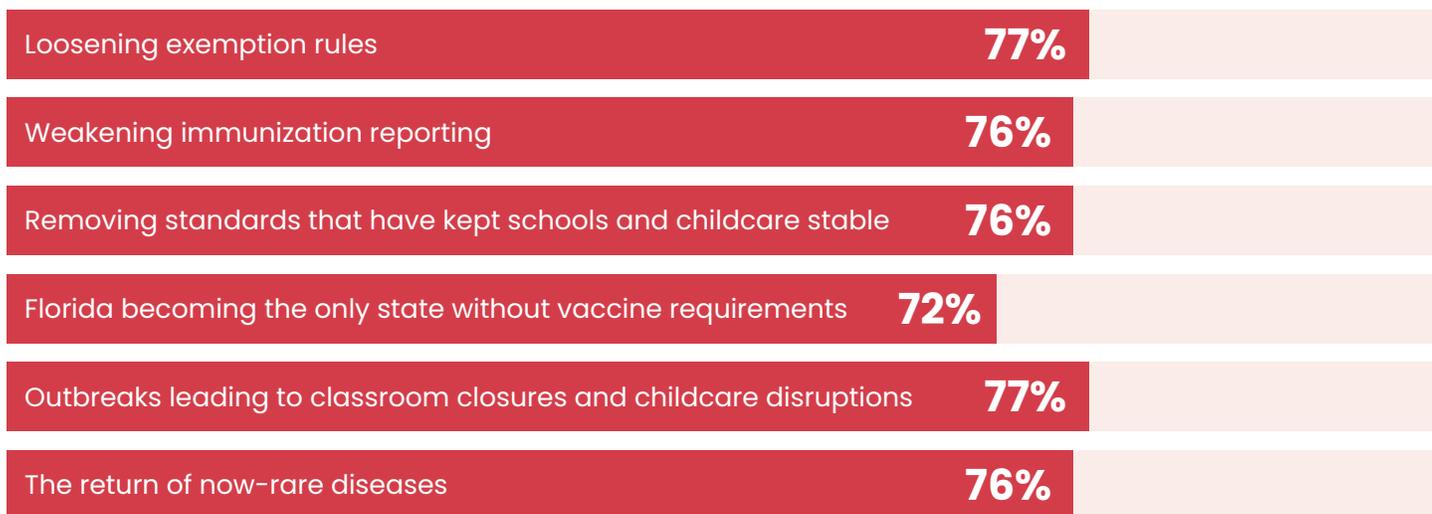
84%
NPAs

78%
Hispanic voters

70%
Trump voters

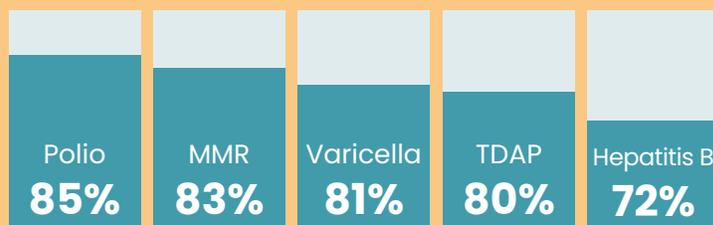
Voters Oppose Weakening or Eliminating Requirements

Florida voters strongly oppose (65%) eliminating childhood vaccine requirements. More than 70% of Florida voters say they are more likely to **support keeping school vaccine requirements** when told about risks of:



Broad Support for Specific Childhood Vaccines

Florida voters show strong support (65%) for **maintaining childhood vaccine requirements** for school-aged children, with strong support for key vaccines:



- **74%** are concerned about preventable disease outbreaks if requirements are weakened
- **84%** agree childhood vaccines have a proven track record of keeping kids safe
- **66%** say they would be less likely to support a legislator who votes to eliminate vaccine requirements.
- **72%+** are more likely to support keeping requirements when told about risks of loosening exemptions.

Across Florida, voters are aligned: **they support keeping proven vaccine protections in place for children and the leaders who help uphold them.** Families want to prevent disease outbreaks, maintain stability in schools and childcare, and reject changes, including new exemptions, that weaken long-standing safeguards.

Poll conducted January 5-8, 2026 by McLaughlin & Associates; N=1,000 likely voters; margin of error ±3.1%.