

**Brooks Health & Wellness Center**

**Immunization Requirements Religious Exemption Form**

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| **Last Name:** | Click here | **First Name**: | Click here |

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| **Student ID:** | Click here | **Birthdate:** | Click here  | **Phone/Cell:** | Click here |

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| **Address:** | Click here | **City:** | Click here  | **State:** | Click here | **Zip:** | Click here |

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| **Parent/Guardian:** | Click here | **Phone/Cell:** | Click here |

**Religious Exemption**

A religious exemption *may* be granted within the following parameters:

Religious beliefs include those that are theistic and non-theistic, moral, and ethical in nature, but must be sincerely held with the strength of traditional religious views. Personal preferences do not constitute religious beliefs. A written statement must be submitted that clearly explains why the immunization is contrary to the individual’s belief. If the student is a minor, a parent’s signature must be included on the written statement.

Please submit this form by mail or fax to Brooks Health Center along with documentations **(notarized)** from a clergy official stating that you have specific religious beliefs and practices the preclude you from receiving vaccinations

**Measles, Mumps, Rubella (MMR) Information**

To prevent the risk of measles outbreak on campus, the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and American College Health Association (ACHA) have advised students enrolling in a college or university to be immunized with two doses of the MMR (Measles, Mumps, Rubella vaccine. For additional information on measles prevention and control go to CDC’s website: <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines.vpd-vac/measles>

**Tetanus, Diphtheria, Pertussis (TDAP) Information**

To prevent the risk of a Tetanus, Diphtheria or Pertussis outbreak on campus, the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and American College Health Association (ACHA) have advised students enrolled in a college or university receive and initial immunization with DTap, DTP, DT or Td. For more information of Tetanus, Diphtheria and Pertussis. Go to the CDC’S website: <http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/vpd-vac/DTap-Td-DT/Tdap.htm>.

**Acknowledgement Statement**

I have read and understand the MMR and TDAP information above and I understand the risk and benefits of the MMR and TDAP vaccines. I hereby acknowledge that I have a medical condition that precludes me from receiving vaccinations.

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| **Student E Signature**: | Click here | **Date:** | Click here |

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| **Parent/Guardian E Signature:** | Click here | **Date:** | Click here |

\*\*Parent signature required if student is younger than 18 years old\*\*

**PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO ADDRESS BELOW OR E-MAIL PRIOR TO REGISTERING FOR CLASSES**:

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