

EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION

Please read instructions on the reverse of this certificate before completing. All entries must be legible or form will be returned. Please print unless signature is required.

Name of Student (Last, First, MI) Birth Date Student Identification Number

TYPE OF EXEMPTION (Complete either section 1, 2 or 3 and sections 4 & 5)

1. MEDICAL CONTRAINDICATION:

I hereby certify that the immunization(s) specified below are medically contraindicated for the above named person.

Immunization(s) State the condition that would endanger the life or health of the person.

Printed name of Physician Signature of Physician

Address of Physician Phone number of Physician

2. RELIGIOUS OBJECTION:

I hereby certify that immunization is contrary to the teachings of the above named student's religion.

Printed name of Religious Leader Signature of Religious Leader

Religious Leader Street address City State Zip Phone Number

3. PERSONAL OBJECTION:

I Hereby certify that immunization is contrary to my beliefs. I request an exemption to the immunization requirements for school attendance. I have written a brief summary of my objections in the space provided below. I understand that lost records are not grounds for an exemption.

REQUIRED: Summary of Objections: (Limit to 600 characters)

4. Please check which immunizations this exemption applies to:

- Meningitis MMR (Measles, Mumps and Rubella) Hepatitis B All

5. Acknowledgement

I understand that in the event of a disease outbreak at East Central University, I may have to be excluded for my protection and for the protection of the other students at ECU.

Print name Signature Date

If the student is younger than 18 a parent or legal guardian must sign.

Print name of parent Parent Signature Date

INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETING THE CERTIFICATE OF EXEMPTION

Oklahoma law requires that all students attending college in this state submit acceptable evidence of adequate immunization. Such evidence is required before the student is allowed to enter or attend. Students with specific medical contraindications to any or all immunizations may be allowed to attend if the medical reason is stated and this statement is signed by a licensed physician and submitted to the institution. Students who have objections to immunizations based on religious teachings or personal beliefs can also apply for an exemption.

Copies of immunization records and any Certificate of Exemption must be on file with the institution and available for review.

LOST IMMUNIZATION RECORDS

Lost immunizations records are not grounds for an exemption to Oklahoma Law. Students who have lost records should be referred to their local health department or family physician. The nurse or doctor can interpret the past immunization history and provide any needed immunizations and create a record that can be submitted to the college and transcribed for the student's record.

EXCLUSION DURING A DISEASE OUTBREAK

A disease outbreak in East Central University will very likely result in exposure of students attending on the basis of an exemption. These students are very likely to be susceptible to the diseases and therefore may have to be excluded for the duration of any outbreak for their own health and for the health of the other students. Students should be informed of this possibility before signing a Certificate of Exemption.