



RIDER UNIVERSITY

Student Health Services

Request for Religious Exemption to Vaccinations

Student Name _____ **Date of Birth** _____

NJ state law (NJAC 8:57-6.15) indicates that an institution of higher education shall exempt a student from mandatory immunization if the student objects thereto in a written statement submitted to the institution, signed by the student (or a parent or legal guardian if a minor) explaining how the administration of immunizing agents conflicts with the student's religious beliefs.

Requesting Exemption for:
MMR__ Hepatitis B__ Meningitis__

Statement for Exemption: *Objections to vaccinations based on grounds which are not religious in nature and which are of a philosophical, moral, secular, or more general nature are unacceptable.*

To be signed by student:

I understand that because of the above stated religious exemption to receiving the specific immunizations indicated I may be temporarily excluded from classes and from participating in institution-sponsored activities during a vaccine-preventable disease outbreak or threatened outbreak.

Signature: _____ Date: _____