

BCF Immunization Form

All Immunization and vaccination recommendations follow CDC guidelines found at <http://www.cdc.gov/nip/publications/vis/default.htm>.
No recommendations about specific diseases, immunizations, vaccinations contained herein are made by The Baptist College of Florida.
Print all information legibly. Provide first name, middle initial, last name, DOB, and intended entrance semester.

Full Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____-_____-_____
Intended Semester: Fall 20__ Spring 20__ Summer 20__

A. Measles and Rubella Immunizations. Required for EVERYONE born after Dec. 31, 1956

1. MMR: This combination vaccine is often given because it can protect from measles, mumps, and rubella. The vaccines are required for entry into BCF. Children must receive two doses at least 28 days apart as per CDC guidelines.
2. Measles (Rubeola): Two doses are required.
3. Rubella (German Measles): One dose is required.

1. MMR (Measles/Mumps/Rubella) or 2. Measles (Rubeola) and 3. Rubella (German Measles)
Dose 1 Date: ___/___/___ Dose 1 Date: ___/___/___ Date: ___/___/___
Dose 2 Date: ___/___/___ Dose 2 Date: ___/___/___ or Titer Date: ___/___/___
or Titer Date: ___/___/___

B. This section is required. READ CAREFULLY. You MUST either have the vaccines or sign a waiver stating you have read about these diseases and decline the vaccines

1. Menomune/Menactra (meningococcal meningitis vaccine): The Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP) currently recommends this vaccine for freshmen planning to live in campus dormitories/residence halls. Students wishing to decline the vaccine must first read the information in the box below. **Signing the waiver indicates that you understand the possible risk involved in not receiving this vaccine. If you are under the age of 18, a parent or guardian must sign the waiver for you.**

Menomune/Menactra (for meningococcal meningitis) Date: ___/___/___ or Read and sign waiver below.

Waiver Statement-Meningococcal Meningitis: College students, especially freshmen living in residence halls, are at a slightly increased risk for contracting meningococcal disease. The bacterial form of this disease can lead to serious complications such as swelling of the brain, coma, and even death within a short period of time. Two vaccines are currently available that decrease, but do not completely eliminate, a person's risk of acquiring meningococcal meningitis. Meningitis is an infection of fluid surrounding the brain and the spinal cord. Meningococcal disease also causes blood infections. It can cause death as well as loss of arms or legs, deafness, nervous systems problems, mental retardation, seizures or strokes. Meningococcal vaccines cannot prevent all types of the disease. But they do protect many people who might become sick if they didn't get the vaccine and protect about 90% of those who do get it.

_____ (initial) I have read the information provided above and I decline receipt of vaccine for meningococcal meningitis.

2. Hepatitis B (HBV) immunization: The CDC encourages you to receive this series. Students in many academic programs are required to have the HBV series. Students wishing to decline this vaccine must read the information provided below. **Signing a waiver indicates that you understand the possible risk involved in not receiving this immunization. If you are under the age of 18, a parent or legal guardian must sign the waiver for you.**

Hepatitis B Dose 1 Date: ___/___/___ Dose 2 Date: ___/___/___ Dose 3 Date: ___/___/___
or Read and sign waiver below.

Waiver Statement-Hepatitis B: Hepatitis B (HBV) is a serious viral infection of the liver that can lead to chronic liver disease, cirrhosis, liver cancer, liver failure, and even death. Hepatitis B vaccine is available to all age groups to prevent Hepatitis B viral infection. A series of three (3) doses of vaccine are required for optimal protection. Missed doses may still be sought to complete the series if only one or two have been acquired.

_____ (initial) I have read the information provided on the back page and I decline receipt of vaccine to protect against Hepatitis B.

