Affidavit

Exemption from Immunizations for Bacterial Meningitis for Reasons of Conscience

To receive an exemption from the Texas immunization requirement for bacterial meningitis, a signed and notarized affidavit must be submitted. This fully executed form must be filed with the appropriate office of the Higher Education Institution you plan to attend prior to first-time enrollment, including transfer or returning following a break in enrollment at least one fall or spring semester, and upon matriculation by the student.

PLEASE COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SECTIONS:

Student Information

Full Name _____
(Please print) First Middle Last

Date of Birth: _____/ /_____
(mm/dd/yyyy)

I do NOT want to receive meningococcal vaccine for reasons of conscience, which may include a religious belief. Before making this decision, I was advised of the importance of consulting with a physician about the need for immunizations to prevent the disease.

I understand the risks of not being vaccinated, including exposure to a severe debilitating or life threatening disease. I further understand that I may be excluded from school attendance under Texas Education Code, 51.9192(d)(2), which states that this exemption does not apply during a disaster or public health emergency, terrorist attack, hostile military or paramilitary action, or extraordinary law enforcement emergency declared by an appropriate official or other authority and in effect for the location of the institution that I, as a student attend.

I certify that I am the student and that the information provided here is true and correct.

_____ Date:_____
Signature of Student

BEFORE ME, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared _____ and being by me first duly sworn, did state under oath the following: My name is _____. I am over the age of eighteen years, fully competent and authorized to make this affidavit based on my personal knowledge.

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me by the said affiant, this ___day of _____20 ___.
Affix seal

_____
NOTARY PUBLIC

THECB