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COVID-19 Vaccination Waiver Request Form

Student Information – Please print or type clearly

Name: _____ **Student Number:** _____

Current Mailing Address: _____
 Address City State Zip code

Current Email Address: _____

Date of Birth: _____ **Current Phone:** () _____

In support of this request, please answer the following questions:

1. State the reason for your request (medical or religious):
2. Explain, in detail, why you are unwilling to get a COVID-19 vaccination at this time:

Acknowledgment of Risk

- I understand that receiving a COVID-19 vaccine is a condition of enrolling at Western Washington University. I have reviewed information about the COVID-19 vaccine. I have been given an opportunity to ask questions about the vaccine and the policies concerning it. I understand that, by declining this vaccine, I continue to be at risk of acquiring COVID-19, a serious disease and spreading it to others.
- I understand that the consequences of my refusal to be vaccinated could be life threatening for me and the health of other people with whom I have contact, including other students, staff, faculty and my family and friends.
- I understand that I am solely responsible for arranging my healthcare and paying for its expenses if I get COVID-19.
- I understand that, if I get COVID-19, or come in direct contact with someone who tested positive for COVID-19, I will be required to isolate or quarantine away from others and will be prohibited from attending in-person classes, campus activities or work for a minimum of 10-14 days.
- I understand that, in the event of a campus wide COVID-19 outbreak, I will be prohibited from having an on-campus presence including attending in person classes, campus activities or work until control of the outbreak has been announced.
- I understand that there may be specific programmatic or course requirements to have all participants vaccinated because the risk of contracting COVID-19 to the participants simply cannot be mitigated without jeopardizing the essential qualities of the program or course. This may impact my opportunity to directly participate in these activities.
- I understand that, if I have any on-campus presence, I will be required to undergo **weekly** COVID testing through the Student Health Center.

Reporting Requirement: I understand that, if I get COVID-19, I must report it immediately to the Student Health Center and discontinue attending in-person classes, campus activities and work.

Signature: By signing this waiver, I verify that I am declining the required COVID-19 vaccination by Western Washington University for medical or religious reasons and understand the risks and benefits of vaccination. I have completed Western's COVID education course and have attached my certificate of course completion. I also confirm that I will follow all university COVID guidance, mitigation, and safety protocols.

Student Signature:

Date:

Health Care Provider Documentation (required for medical request):

I certify that this student has legitimate medical reasons to decline the COVID-19 vaccine (state reason):

Health Care Provider's Signature/Title/Date

Print Provider Name and Clinic Address

Where do I send my COVID Waiver documentation?

Send your waiver documentation via your patient portal at <https://studenthealth.wvu.edu/mywesternhealth>. If you experience difficulties using MyWesternHealth, please call the Student Health Center at (360) 650-3883 or email Student.Health@wvu.edu.