



New Category A Staff Members

Participation in Occupational Assessment, Screening and Vaccination

Category A staff members New to ACT Health, including students, agency/locum staff and volunteers and existing staff members applying for new Category A positions.

You must complete this form and **attach evidence** of your protection against the specified infectious diseases, in accordance to table in section 5 below. Return your completed **Forms 1 and 3**, and **evidence** of protection to the Occupational Medicine Unit (OMUACTHealth@act.gov.au) or for Students your **Educational Institution** as soon as possible.

1	<p>Your Personal Details (please print) AGS number: _____</p> <hr/> <p>▲ Surname ▲ First Name ▲ Date of Birth</p> <hr/> <p>▲ Home Address ▲ Post Code ▲ Gender</p> <hr/> <p>▲ Telephone/Mobile ▲ Email</p> <hr/> <p>▲ Job position ▲ Working Area ▲ Manager Name</p>
2	<p>Please read the Occupational Assessment, Screening and Vaccination procedure to understand the requirements before attending the Occupational Medicine Unit.</p>
3	<p><input type="checkbox"/> I consent to participate in the assessment, screening and vaccination process for the specified infectious diseases and I am not aware of any personal circumstances that would prevent me from satisfying ALL the requirements OR</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> I consent to participate in the assessment, screening and vaccination process for some of the specified infectious diseases but am unable to satisfy all requirements because I am a vaccine non-responder (hepatitis B) and/or have a medical contraindication to a vaccine. Please also complete and submit <i>Form 4 Vaccine Non-Responders and Health Care Workers with a Medical Contraindication to a Vaccine</i>.</p> <p>▶ If you are a staff member new to ACT Health or an existing staff member applying for a new Category A position you must consent to participate in the assessment, screening and vaccination process. Category A job applicants identified as being suitable to fill a Category A job will not be offered an employment contract if they do not participate in the assessment, screening and vaccination process.</p>
4	<p><input type="checkbox"/> I have read Information Sheet 3 Risks, Consequences of Exposure and Protective Measures and agree to comply with protective measures required by ACT Health.</p>

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Tick relevant available evidence and attach evidence with this form.

DISEASE	EVIDENCE OF VACCINATION	SEROLOGY RESULTS	OTHER EVIDENCE
Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis	<input type="checkbox"/> One <u>adult</u> dose of diphtheria/tetanus/pertussis vaccine (dTpa) within last 10 years. Not ADT.	Serology will not be accepted.	Not applicable.
Hepatitis B	<input type="checkbox"/> History of completed age-appropriate course of hepatitis B vaccine. A verbal history and written declaration are acceptable if all attempts fail to obtain the vaccination record.	<input type="checkbox"/> Anti-HBs greater than or equal to 10mIU/mL.	Documented evidence of anti-HBc or HBS antigen.
Varicella zoster (chicken pox/shingles)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 doses of varicella vaccine at least one month apart (evidence of one dose is sufficient if the person was vaccinated before 14 years of age).	<input type="checkbox"/> Positive IgG for varicella.	<input type="checkbox"/> VZV PCR confirmed chickenpox or shingles
Measles, mumps, rubella (MMR)	<input type="checkbox"/> 2 doses of MMR vaccine at least one month apart.	<input type="checkbox"/> Positive IgG for measles, mumps AND rubella.	<input type="checkbox"/> Birth date before 1966.
Tuberculosis screening (TB)	Not applicable. Note: Also complete and refer to Form 3 to see if clinical review by the Department of Respiratory and Sleep Medicine is required.	<input type="checkbox"/> Interferon Gamma Release Assay (IGRA)- TB Quantiferon.	<input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculin skin test (TST).
Influenza (Flu)	<input type="checkbox"/> Annual influenza vaccination, noting it is preferable for the flu vaccine to be administered between the months of March and June through to September. This vaccine is recommended but not mandatory.	Not applicable.	Not applicable.

For Staff members who are/may be required to perform **Exposure Prone Procedures (EPPs)** serology testing for blood borne viruses listed below is required. Examples of professions that perform EPPs include surgeons and operating assistants, dentists, obstetricians and midwives, and trauma physicians and nurses. This group includes ALL dental, medical and midwifery students.

EPPs are invasive procedures where there is potential for direct contact between the skin (usually finger or thumb of the HCW) and sharp surgical instruments, needles or sharp tissues, spicules of bone or teeth in body cavities or in poorly visualised or confined body sites, including the mouth of the patient.

DISEASE	SEROLOGY RESULTS	OTHER COMMENT
Hepatitis B	<input type="checkbox"/> HBs antigen	Serology must be dated within 12 months of the staff member's commencement date.
Hepatitis C	<input type="checkbox"/> HCV antibody	
Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)	<input type="checkbox"/> HIV antibody /antigen	

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▲ *Print name*

▲ *Signature*

▲ *Date*

If the above person is a student aged under 18 years of age a parent must sign below.

▲ *Print name of Parent*

▲ *Signature of Parent*

▲ *Date*