Flu Vaccine Consent Form

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School Name: **Clinic Date:**

FIRST NAME of Student:		**LAST NAME of Student:**	
Gender: Male Female	**Birthdate: (MM/DD/YYYY)**	**Age**	**Grade**
Address		**Home Phone # ( ) -**	**Cell Phone # ( ) -**
City	**Zip Code** **State**	**Student Race:** (Circle one) African American / Black White Alaskan/ Native American Asian Hispanic Non-Hispanic Hawaiian / Pacific Islander Other :	
Email address:			

The current health care laws require us to bill your insurance company for the vaccine. The service is offered at no cost to you. Answers are always confidential.

Please fill out the following questions pertaining to your child's Health Insurance:

Medicaid ☐ **My child does NOT have health insurance** ☐	**Insurance Company:**
Policy Holder's First Name:	**Policy Holder's Last Name:**
Member ID:	**Policy Holder's Date of Birth: (MM/DD/YYYY)**

CHECK YES OR NO FOR **EACH** QUESTION

1	Has the person to be vaccinated ever had a severe or life threatening reaction to the flu vaccine?	YES	NO
2	Has the person to be vaccinated ever had Guillain-Barre syndrome?	YES	NO
3	Does the patient have an allergy to eggs?	YES	NO
4	Does the patient have an allergy to any component of the vaccine?	YES	NO

ONLY RETURN THIS FORM IF YOU WANT THIS VACCINE

I have read the information about the vaccine and special precautions on the Vaccine Information Sheet. I am aware that I can locate the most current Vaccine Information Statement and other information at www.immunize.org or www.cdc.gov. I have had an opportunity to ask questions regarding the vaccine and understand the risks and benefits. I hereby acknowledge that based on the information presented to me, my child is eligible to receive the influenza vaccine on this date. I request and voluntarily consent for the vaccine to be given to the child listed above of whom I am the parent or legal guardian and having legal authority to make medical decisions on their behalf. I understand that no assurance can be given that the influenza vaccination will give immunity from contracting any strain of influenza. My child is feeling well today and he/she has not recently had a fever. I accept responsibility for seeking medical attention for any problems associated with receiving the vaccine. I hereby release the school system, Health Hero America LLC, its employees, representatives and agents from any liability for giving the influenza vaccination to my child. I understand this consent is valid for 6 months and that I will make the school aware of any changes in my child's health prior to the vaccination clinic date. Clinic dates can be obtained from the school. I authorize HHA to provide my child's school with documentation of vaccinations given today.

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian _____ Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

HHA Staff Signature _____ Date _____

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TEXAS Health and Human Services | Texas Department of State Health Services

Texas Vaccines for Children Program
Patient Eligibility Screening Record

A record of all children 18 years of age or younger who receive immunizations through the Texas Vaccines for children (TVFC) Program must be kept in the health care provider's office for a minimum of five (5) years. The record may be completed by the parent, guardian, individual of record, or by the health care provider. TVFC eligibility screening and documentation of eligibility status must take place with each immunization visit to ensure eligibility status for the program. While verification of responses is not required, it is necessary to retain this or a similar record for each child receiving vaccines under the TVFC program.

1. Child's Name: _____ _____ _____
   Last Name First Name MI

2. Child's Date of Birth: _____/_____/_____

3. Parent, Guardian, or Individual of Record: _____ _____ _____
   Last Name First Name MI

4. Primary Provider's Name: _____ _____
   Last Name First Name

5. Please check the category that applies

   - ○ Is enrolled in Medicaid _____ Medicaid Number _____ Date of Eligibility
   - ○ Is an American Indian or an Alaskan Native
   - ○ Does not have health insurance
   - ○ Underinsured served by FQHC, RHC, or deputized provider
   - ○ Is enrolled in the Children's Health Insurance Plan _____CHIP Number _____ Group Number
   - ○ Is underinsured:
     a. Has commercial insurance, but coverage does not include vaccines
     b. Commercial insurance covers only selected vaccines
   - ○ Has private insurance that covers vaccines

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IMMUNIZATION REGISTRY (ImmTrac2) Minor Consent Form

(Please print clearly)

_____ _____
Child's Last Name **Child's Middle Name**

_____
Child's First Name Child's

Child's Gender: Male ☐ Female ☐

_____/_____/_____ *Children younger than 18 years old only
Date of Birth

_____ _____ _(_____)_____
Child's Address **Apartment #** **Telephone**

_____ _____ _____ _____
City **State** **Zip Code** **County**

_____ _____
Mother's First Name **Mother's Maiden Name**

ImmTrac2, the Texas immunization registry, is a free service of the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS). The immunization registry is a secure and confidential service that consolidates and stores your child's (younger than 18 years of age) immunization records. With your consent, your child's immunization information will be included in ImmTrac2.

Doctors, public health departments, schools, and other authorized professionals can access your child's immunization history to ensure that important vaccines are not missed.

The Texas Department of State Health Services encourages your voluntary participation in the Texas immunization registry.

Consent for Registration of Child and Release of Immunization Records to Authorized Entities

I understand that, by granting the consent below, I am authorizing release of the child's immunization information to DSHS and I further understand that DSHS will include this information in the state's central immunization registry ("ImmTrac2"). Once in ImmTrac2, the child's immunization information may by law be accessed by:

- a public health district or local health department, for public health purposes within their areas of jurisdiction;
- a physician, or other health-care provider legally authorized to administer vaccines, for treating the child as a patient;
- a state agency having legal custody of the child;
- a Texas school or child-care facility in which the child is enrolled;
- a payor, currently authorized by the Texas Department of Insurance to operate in Texas, regarding coverage for the child.

I understand that I may withdraw this consent to include information on my child in the ImmTrac2 Registry and my consent to release information from the Registry at any time by written communication to the Texas Department of State Health Services, ImmTrac Group – MC 1946, P. O. Box 149347, Austin, Texas 78714-9347.

By my signature below, I GRANT consent for registration. I wish to INCLUDE my child's information in the Texas immunization registry. Parent, legal guardian, or managing conservator:

Date _____ Printed Name _____

Signature _____

Privacy Notification: With few exceptions, you have the right to request and be informed about information that the State of Texas collects about you. You are entitled to receive and review the information upon request. You also have the right to ask the state agency to correct any information that is determined to be incorrect. See *http://www.dshs.texas.gov* for more information on Privacy Notification. (Reference: Government Code, Section 552.021, 552.023, 559.003, and 559.004)

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VACCINE INFORMATION STATEMENT

Influenza (Flu) Vaccine (Inactivated or Recombinant): *What you need to know*

Many Vaccine Information Statements are available in Spanish and other languages. See www.immunize.org/vis

Hojas de información sobre vacunas están disponibles en español y en muchos otros idiomas. Visite www.immunize.org/vis

1 Why get vaccinated?

Influenza vaccine can prevent **influenza (flu)**.

Flu is a contagious disease that spreads around the United States every year, usually between October and May. Anyone can get the flu, but it is more dangerous for some people. Infants and young children, people 65 years of age and older, pregnant women, and people with certain health conditions or a weakened immune system are at greatest risk of flu complications.

Pneumonia, bronchitis, sinus infections and ear infections are examples of flu-related complications. If you have a medical condition, such as heart disease, cancer or diabetes, flu can make it worse.

Flu can cause fever and chills, sore throat, muscle aches, fatigue, cough, headache, and runny or stuffy nose. Some people may have vomiting and diarrhea, though this is more common in children than adults.

Each year **thousands of people in the United States die from flu**, and many more are hospitalized. Flu vaccine prevents millions of illnesses and flu-related visits to the doctor each year.

2 Influenza vaccine

CDC recommends everyone 6 months of age and older get vaccinated every flu season. **Children 6 months through 8 years of age** may need 2 doses during a single flu season. **Everyone else** needs only 1 dose each flu season.

It takes about 2 weeks for protection to develop after vaccination.

There are many flu viruses, and they are always changing. Each year a new flu vaccine is made to protect against three or four viruses that are likely to cause disease in the upcoming flu season. Even when the vaccine doesn't exactly match these viruses, it may still provide some protection.

Influenza vaccine **does not cause flu**.

Influenza vaccine may be given at the same time as other vaccines.

3 Talk with your health care provider

Tell your vaccine provider if the person getting the vaccine:

- Has had an **allergic reaction after a previous dose of influenza vaccine**, or has any **severe, life-threatening allergies**.
- Has ever had **Guillain-Barré Syndrome** (also called GBS).

In some cases, your health care provider may decide to postpone influenza vaccination to a future visit.

People with minor illnesses, such as a cold, may be vaccinated. People who are moderately or severely ill should usually wait until they recover before getting influenza vaccine.

Your health care provider can give you more information.

4 Risks of a vaccine reaction

- Soreness, redness, and swelling where shot is given, fever, muscle aches, and headache can happen after influenza vaccine.
- There may be a very small increased risk of Guillain-Barré Syndrome (GBS) after inactivated influenza vaccine (the flu shot).

Young children who get the flu shot along with pneumococcal vaccine (PCV13), and/or DTaP vaccine at the same time might be slightly more likely to have a seizure caused by fever. Tell your health care provider if a child who is getting flu vaccine has ever had a seizure.

People sometimes faint after medical procedures, including vaccination. Tell your provider if you feel dizzy or have vision changes or ringing in the ears.

As with any medicine, there is a very remote chance of a vaccine causing a severe allergic reaction, other serious injury, or death.

5 What if there is a serious problem?

An allergic reaction could occur after the vaccinated person leaves the clinic. If you see signs of a severe allergic reaction (hives, swelling of the face and throat, difficulty breathing, a fast heartbeat, dizziness, or weakness), call **9-1-1** and get the person to the nearest hospital.

For other signs that concern you, call your health care provider.

Adverse reactions should be reported to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS). Your health care provider will usually file this report, or you can do it yourself. Visit the VAERS website at **www.vaers.hhs.gov** or call **1-800-822-7967**. *VAERS is only for reporting reactions, and VAERS staff do not give medical advice.*

6 The National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program

The National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (VICP) is a federal program that was created to compensate people who may have been injured by certain vaccines. Visit the VICP website at **www.hrsa.gov/vaccinecompensation** or call **1-800-338-2382** to learn about the program and about filing a claim. There is a time limit to file a claim for compensation.

7 How can I learn more?

- Ask your healthcare provider.
- Call your local or state health department.
- Contact the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC):
  - Call **1-800-232-4636** (**1-800-CDC-INFO**) or
  - Visit CDC's **www.cdc.gov/flu**

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