

WELLESLEY COLLEGE

HEALTH SERVICE

Dear Healthcare Provider:

To assist us in complying with Massachusetts law and in preparing to care for your patient, while in college, please provide us with the following:

- Have your patient sign our Consent to Treat
- Complete and sign the TB Screening Questionnaire and if indicated, the TB Risk Assessment, and screening with TST/IGRA or chest X-ray
- Complete and sign the attached Physical Exam
- Provide a copy of your patient's Immunization Record or complete the form provided
- For NCAA ATHLETES ONLY: physical examinations are required within 6 months of

enrollment. A copy of sickle cell screen, newborn sickle cell test or signed waiver is required for all NCAA athletes.

Required Immunizations for all incoming students:

Hepatitis B – completed series

Primary DPT – completed series of 4-5 vaccines between 2 months and 4 years of age. Students unable to provide documentation of a Primary DPT series must begin a 3 dose Adult Series.

Tdap -

MMR – 2 doses; 1st dose must be AFTER 1st birthday or positive titer with lab report

Varicella – 2 doses; 1st dose must be AFTER 1st birthday

OR clinician documented reliable history of chicken pox disease

OR immunity proven by titer with lab report

required Meningitis – must specify Meningitis ACWY or other

vaccine OR signed waiver

**Massachusetts state law allows the following exemptions to the immunization requirements: Please note: philosophical exemptions are NOT recognized by Massachusetts law and therefore cannot be accepted by the college.*

Religious Exemption: official letter from clergy stating that obtaining immunizations is in opposition to faith

Medical Exemption: official letter from medical doctor (MD), physician's assistant (PA), or nurse practitioner (NP) stating the medical reason for the exemption

