



Qualified Medical Exemption for COVID-19 Vaccination

As required by the California State Public Health Officer Order, all workers who provide services or work in a hospital, clinic, or other healthcare facility, must have their first dose of a one-dose regimen series (Johnson and Johnson [J&J]/Janssen) or their second dose of a two-dose regimen (Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna or vaccine authorized by the World Health Organization), and a booster(s) when required by National, State, or Local law.

Workers may be exempt from the vaccination requirements if the worker is unable to receive a COVID-19 vaccine due to Qualifying Medical Reasons. However, workers who are exempt from the vaccination requirement will instead be required to submit to COVID-19 testing either weekly or twice weekly depending on the type of facility to which the worker is assigned.

Employees wishing to claim an exemption from the COVID-19 vaccination requirement due to a Qualifying Medical Reason must submit a completed attestation (below) and medical certification (attached) that is signed by a physician, nurse practitioner, or other licensed medical professional practicing under the license of a physician, stating that the individual qualifies for the exemption. The completed attestation and medical certification must be uploaded using the VCHRP Employee Self Service Page.

I, _____, am requesting an exemption from
[Employee Name]

the California Department of Public Health Officer's COVID-19 vaccination requirement due to qualifying medical reasons as evidenced by the attached medical certification. Furthermore, I acknowledge that as part of my exemption from the COVID-19 vaccination, I will be required to submit to all COVID-19 testing as required by the California Department of Public Health Officer's Order.

Full Name (Print)

Employee ID Number

Signature

Date

