

Hepatitis A & B Consent Form & Vaccine Administration Record

Hepatitis A -- Hepatitis A is a liver disease caused by the hepatitis A virus. The virus is spread from person to person by putting something in the mouth that has been contaminated with the stool of a person with hepatitis A. Signs and symptoms of this disease are often nonexistent, but when symptoms do occur they appear abruptly and may last from 2-6 months. A person with this virus may experience fever, tiredness, loss of appetite, nausea, abdominal discomfort, dark urine, and jaundice (yellowing of the skin and eyes). Hepatitis A can lead to hospitalization and, in rare cases, death.

Hepatitis B-- Hepatitis B is a liver disease caused by the hepatitis B virus. The virus is spread by direct contact with the blood or body fluids of an infected person. Signs and symptoms of this disease are often nonexistent. Although, when symptoms are present the person may experience fever, severe tiredness, loss of appetite, nausea or vomiting, abdominal pain, joint pain, and jaundice (yellowing of the skin and eyes). Hepatitis B can cause lifelong infection, liver cirrhosis, liver cancer, liver failure, and death.

The Vaccine -- We recommend that you remain on site for up to 15 minutes to monitor for possible vaccine reactions. An injection of the hepatitis vaccine will NOT give you hepatitis.

Hepatitis A Vaccine Information: The hepatitis A vaccine is made from a dead virus. The vaccine can be administered any time of the year, but if you are getting vaccinated for traveling purposes, the vaccine series should be started at least one month before traveling. A second shot (booster) is needed for full immunization after 6 months of the initial shot. Protection is thought to last about 15 years.

Hepatitis B Vaccine Information: The hepatitis B vaccine is made without any human blood or blood products or any other substances of human origin. We recommend that you remain on site for up to 15 minutes to monitor for possible vaccine reactions. The vaccine can be administered any time of the year and consists of a series of 3 shots. A shot will be given today and again 1-2 months and 4-6 months later. Duration of protective effects is presently unknown, and the need for booster doses is not yet defined.

Hepatitis A&B Vaccine Information: The hepatitis A part of the vaccine is made from a dead virus, and the hepatitis B part is made without any human blood or blood products or any other substances of human origin. The vaccine can be administered any time of the year, but if you are getting vaccinated for traveling purposes, the vaccine series should be started at least one month before traveling. The vaccination consists of three doses, the second dose should be given 1 month after the first, and the third dose should be given 6 months after the initial dose. Protection for both hepatitis A and B is thought to last at least 4 years after the first vaccine dose.

Risks and Possible Side Effects -- An immediate, presumably allergic, reaction rarely occurs after this vaccination. This probably results from an allergy to some vaccine component, or yeast residuals used to make the vaccine (refers to Hepatitis B or Hepatitis A & B vaccine).

Reactions for the Hepatitis A vaccine include: Common side effects of the hepatitis A vaccine include soreness at the injection site, headache, and loss of appetite. These symptoms may occur 3 to 5 days after the vaccination and last for 1 to 2 days.

Reactions for the Hepatitis B vaccine include: Common side effects of the hepatitis B vaccine include soreness at the injection site and mild to moderate fever lasting 1-2 days.

Reactions for the Hepatitis A & B vaccine include: Common side effects of the vaccine include soreness at the injection site, headache, fatigue, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhea.

Special Precautions -- Children, pregnant women, persons with a serious illness, and/or a serious active infection should consult their physician before receiving the hepatitis A vaccine. Persons who are allergic to latex should notify the provider prior to receiving this vaccination. **DO NOT** receive this vaccine if you have had a serious hypersensitivity reaction to any of the hepatitis vaccines.

Additional precautions for Hepatitis A include: DO NOT receive this vaccine if you have a history of hypersensitivity reaction to alum.

DO NOT receive this vaccine if you have a history of a serious hypersensitivity reaction to the preservative 2-phenoxyethanol.

DO NOT receive this vaccine if you have a history of a serious hypersensitivity reaction to the hepatitis A vaccine.

Additional precautions for Hepatitis B include: DO NOT receive this vaccine if you have a history of hypersensitivity to baker's yeast.

REQUESTED VACCINE: Hepatitis A Hepatitis B Hepatitis A & B

INFORMATION CONCERNING PERSON TO RECEIVE HEPATITIS VACCINE:

NAME (please print)	DATE OF BIRTH	AGE	PHONE NUMBER
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE	ZIP
DO YOU HAVE ALLERGIES TO: <input type="checkbox"/> Latex <input type="checkbox"/> Baker's yeast <input type="checkbox"/> Alum <input type="checkbox"/> Preservative 2-phenoxyethanol <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B vaccine <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis A vaccine			
HAVE YOU EVER BEEN VACCINATED FOR HEPATITIS A? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			ARE YOU PREGNANT? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
HAVE YOU EVER BEEN VACCINATED FOR HEPATITIS B? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
HAVE YOU STARTED THE SERIES OF THE HEPATITIS A, B, OR A & B VACCINE? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Don't know			
ARE YOU CURRENTLY A PATIENT AT THIS PHARMACY? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
ARE YOU INTERESTED IN RECEIVING MORE INFORMATION ABOUT MEDIHEALTH SOLUTIONS WELLNESS PROGRAMS? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			

NAME & ADDRESS OF FAMILY PHYSICIAN

CONSENT:

I have read the above information and have had an opportunity to ask questions. I understand the benefits and risks of the hepatitis vaccination as described. I request that the vaccine be given to me or to the person named below for whom I am authorized to sign.

SIGNATURE OF PERSON RECEIVING or AUTHORIZING VACCINE _____ DATE _____

ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES:

I have received a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices. I understand that this document provides an explanation of the ways in which my health information may be used or disclosed by Pharmacy and of my rights with respect to my health information. I have been provided with the opportunity to discuss concerns I may have regarding the privacy of my health information.

SIGNATURE OF PATIENT or CAREGIVER _____ DATE _____

Vaccination Information (office use only)

First Injection:

GSK / Merck Lot #: _____ Exp. ___ / ___ / ___
 Dose: 0.5mL 1.0mL Admin. Site: R L Arm
 Amount Paid: _____
 Signature & Title of
 Vaccine Administrator: _____
 Date Administered: _____

Second Injection:

GSK / Merck Lot #: _____ Exp. ___ / ___ / ___
 Dose: 0.5mL 1.0mL Admin. Site: R L Arm
 Amount Paid: _____
 Signature & Title of
 Vaccine Administrator: _____
 Date Administered: _____

Third Injection:

GSK / Merck Lot #: _____ Exp. ___ / ___ / ___
 Dose: 0.5mL 1.0mL Admin. Site: R L Arm
 Amount Paid: _____
 Signature & Title of
 Vaccine Administrator: _____
 Date Administered: _____

****Please provide this form to your physician as record that you've received Hepatitis A & B vaccinations.****

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

The Pharmacy is required by law to maintain the privacy of Protected Health Information (“PHI”) and to provide individuals with notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to PHI. PHI is information that may identify you and that relates to your past, present or future physical or mental health or condition and related health care services. This Notice of Privacy Practices (“Notice”) describes how we may use and disclose PHI to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations and for other specified purposes that are permitted or required by law. The Notice also describes your rights with respect to PHI about you.

The Pharmacy is required to follow the terms of this Notice. We will not use or disclose PHI about you without your written authorization, except as described in this Notice. We reserve the right to change our practices and this Notice and to make the new Notice effective for all PHI we maintain. Upon request, we will provide any revised Notice to you.

YOUR HEALTH INFORMATION RIGHTS

You have the following rights with respect to PHI about you:

- ◆ *Obtain a paper copy of the Notice upon request. To obtain a paper copy, contact the Pharmacy® manager.*
- ◆ *Request a restriction on certain uses and disclosures of PHI.*
- ◆ *Inspect and obtain a copy of PHI.*
- ◆ *Request an amendment of PHI.*
- ◆ *Receive an accounting of disclosures of PHI.*
- ◆ *Request communications of PHI by alternative means or at alternative locations.*

EXAMPLES OF HOW WE MAY USE AND DISCLOSE PHI

The following are descriptions and examples of ways we use and disclose PHI:

- ◆ *We will use PHI for treatment.*
- ◆ *We will use PHI for payment.*
- ◆ *We will use PHI for health care operations.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to our business associates so that they can perform the job we have asked them to, which may include billing you or your third-party payor for services rendered.*
- ◆ *We may communicate with individuals involved in your care or payment for your care.*
- ◆ *We may make health-related communications such as refill reminders or information about treatment alternatives or other health-related benefits and services that may be of interest to you.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI to the FDA or persons under the jurisdiction of the FDA.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you as authorized by and as necessary to comply with laws relating to worker’s compensation.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to public health or legal authorities charged with preventing or controlling disease, injury or disability.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you for law enforcement purposes as required by law or in response to a valid subpoena or other legal process.*
- ◆ *We must disclose PHI about you when required to do so by law.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to an oversight agency for activities authorized by law such as audits or licensing inspections.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you in response to a court or administrative order.*

We are permitted to use or disclose PHI about you for the following purposes:

- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to researchers when their research has been approved by an institutional review board that has reviewed the research proposal and established protocols to ensure the privacy of your information.*
- ◆ *We may release PHI about you to a coroner or medical examiner.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to organ procurement organizations or other entities engaged in the procurement, banking or transplantation of organs for the purpose of tissue donation and transplant.*
- ◆ *We may contact you as part of a fundraising effort.*
- ◆ *We may use or disclose PHI about you to notify or assist in notifying a person responsible for your care, such as a family member or personal representative, regarding your location or your general condition.*
- ◆ *We may use and disclose PHI about you when necessary to prevent a serious threat to your health and safety or the health and safety of the public or another person.*
- ◆ *We may release PHI about you as required by military command authorities.*
- ◆ *We may release PHI about you to authorized federal officials for intelligence, counterintelligence and other national security activities authorized by law.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to authorized federal officials so they may provide protection to the President, other authorized persons or foreign heads of state or to conduct special investigations.*
- ◆ *We may disclose PHI about you to a government authority, such as a social services or protective services agency, if we reasonably believe you are a victim of abuse, neglect or domestic violence.*

OTHER USES AND DISCLOSURES OF PHI

The Pharmacy will obtain your written authorization before using or disclosing PHI about you for purposes other than those provided for in this Notice or as otherwise permitted or required by law. You may revoke an authorization in writing at any time. Upon receipt of the written revocation, we will stop using or disclosing PHI about you, except to the extent that we have already taken action in reliance on the authorization.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REPORT A PROBLEM

If you have questions or would like additional information about the Pharmacy’s privacy practices, you may contact the privacy officer at 800.445.2244. If you believe your privacy rights have been violated, you can file a complaint with the Pharmacy® manager or with the Secretary of Health and Human Services. There will be no retaliation for filing a complaint.