

Attachment 6 Undertaking/Declaration Form

All new recruits/other clinical personnel/ students /volunteers / facilitators must complete each part of this document and Attachment 7 *Tuberculosis (TB) Assessment Tool* and provide a NSW Health Vaccination Record Card for Health Care Workers and Students and serological evidence of protection as specified in Attachment 4 *Checklist: Evidence required from Category A Applicants* and return these forms to the health facility as soon as possible after acceptance of position/enrolment or before attending their first clinical placement. (Parent/guardian to sign if student is under 18 years of age).

New recruits/other clinical personnel/ students /volunteers / facilitators will only be permitted to commence employment/attend clinical placements if they have submitted this form, have evidence of protection as specified in Attachment 4 *Checklist: Evidence required from Category A Applicants* and submitted Attachment 7 *Tuberculosis (TB) Assessment Tool*. Failure to complete outstanding hepatitis B or TB requirements within the appropriate timeframe(s) will result in suspension from further clinical placements/duties and may jeopardise their course of study/duties.

The education provider/recruitment agency must ensure that all persons whom they refer to a NSW Health agency for employment/clinical placement have completed these forms, and forward the original or a copy of these forms to the NSW Health agency for assessment. The NSW Health agency must assess these forms along with evidence of protection against the infectious diseases specified in this policy directive.

Part	Undertaking/Declaration	✓
1	I have read and understand the requirements of the NSW Health <i>Occupational Assessment, Screening and Vaccination against Specified Infectious Diseases Policy</i>	
2	a. I consent to assessment and I undertake to participate in the assessment, screening and vaccination process and I am not aware of any personal circumstances that would prevent me from completing these requirements, OR	a
	b. I consent to assessment and I undertake to participate in the assessment, screening and vaccination process; however I am aware of medical contraindications that may prevent me from fully completing these requirements and am able to provide documentation of these medical contraindications. I request consideration of my circumstances.	b
3	I have provided evidence of protection for hepatitis B as follows:	a
	a. history of an age-appropriate vaccination course, <u>and</u> serology result Anti-HBs $\geq 10\text{mIU/mL}$ OR	
	b. history of an age-appropriate vaccination course and additional hepatitis B vaccine doses, however my serology result Anti-HBs is $< 10\text{mIU/mL}$ (non-responder to hepatitis B vaccination) OR	b
	c. documented evidence of anti-HBc (indicating past hepatitis B infection) or HBsAg+ OR	c
	d. I have received at least the first dose of hepatitis B vaccine (documentation provided) and undertake to complete the hepatitis B vaccine course (as recommended in the <i>Australian Immunisation Handbook</i> , current edition) and provide a post-vaccination serology result within six months of my initial verification process.	d
4	I have been informed of, and understand, the risks of infection, the consequences of infection and management in the event of exposure (refer Attachment 5 <i>Specified Infectious Diseases: Risks and Consequences of Exposure</i>) and agree to comply with the protective measures required by the health service and as defined by PD2007_036 Infection and Control Policy.	
Declaration: I _____ declare that the information provided is correct		
Full name:		Worker cost centre (if available):
D.O.B:		Worker/Student ID (if available):
Email:		NSW Health agency /Education provider:
Signature:		Date: