REQUEST FOR RELIGIOUS EXEMPTION FROM COVID-19 VACCINE

Allegheny College will consider requests for exemption from the mandatory COVID-19 vaccination requirement that are contrary to a student’s religious beliefs, practices, and observances. Exemptions and accommodations will be considered on a case-by-case basis.

For the safety of the Allegheny community, in the event of a determined outbreak on campus, the ACHA healthcare team and administrative staff may determine the student is at a significant site for risk of disease exposure, transmission, and spread into the community. Therefore, any student without proof of immunity to the virus with religious medical exemptions may be required to leave campus at that time and may not be able to return until the danger of the outbreak has passed as determined by the ACHA healthcare team.

TO REQUEST AN EXEMPTION: Please complete this form and return it to the Allegheny College Health Agency (ACHA) at healthagency@allegheny.edu. This information will be used by the ACHA healthcare team and administration to determine requested eligibility for a religious exemption.

TO BE COMPLETED BY STUDENT

Name: ____________________________________________________________

Student ID #: __________________________ Cell Phone: __________________________

Date of Request: __________________________

Instructions:
Please attach a typed letter to explain how the College’s COVID-19 vaccine requirement conflicts with your religious practices, beliefs, and/or observances. In some cases, Allegheny College may request additional information and/or documentation about your religious practices, beliefs, and/or observances.

For verification and accuracy, I verify that the information I am submitting in support of my request for an exemption is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge, and I understand that not following necessary steps to obtain religious exemption from the COVID-19 vaccine may result in the denial of the exemption request.

Signature: __________________________ Date: __________________________

Print Name: __________________________