COVID-19 VACCINATION REQUIREMENT PATHWAYS

INCREASING IMMUNITY AND KEEPING OUR COMMUNITY HEALTHY

You have options for compliance with the new SCUSD vaccine requirement or testing requirement for in-person employment or learning.

As you may have heard, SCUSD's Board of Education moved to pass a resolution (as of October 12, 2021) that all SCUSD students and staff who meet the following:

- Not yet vaccinated (first or second dose) by **November 30, 2021**
- Not yet required for vaccination
- Students and staff with exemptions, accommodations or conditional admissions will be tested for COVID-19 on a regular, routine basis based on public health recommendations for testing cadence, available staffing and testing resources.

STUDENTS, STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS WHO HAVE ALREADY SUBMITTED PROOF OF VACCINATION Student and staff who have already submitted proof of full COVID-19 vaccination are in compliance with SCUSD's COVID-19 vaccination requirement and no further action is needed.

STUDENTS, STAFF AND VOLUNTEERS WHO STILL NEED TO BE FULLY VACCINATED Students and staff who need to receive a first or second dose of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine can do so by scheduling an appointment at a SCUSD clinic at scusd.edu/vaccinations or other locations found through MyTurn.ca.gov. SCUSD will need receipt of these records by completing an online vaccine status reporting form* at scusd.edu/reportvaccine by November 30, 2021. If you have only received your first dose of a two-dose vaccine, you still must opt into regular, routine testing until you are fully vaccinated.

STUDENTS AND STAFF WHO ARE FILING FOR A MEDICAL EXEMPTION FROM THE COVID-19 VACCINATION If you are seeking a medical accommodation or exemption, you will need to provide SCUSD with a signed, written statement from a physician (MD or DO) licensed in California which states:

- The specific nature of the physical condition or medical circumstance for which the licensed physician does not recommend immunization.
- Which required vaccine is being exempted (COVID-19).
- Whether the medical exemption is permanent or temporary.
- An expiration date no more than 12 calendar months from the date of signing, if the exemption is temporary.

Volunteers who need to test routinely due to a personal need may arrange for such with their respective school site. Volunteer Groups may choose to complete a certification form to certify that their volunteers providing services at SCUSD sites are compliant with the Vaccination Requirement resolution by November 30, 2021. These records can be audited by Sacramento City Unified School District.

STUDENTS FILING FOR A PERSONAL BELIEF EXEMPTION FROM THE COVID-19 VACCINATION Students who wish to file an exemption for personal beliefs (including religious) can do so by completing an online exemption application form at scusd.edu/vaccineexemption. Those with an approved exemption will be required to register for regular, routine COVID-19 testing at scusd.edu/covid19testing.

STAFF FILING A REQUEST FOR A RELIGIOUS BELIEF EXEMPTION FOR THE COVID-19 VACCINATION SCUSD will need receipt of exemption documentation by November 30, 2021. Once your exemption documentation is submitted, you will be contacted by Risk Management regarding next steps. Information on submitting your vaccine exemption can be found at: www.scusd.edu/vaccineexemption. Those with an approved exemption will be required to register for regular, routine COVID-19 testing at www.scusd.edu/covid19testing.

Those with an approved accommodation or exemption from vaccination will be required to register for regular, routine COVID-19 testing at scusd.edu/covid19testing. SCUSD will need receipt of an approved accommodation or exemption from vaccination by November 30, 2021.

Failure for staff to comply with these procedures may lead Sacramento City Unified School District to take disciplinary action, including but not limited to placement on unpaid leave and/or separation from service.

We understand that many parents, students and staff may have concerns and questions, so we've put together an FAQ page at scusd.edu/vaccinefaq to help you get answers to common questions and learn more about what options are available to SCUSD staff and students.

Thank you for your patience and partnership as we work together to increase immunity, keep our school sites open and our community as safe as possible.

*All documentation of immunization records meet HIPAA confidentiality requirements.

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