

EXEMPTIONS 101



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What is a religious exemption?

Religious exemptions are used when a parent has a sincerely held belief that prohibits their child/children from receiving vaccinations.

How Do I Get an exemption?

Because each state sets their own laws, every process is different for each state.

It can also depend on the school. Your school may have their own form for you to complete.

Exemption Template

Ohio Requirements

To Whom It May Concern:

I, _____, as
parent
or guardian of _____
decline the immunization requirements outlined
by the Ohio Department of Health for reasons of
conscience, including religious convictions per
Ohio Revised Code 3313.671(B)(4).

I am aware that according to ORC 3313.671 (C)
that during a chicken pox outbreak my child is
subject to exclusion from the school for the
duration of the outbreak. I understand the board
of education or governing body of the school
shall adopt a policy that prescribes methods
whereby the academic standing of my child who
is denied admission during the chicken pox
outbreak may be preserved.

Parent/Legal

Guardian: _____

Signature:

_____ Date: _____

**The state of Ohio has both Reasons of
Conscience and Religious convictions.**

**Exemptions for reason of conscience,
including religious conviction require a
signed written statement from the parent
or guardian submitted to the school upon
enrollment.**

**There is no pre-written statement or form
that you are required to submit for public
school.**