

# MENINGOCOCCAL VACCINATION RESPONSE FORM

New York State Public Health Law requires that all college and university students enrolled for at least six (6) semester hours or the equivalent per semester and return the following form to SUNY Morrisville Matthias Student Health Center with your admission Health Forms.

**Check one box and sign below:**

I have (for students under the age of 18: My child has):

- had meningococcal immunization within the past 5 years. The vaccine record is attached.

[Note: The Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices recommends that all first-year college students up to age 21 years should have at least 1 dose of Meningococcal ACWY vaccine not more than 5 years before enrollment, preferably on or after their 16<sup>th</sup> birthday, and that young adults aged 16 through 23 years may choose to receive the Meningococcal B vaccine series. College and university students should discuss the Meningococcal B vaccine with a healthcare provider.]

If refusing the meningococcal vaccine:

- I have read, or have had explained to me, the information regarding meningococcal disease. I understand the risks of not receiving the vaccine. I have decided that I (my child) will **not** obtain immunization against meningococcal disease.

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Student's Name (please print)

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Date of Birth

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Student's Signature (Parent/Guardian if under age 18)

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Date