

## **VACCINATION POLICY**

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Students in a health career program have an increased risk of exposure to various health risks and illnesses, including Hepatitis-B. In regard to Hepatitis, the college informs students that this is a very serious illness but it can be prevented by a Hepatitis-B vaccination. The college requires students in an allied health program to sign a Hepatitis B statement stating that the student is responsible for obtaining a series of required inoculations shortly after starting classes. It is up to the student to obtain this immunization during their training at the college unless a physician documents that he/she is medically prohibited from receiving the immunization.

Students should understand that exposure to health risks is an inherent part of working in the allied health field. Furthermore, students shall release Ohio Business College from responsibility if they should contract Hepatitis-B or any other health problems resulting from the training or employment in the allied health field.