



2.1 submission to the administrator or other person having general control and supervision of  
2.2 the school or child care facility of a certificate of exemption, using a form developed by  
2.3 the commissioner of health. The certificate must state that the parent or guardian, or the  
2.4 child if emancipated, is declining one or more required immunizations on the basis of their  
2.5 personal beliefs. The certificate must contain the following:

2.6 (1) specification of the particular vaccine or vaccines for which an exemption is  
2.7 being requested, and an explanation of the reasons for requesting the exemption;

2.8 (2) a statement from a physician that provides immunizations verifying that  
2.9 the physician has reviewed with the parent or guardian, or the child if emancipated,  
2.10 information about the risks and benefits of the vaccines that is consistent with information  
2.11 published by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention;

2.12 (3) an acknowledgement that the child may be prohibited from attending school or  
2.13 the child care facility during an outbreak of the disease for which the child has not been  
2.14 immunized; and

2.15 (4) the signature of the child's parent or legal guardian, or the child if emancipated.

2.16 The certificate of exemption must be forwarded by the school or child care facility to the  
2.17 commissioner of health.

2.18 (e) If the person is under 15 months, the person is not required to be immunized  
2.19 against measles, rubella, or mumps.

2.20 (f) If a person is at least five years old and has not been immunized against  
2.21 haemophilus influenzae type b, the person is not required to be immunized against  
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2.23 (g) If a person who is not a Minnesota resident enrolls in a Minnesota school online  
2.24 learning course or program that delivers instruction to the person only by computer and  
2.25 does not provide any teacher or instructor contact time or require classroom attendance, the  
2.26 person is not subject to the immunization, statement, and other requirements of this section.

2.27 (h) A person who has submitted a certificate of exemption under paragraph (d) prior  
2.28 to entering grade 7 must renew the certificate, in the form and manner specified by the  
2.29 commissioner of health, or meet the requirements of subdivision 1, in order to enroll  
2.30 in grade 7.