



Dear Colleague:

Based upon current standards of OSHA/AHA/JCAHO and Hospital policy, applicants to the Medical Staff and Clinical Fellows are requested to forward their immunization/test records to the Department of Physician Services. For your convenience, a standardized reporting form is enclosed. Specifically, documentation of the following is required:

- ◆ **MEASLES** (for those whose DATE OF BIRTH is 1/1/57 or later), statement of history of illness is not acceptable:

A statement of date of positive antibody titer

Or

Date of Immunization (done after 1/1/69)

- ◆ **RUBELLA** (for those whose DATE OF BIRTH is 1/1/57 or later), statement of history of illness is not acceptable:

A statement of date of positive antibody titer

Or

Date of Immunization

- ◆ **HEPATITIS B**

A statement of date of positive antibody titer

Or

Date of completion of Immunization series

Or

Signed attached waiver

- ◆ **VARICELLA-ZOSTER VIRUS**

A statement of history of illness (chicken pox, shingles, or varicella-zoster)

IF NEGATIVE HISTORY, THEN, result of antibody titer.

- ◆ **TB SKIN TEST**

A statement of result of Montoux skin test, done since 7/1/98.

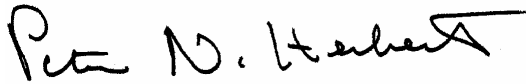
Negative result will require annual TB skin testing; if positive, please provide reason {exposure or BCG vaccination}, date of evaluation, summary of treatment and chest x-ray report since first becoming positive.

Any applicant, who, as a member of the Yale-New Haven Hospital Housestaff had immunizations/testing performed during their training, will need to **PERSONALLY REQUEST** that the Occupational Health Services (203-688-2232), forward a copy of the immunization records to the Department of Physician Services, Hunter 4.

To become compliant if your records are unavailable, please arrange testing and reporting with your personal provider.

Thank you for your cooperation in providing documentation regarding this important matter.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Peter N. Herbert". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "P" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

Peter N. Herbert, M.D.
Chief of Staff