

Updates made to the Clinical Passport for academic year 2025-2026

1. **Physical Exam**

- Added: Faculty are subject to a fit-for-duty requirement; however, this is not required on an annual basis.

2. **Hepatitis B**

- The language has been updated to remove any indication that a student may decline the Hepatitis B vaccine. The title of the form was also revised.

3. **Flu Vaccination**

- Revision: Note 1 is separated into notes 1 & 2.
- Updated Tracker: The middle initial and reasons for exemptions requirements were removed.

4. **Tuberculin Skin Test (PPD) OR an IGRA-test**

- See clinical passport, discussions with MGB is ongoing.

5. **COVID 19**

- full revision
- Updated Tracker: Most recent dose of COVID vaccine Brand/Date is removed. No longer tracked.

6. ~~N95 mask~~ **Respirator Fit testing** (*category header changed*)

- Extensive changes
 - i. Removed
 1. **Note 2:** Students/faculty at BH, HMC, MMC and CDH are not permitted to enter enhanced, strict and airborne isolation rooms and will not be fit tested. Students are not allowed into PUIs at MMC.
 2. **Note 4:** CDH will fit test internship/preceptorship and all clinical groups student/faculty. PPE will be distributed to student/faculty by clinical sites, according to current clinical guidelines. (Exceptions will be made with permissions)
 3. **Note 5:** HMC fit tests and provides on a rental basis a 3M half face elastomeric respirator for all students and faculty.
 - ii. Added: Notes 1 & 3

7. **Criminal Background Check**

- Links added to note 5

8. **Verification Letter**

- High school diploma/ GED removed.