



# EMPLOYEE PNEUMOCOCCAL PNEUMONIA VACCINATION FORM

## INTENTION TO VACCINATE

I have read the CDC Pneumococcal Vaccine Information Sheet regarding the Pneumococcal Pneumonia Vaccination. I have had the opportunity to ask questions, which were answered to my satisfaction. I understand the benefits and risks of the Pneumococcal Pneumonia vaccine. \_\_\_\_\_ (Initial)

I \_\_\_\_\_ (Print Name) If I fall within the intended Vaccination population (Typically age 65 and older) I intend to receive a Pneumococcal Pneumonia vaccination at:

<input type="checkbox"/> A Clinic	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Employer
<input type="checkbox"/> MD	<input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy

## ALREADY VACCINATED

I \_\_\_\_\_ (Print Name) have already received a Pneumococcal Pneumonia vaccine at:

<input type="checkbox"/> A Clinic	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Employer
<input type="checkbox"/> MD	<input type="checkbox"/> Pharmacy

## PNEUMOCOCCAL PNEUMONIA VACCINATION DECLINATION

I \_\_\_\_\_ (Print Name) am aware of the following facts:

- Pneumococcal Pneumonia is caused by the Streptococcus Pneumonia bacteria
- The Pneumococcal Pneumonia causes a specific kind of lung infection
- Pneumococcus is spread through people who are ill or carry the bacteria in their throat
- Pneumococcus can be spread through respiratory droplets from the nose or mouth of an infected person
- Vaccination is the best way to prevent Pneumococcal disease
- Noticeable side effects of both the PPSV23 and PCV13 for Pneumococcal vaccines are rare
- In the US more people die from Pneumococcal disease each year than all other vaccine preventable diseases combined.
- Certain groups of people are recommended to Receive the PPSV23 and PCV 13 Vaccines as recommended on the CDC's Pneumococcal Vaccine Information Sheet
- Adults who have received the PPSV23 Vaccine should wait one year before receiving the PCV13 Vaccine as there is potential for interference between the two vaccines
- Individuals in the at-risk group who have already had Pneumococcal Pneumonia should still receive the vaccine because there are over 90 known serotypes of Pneumococcus and infection with one serotype does not ensure immunity to others
- Pneumococcal Vaccine is on the World Health Organizations List of Essential Medicines

I DECLINE THE OFFER OF VACCINATION FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON(S):

- My Philosophical or Religious Beliefs prohibit Vaccination
- I have a medical contraindication to receiving the vaccine
- I do not wish to say why I decline
- Other Reason (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

By signing below, I indicate that I have read over the applicable section of this form.

Print Name:	Title:
Signature:	Date: