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Influenza Vaccination

Every deploying USAP participant is required to receive an influenza vaccination prior to deployment, effective 14 July 2008.

The National Science Foundation concluded that ‘the flu’ has significantly impacted participants and operations.

You will receive the flu shot in Denver at orientation, in Christchurch prior to departing for Antarctica, or upon arrival at Palmer Station. Alternatively, you may obtain the flu shot from your medical provider during the PQ process and submit the supporting documentation to RPSC Medical.

Receiving the vaccination is a condition of your deployment. Exemptions based on medical reasons will be considered on an individual basis.

This sheet must be signed and returned to the RPSC Medical department prior to the purchase of deployment airline tickets.

Please sign, date and return this completed form to:

Raytheon Polar Services
Medical Department
7400 S. Tucson Way
Centennial, CO 80112

Or, fax to RPSC Medical at 303.649.9275

My signature below indicates that I am aware of this new requirement and agree to receive an influenza vaccine for the 2008-2009 season.

Printed Name

Signature

Date