IMMUNISATIONS AND VACCINATIONS

MEASLES MUMPS AND RUBELLA (MMR)

For your own safety and safety of your clients you are required to demonstrate non-susceptibility to vaccine preventable diseases by the designated closing date to be eligible for your WIL placement. Students who are not fully immunised put themselves, clients, and WIL placement providers at risk through potential contamination or spreading of infection and diseases.

REQUIREMENT

You are required to provide evidence of completing a course of MMR vaccination listed below.

Age given	Number of doses	Accepted dose schedule	
Under 12 years of age	2 doses	0 month	1 month
Over 12 years of age	2 adult doses	0 month	1 month
Born before 1966	Not required	-	-

Brand names: M-M-R II, Priorix, Priorix-tera, ProQuad.

The approved form of evidence (what to submit in Sonia) is to be submitted before the closing date that is designated for the WIL placement unit.

VALID: Once only requirement

WHAT TO SUBMIT IN SONIA

<u>Immunisation History Statement</u> that lists all vaccinations on the Australian Immunisation Register (AIR)

or

Patient Immunisation Summary from your medical practitioner showing dates and batch numbers

or

Positive serology (blood test) results showing immunity for all three diseases (only required if you do not have evidence of the vaccinations). Please note that having a blood test may incur a cost.

WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW

If you provide only serology results as evidence for placement instead of vaccinations, you must show an adequate level of immunity (positive) to all three diseases. Low positive, equivocal or negative for one or all these diseases cannot be accepted, and a course of MMR vaccination must be undertaken in these circumstances.

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