



**Candidate Request for Religious Exemption From COVID Vaccination Requirement**

Pursuant to the University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus COVID-19 Vaccination Requirement Policy, all University of Colorado Anschutz Medical Campus community members, including all employees<sup>1</sup> and badged affiliates<sup>2</sup> are required to be immunized against COVID-19 prior to September 1, 2021. However, the University recognizes religious exemptions that would not unduly burden the health and safety of other individuals, patients, or the campus community.

**To be completed by school, college or department:**

For notification **only** of exemption request outcome (no exemption request information will be shared) –

Position Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Position Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Interviewing School/College/Department: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Partner Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Business Partner Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**To be completed by candidate:**

Candidate Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Candidate Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Candidate Statement of Exemption**

I am hereby requesting a religious exemption from vaccination against COVID-19. The information I have provided on this form is complete and accurate. I understand that if granted a religious exemption from the COVID-19 vaccination, I may be required to follow CU Anschutz policies and procedures that apply to individuals who are not vaccinated against COVID-19.

**REQUIRED** Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*\*\*\*You may attach a longer narrative document that addresses these questions if the space below is not sufficient\*\*\**

**1. Please explain why your sincerely held religious belief, practice, or observance prevents you from getting the vaccination for which you are requesting an exemption? Please include a detailed response for each vaccine for which you are requesting an exemption.**

**2. Have you had an influenza or other vaccine in the past? How does this differ?**

<sup>1</sup> The term “employees” includes, but is not limited to, staff, faculty, post-doctoral fellows, medical residents and fellows.

<sup>2</sup>The term “badged affiliates” includes, but is not limited to, any individual who has a CU Anschutz badge to access campus facilities, including badged contractors and employees at affiliated institutions who have CU Anschutz badges and access campus facilities on a regular basis.