## **Instructions for the Immunization Requirement Form**

Return the signed and completed form online through the Patient Portal at:

https://www.pace.edu/patientportal

Return by the following dates:

Fall Term: August 1 | Spring Term: December 1 | Summer I Term: May 1 | Summer II Term: June 1

ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTION MUST CLEARLY SHOW THE DATES OF VACCINATIONS ON THEM.

PART TWO: MENINGOCOCCAL MENINGITIS: To be filled out completely by the student.

On July 22, 2003, Governor Pataki signed New York State Public Health Law (NYS PHL) 2167 requiring institutions, including colleges and universities, to distribute information about meningococcal disease and vaccination to all students meeting the enrollment criteria, whether they live on or off campus.

Pace University is required to maintain a record of the following for each student:

Certificate of Immunization for meningococcal meningitis disease; or

A response to receipt of meningococcal meningitis disease and vaccine information signed by the student or the guardian; the meningococcal meningitis immunization must have been administered within the past 5 years; or

An acknowledgement of meningococcal disease risks and refusal of meningococcal meningitis immunization signed by the student or or guardian.

Resident first-year students are **strongly encouraged** to receive a meningitis vaccination.

Students in a **nursing** program or a **physician assistant** program **must complete** this part of the form and submit with a copy of the blood titer results required for participation in those programs.

The University Health Care (UHC) Office can assist you in fulfilling these requirements. Inoculations can be administered for Measles, Mumps, and Rubella (MMR). The Meningitis vaccine may be available. You may contact them directly at the numbers below to make an appointment.

New York UHC (212) 346-1600 Westchester UHC (914) 773-3760