

The College of New Jersey
Animal Research Medical Monitoring Questionnaire

Name: _____ TCNJ ID# _____

TCNJ Email: _____ Date of Birth _____ Gender: _____

Protocol # _____

Add your name and TCNJ ID # to all pages

Work Status: (check only one)

- TCNJ EMPLOYEE: Full-time or part-time employee with job duties in animal facilities OR animal research in their job description.

_____ FACULTY _____ STAFF _____ STUDENT EMPLOYEE
- _____ STUDENT RESEARCHER: A student works with vertebrate animals but is not employed by TCNJ.

What is your role?

_____ I am not handling animals, but will be working in areas where animals are housed.

_____ I will handle or have regular contact with animals.

Indicate the animals you will be handling or having regular contact with (check all that apply):

_____ Mice (Laboratory)

_____ Snakes (Non-Venomous)

_____ Fish

_____ Mice (Wild)

_____ Snakes (Venomous)

_____ Birds

_____ Rats (Laboratory)

_____ Amphibians

_____ Reptiles

Other (identify): _____

Describe your duties as they pertain to your potential exposure to these animals: _____

Who is your Research Supervisor / Principal Investigator? _____

To meet the requirements of the IACUC Occupational Health & Safety Program, The College of New Jersey is required to obtain an initial medical evaluation and clearance for all personnel whose job duties or academic work bring them in direct contact with animals and animal research. Following the required initial medical evaluation, on an annual basis EHS will contact all Principal Investigators to offer a subsequent (referred to as an “annual”) medical evaluation. All medical evaluations are offered at no charge to TCNJ personnel.

Indicate your medical evaluation and clearance status (you must select one), then complete the Medical Surveillance Questionnaire (beginning on page 3):

_____ **Initial**

For all NEW faculty, staff, student workers and student researchers, and returning personnel with a change in research duties.

_____ **Follow-Up**

For faculty, staff, or student workers that have previously been medically cleared (such as during the initial medical evaluation).

Reviewing Healthcare Provider, after review:

- *Return to TCNJ: Pages 1 & 2*
 - *Research/Protocol Information and Reviewing Healthcare Provider determination*
- *Do NOT return to TCNJ: Pages 3 & 4*
 - *Medical Surveillance Questionnaire (has personal information)*

This section is to be completed by the Reviewing Healthcare Provider

I have reviewed the examinee's form, and based on the responses:

____ Examinee may perform the functions of their research with no medical restrictions.

____ Examinee may not perform the functions of their research.

____ Examinee may perform the functions of their research with specific limitations or accommodations.

____ Examinee must receive a follow-up examination from their primary physician or healthcare provider, prior to working with animals.

Recommendations:

Healthcare Provider's Signature

Date

Healthcare Provider's Name (Print)

Office Address: _____

Office telephone #: _____

TCNJ Employee Medical Monitoring File (Confidential) for all Faculty, Staff, and Student Workers will be maintained securely by Environmental Health and Safety, Maintenance Building

TCNJ Student Medical Records (Confidential) for all Student Researchers will be maintained securely by Student Health Services. Upload the completed form to OWL at <https://tcnj.medicatconnect.com>.

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MEDICAL SURVEILLANCE QUESTIONNAIRE**Instructions:** Answer all questions

Do not return the completed form to a TCNJ employee

Immunizations:

Provide the date(s) you received the following vaccinations. If you do not know the date of vaccination, write "Received" to indicate you have received the immunization. If you are unsure if you have received this immunization, write "Unknown".

Hepatitis A	Hepatitis B	Tetanus Booster
Dose #1: _____	Dose #1: _____	Most Recent: _____
Dose #2: _____	Dose #2: _____	
Or, laboratory test for immunity: _____	Dose #3: _____	
	Or, laboratory test for immunity: _____	

Allergy History:

1. Are you allergic to any medicines? ___Yes ___No

If Yes, list the name of the medicine and describe your reaction: _____

2. Do you have any of the following? (check all that apply)

___Chronic cough ___Chronic allergies (list): _____

___Itchy, irritated eyes ___Hay fever ___Skin rash

3. Do you have a history of asthma? ___Yes ___No

If Yes, provide details (when does it occur, what triggers it, how it is managed & controlled):

4. Do you use any medicine for your asthma? ___Yes ___No

If Yes, list the name(s) of the medicine(s) and how often you use them: _____

5. Have you ever experienced any of the following symptoms associated with animal contact (check all that apply, and note the type of animal):

___Sneezing ___Runny Nose ___Itchy, watery eyes ___Itchy skin

___Rash ___Hives ___Shortness of breath ___Wheezing

___Chest tightness ___Cough ___Anaphylaxis ___None

List Animals: _____

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6. Are you allergic to any of the following? (check all that apply)

- ☐ Dogs ☐ Cats ☐ Cattle ☐ Horses ☐ Birds (feathers)
☐ Hogs ☐ Primates ☐ Rabbits ☐ Goats ☐ Sheep (wool)
☐ Guinea Pigs ☐ Mice ☐ Rats ☐ Latex ☐ Grasses
☐ Trees ☐ Weeds ☐ Alfalfa ☐ Insect stings/bites
☐ Chemicals (list): _____
☐ Other (list): _____
☐ No allergies

If you checked one or more of the above (except "No Allergies"), elaborate by describing your reaction and what you do for it: _____

7. Do you have any skin problems, such as reactions to latex, dry/cracked skin, rashes? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, describe: _____

Medical Factors:

1. In the last three months, have you taken any medications which might suppress your immune system (e.g. prednisone, cortisone, chemotherapy, methotrexate, etc.)? ☐ Yes ☐ No

2. Do you have any chronic medical conditions that might suppress your immune system (e.g., cancer, leukemia, lymphoma, diabetes, HIV or AIDS, tuberculosis, liver or kidney disease, alcoholism)?

☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, specify condition: _____

3. In the past year, did you develop any new medical problems? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, describe: _____

For Females:

1. Are you pregnant? ☐ Yes ☐ No

2. Are you planning on becoming pregnant within the next year? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Note: Alert the Office Environmental Health and Safety if or when you do become pregnant. This may impact your research duties, and must be taken into consideration when performing research under certain protocols.

ATTESTATION – read, date, and sign

I have answered the questions on this form truthfully, and to the best of my recollection. The Institutional Animal Care and Use Committee (IACUC) may be informed only of the date of evaluation to verify my participation in the program, and whether or not I may continue to work with laboratory animals (or any restrictions in doing so).

Applicant's Signature

Date