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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND RELEASE FORM HEPATITIS B

I hereby acknowledge that I have received and reviewed the information provided regarding Hepatitis B and the Hepatitis B vaccine. I understand that I assume the risk of infection from communicable diseases, including Hepatitis B, from my clinical experience.

I understand that receiving the Hepatitis B vaccine is highly recommended but not required at this time, except for certain designated Program clinicals. I also understand that should I elect to receive the Hepatitis B vaccine, I will obtain it from my own health care provider and it will be my responsibility to pay the cost for the series of three injections. According to Gateway Policy H-185, "A student, upon signing and informal release, may voluntarily waive the Hepatitis B vaccination. However, the college cannot guarantee that the said student will be admitted to clinical sites if he/she elects to waive the Hepatitis B vaccination."

I understand that all medical bills associated with injuries, illnesses or contracting a communicable disease during my clinical education are my responsibility; neither Gateway Technical College nor the affiliating clinical agencies have an obligation to pay my medical expenses.

Please initial **ONE** of the following:

_____ I have read the preceding statements regarding Hepatitis B and the Hepatitis B vaccine. I am aware of my responsibilities and I elect **NOT** to receive the vaccine.

_____ I have received the Hepatitis B Vaccine. List dates of vaccinations below.

Hepatitis #1 _____ Hepatitis #2 _____ Hepatitis #3 _____

Hepatitis Titer (date completed and results): _____

Health Care Provider Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Health Care Provider Printed Name: _____

Health Care Provider Contact Information: _____

Student Signature _____ **ID #** _____

If student is a minor (under 18 years of age) signature of parent/legal guardian is required.

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature _____ **Date** _____

Complete and forward to any Student Services Center:

Burlington Center
496 McCanna Pkwy
Burlington, WI 53105

Elkhorn Campus
400 County Road H
Elkhorn, WI 53121

Kenosha Campus
3520 - 30th Avenue
Kenosha, WI 53144

Racine Campus
1001 S. Main Street
Racine, WI 53403