



SANKOFA FREEDOM ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL

Immunization Exemption Letter

To Whom It May Concern:

Re: Religious/Philosophical/Strong Moral Exemption

I, _____, being the legal guardian of _____ object to the immunization requirements as outlined by the Department of Health of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania as defined in **28 PA. CODE CH.23** on the basis of a strong moral or ethical conviction similar to a religious belief as outlined in section § 23.84 Exemption from immunization.

Attached is a copy of the School Immunizations Rules and Regulations [**28 PA. CODE CH. 23**] for your records.

Sincerely,

Parent/Guardian Signature

Phone number

§ 23.84. Exemption from immunization. [28 PA. CODE CH.23]

(a) Medical exemption. Children need not be immunized if a physician or the physician's designee provides a written statement that immunization may be detrimental to the health of the child. When the physician determines that immunization is no longer detrimental to the health of the child, the child shall be immunized according to this subchapter.

(b) Religious exemption. Children need not be immunized if the parent, guardian or emancipated child objects in writing to the immunization on religious grounds or on the basis of a strong moral or ethical conviction similar to a religious belief.