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First aid certificates obtained overseas from internationally recognised organisations, such as the Red Cross/Red Crescent or St John Ambulance, are acceptable provided they cover the topics above, including CPR for adults and infants. It is the responsibility of the student to provide evidence on the content covered in the course.

UQ Sport offers a first aid course delivered at the St Lucia campus, which students can enrol to take prior to the commencement of MD Year 1. For more information please see the UQ Sport website: www.uqsport.com.au/

Students will be asked to produce a current first aid certificate before the first day of the program. Do not leave it until the last minute to gain your first aid certificate.

Students unable to produce evidence of completion of the certificate as required before the commencement of classes will not have met the enrolment requirements and will have their enrolment in the MD program cancelled.

2. Immunisation

To minimise the health risks to both medical students and patients, the Faculty of Medicine requires that all students comply with the University's immunisation policy 2.60.08 Vaccinations and Immunisation.

The Student Immunisation Record form is due prior to the Year 1 orientation. The form must be completed by a registered medical practitioner. Students unable to produce a completed Form 1 at the Year 1 Orientation will be breaching the MD Program Rules and may have their enrolment cancelled. Please note it can take up to 6 months to obtain immunity to Hepatitis B, it is recommended that you commence this course as soon as possible.

Students are required to supply proof of Hepatitis A vaccinations, immunity to Hepatitis B (serology report), must be screened for HIV and Hepatitis C and require immunity to MMR, Varicella and DTP. All students will be screened for TB during their first year. The Faculty of Medicine collects this information in a confidential way and will not distribute this information to anyone, except for public safety reasons.

Please note that it is the student's responsibility to ensure they are abiding by all necessary guidelines as per the Queensland Health Guideline for the management of occupational exposure to blood and body fluids.

3. Additional Requirements

Closer to the commencement of studies students will be contacted to complete additional forms for the MD program. Typically these forms include indicating your commitment to professionalism and providing consent for use of your student photo for hospital identification purposes.

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