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## NOTICE

### HBV Vaccination Requirement for Students

This is for the information of all students that we are implementing a mandatory HBV (Hepatitis B Virus) vaccination requirement for well-being and safety of students and maintaining a healthy campus environment.

The HBV vaccine is a safe and effective way to protect yourself against liver infection (Hepatitis B) and severe health complications, if left this infection untreated. It is typically administered in a series of three doses over several months, so it's important to start the process as soon as possible. A free vaccination facility is available at the **Hepatitis OPD of Civil Hospital and SIUT**.

To comply with this requirement, students should to take the following steps:

1. *Consult with your family physician or a consultant in Hepatitis OPD in CHK to confirm your eligibility through screening.*
2. *Proceed to receive the HBV vaccination privately or from Hepatitis OPD of CHK or SIUT on an immediate basis.*
3. *Once you have received the HBV vaccine, please provide documentation of your vaccination to the Coordination Cell – DMC. This can be in the form of a signed and stamped vaccination record or a letter from your physician.*

**Note:** Those who are already vaccinated, should submit a document of their vaccination to the Coordination Cell – DMC latest by **Saturday, 24<sup>th</sup> June, 2023.**

**Prof. Saba Sohail**  
Principal

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