IMPORTANT INFORMATION

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TO: All Entering Students of LSU Health Sciences Center

Congratulations on your acceptance. We are eagerly anticipating your arrival at LSUHSC and your
addition to the LSUHSC family.

Your health forms include medical history information, physical examination, mandatory tests and
immunization information. A completed health form is a mandatory component of the registration
process. Your health care provider should perform all examinations, immunizations, laboratory tests
and supporting documents as required. Please make a copy of all records before submitting.

All completed forms and supporting documents must be returned to the LSUHSC student
health services no later than three (3) weeks prior to registration.

WARNING: Due to the large volume of health forms and records being received by Student Health
during registration periods, neither Student Health nor Student Affairs offices can verify whether your
health care provider actually mailed or faxed materials to Student Health.

*Especially important is proof of immunity to Hepatitis B or documentation that the Hepatitis B vaccine
double or triple series has begun (1st immunization) and is current prior to registration. Specifically, the
2nd immunization must be given 30 days following the 1st immunization and the 3rd immunization must
be 6 months following the first immunization. If the 2nd or 3rd immunization is due before
registration, you must show proof of them to avoid a block.

Once you are a registered LSUHSC student, the remaining Hepatitis immunizations as well as yearly
updates of Tuberculin skin tests can be performed by Student Health Services for a fee. It will be your
responsibility to “mark your calendar” for future immunizations/test dates. Once again, it is conceivable
that you could be blocked from registering, final grade reports, transcripts, or graduation materials if
your health record in not kept current.

Again, welcome aboard and we look forward to serving you.

Please keep a copy of all records.

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