COVID-19 vaccination requirements

The George Washington University requires students, faculty, residents, fellows, and staff in GW-owned or -operated facilities to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19, unless they receive an approved exemption.

The following guidance applies to this new requirement:

- Any vaccine authorized by the United States Food and Drug Administration (FDA) or the World Health Organization (WHO) will be accepted. This information may change as the FDA and WHO authorize (or approve) additional vaccines.
- Vaccination cards must be uploaded to the Occupational Health medical portal. Instructions for this process will be provided with the resident/fellow onboarding packet.
- Limited exemptions, such as for medical or religious reasons, may be granted.
- Additional information can be found at this site: https://coronavirus.gwu.edu/vaccine

The DC Board of Medicine requires all health care providers in the District of Columbia to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19. All licensed and unlicensed health care workers must submit a self-attestation for COVID vaccine status. Individuals who meet the requirements for an exemption to the vaccine mandate will need to submit a request for exemption to the Board of Medicine.