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## Informed Consent for Immunization

This year's vaccine is a single vaccine incorporating the H1N1 vaccine into the seasonal flu vaccine. The 2010/11 vaccine consists of A/California/7/2009 (H1N1)-like strain, A/Perth/16/2009 (H3N2)-like strain and B/Brisbane/60/2008.

The type and amount of viral antigens contained in the flu shot conform to current requirements of the World Health Organization (WHO) and the Public Health Agency of Canada.

### Potential Side Effects

1. Some people experience redness and tenderness at the injection site for 1-2 days.
2. Less than 10% of those vaccinated can develop flu-like symptoms such as fever, headache, or a mildly upset stomach beginning shortly after the injection and lasting 24-48 hours. Tylenol/Advil can be taken.
3. Allergic reactions are rare and usually occur immediately after the injection. They include hives, swelling of the mouth and throat, low blood pressure, and difficulty breathing.

### Who should not get these vaccines:

1. People with an active neurological disorder.
2. People who are allergic to eggs or egg products.
3. People who have had a previous allergic reaction to any vaccine.
4. People with a fever or infection at the time of immunization should wait until their symptoms have abated.
5. People allergic to thimerosal (a preservative found in contact lens solution), gelatin, and formaldehyde.

**If you develop a high fever, unexpected side effects, or side effects that last more than 24 hours, see a doctor.**

*"I have read the above and understand the benefits, risks, and possible complications of receiving the flu shot and will not hold Stein Medical Clinic or any representative of Stein Medical Clinic who administers the flu shot liable for any adverse reaction that I may suffer."*

Company Name	Name of Employee	Birthdate of Employee Day/M/YR

Care Card Number	Signature of Employee	Date	Stein Medical Witness