

Requests by Patients for Hepatitis B Immunisation

You have requested Hepatitis B immunisation for your job or for your training course.

GPs do not provide an occupational health service as part of their NHS responsibility nor can they provide this service to you even if you are willing to pay for it.

Under Health and Safety Regulations, your employer or University/College has a duty to provide a safe working environment and, therefore, appropriate health advice for those at risk of infection with Hepatitis B.

We advise you to contact your employer or University/College and show them this letter. They will be able to make arrangements with an occupational health provider for the provision of any immunisation which you may require following an appropriate assessment.

Employers or educational institutions can contact Glasgow Local Medical Committee for further information. We are sorry that we cannot offer advice to individual patients on this matter.

**On behalf of
Glasgow Local Medical Committee**