

International Student Under 18 Years of Age Agreement

Standard 5 of the National Code of Practice for Providers of Education and Training to Overseas Students 2018 states:

Standard 5 clarifies the requirement that appropriate accommodation, support and general welfare arrangements be in place for the period that the student will be under 18 years of age while in Australia.

Where a parent or suitable relative has been nominated and who will be fully responsible for the welfare arrangements of a student visa holder who is under the age of 18 years, Sero Institute must hold evidence that clearly indicate this arrangement is in place.

Sero Institute must, if required, satisfy the Department of Home Affairs requirement that appropriate welfare arrangements are in place for under 18 students before a visa is granted.

Student Information

Student Number: _____

Family Name: _____ Given Names: _____

Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / ____ Email Address: _____

Nationality (as per passport): _____ Passport Number: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Information

Relationship to student: _____

Family Name: _____ Given Names: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ Country: _____ Post/Zip Code: _____

Welfare Arrangements

Option 1:

- My child will be living with me.**

Please provide a certified copy of photo identification such as a passport, or driver's license and please read and complete the Parent/ Legal Guardian Declaration.

- I acknowledge that Sero Institute will not be accepting responsibility for my child's welfare. The Department of Home Affairs will approve the welfare and accommodation arrangements and Sero Institute is not required to issue a Confirmation of Appropriate Accommodation and Welfare (CAAW) letter with the CoE.

Option 2:

- My child will be living with an eligible relative over the age of 21.**

An eligible relative is a grandparent, brother, sister, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew or step-grandparent, step-brother, step-sister, step-aunt, step-uncle, step-niece, step-nephew.

Please provide a certified copy of photo identification for the carer such as passport, or driver's licence and complete the Parent/Legal Guardian Declaration.

- I acknowledge that Sero Institute will not be accepting responsibility for my child's welfare. The Department of Home Affairs will approve the welfare and accommodation arrangements and Sero Institute is not required to issue a Confirmation of Appropriate Accommodation and Welfare (CAAW) letter with the CoE.

Option 3:

- The student **will not be cared for while in Australia by a parent, guardian or suitable nominated relative.** The student organises accommodation with the Australian Homestay Network and guardianship arrangements with either Professional Student Care Australia or the International Student Alliance Student Care & Welfare Services. The student is responsible for any fees and costs associated with these arrangements.

- I acknowledge that Sero Institute will be accepting responsibility for my child's welfare. SERO Institute
 will issue a Confirmation of Appropriate Accommodation and Welfare (CAAW) letter with the CoE.

Parent/Guardian Declaration:

I declare that:

- I have read and understand the terms and conditions asset out in Sero Institute's Under 18 Years of Age Student Policy.*
- The information provided in this form is true and correct.*

Parent/Legal Guardian's signature: _____

Print name: _____

Student signature: _____

Date: _____