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California’s [College Student Right to Access Act \(Senate Bill 24\)](#) requires the California State University’s (CSU) on-campus student health centers to provide medication abortion services effective January 1, 2023. The induction or performance of an abortion, including abortion by medication, is a component of providing health care and family planning services to students. In recognition of licensed healthcare professional employees’ personal views on the matter and in compliance with [California Health and Safety Code Section 123420](#), CSU shall acknowledge and accommodate a licensed healthcare professional’s refusal to directly participate in the induction or performance of an abortion, including abortion by medication, when a currently employed licensed healthcare professional has filed a written statement declaring their moral, ethical, or religious basis for refusing to participate in the abortion.

This form may be used by a licensed healthcare professional currently employed and directly involved in providing health care and family planning services to declare that they have a moral, ethical, or religious basis for their refusal to participate in an abortion.

This form must also be signed by the appropriate administrator and placed in the employee’s personnel file.

<u>Employee Name</u>	<u>Employee ID #</u>
<u>Name of Appropriate Administrator</u>	<u>Appropriate Administrator Title</u>

I, the above-named, declare that I have a moral, ethical, or religious basis for refusing to participate in an abortion. Therefore, I request to opt-out of providing medication abortion services in the student health center. By signing this form, I attest that this is true and accurate. I understand that the appropriate administrator is required to acknowledge and sign this statement to ensure that appropriate measures are taken to uphold and accommodate my request.

Employee Signature

Date

Appropriate Administrator Signature

Date