

MINOR

**NORTH DAKOTA UNIVERSITY SYSTEM
PARTICIPATION, WAIVER, AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FORM**

Team Name: _____ Semester & School Year: _____

Intramural Activity: _____

(To be signed by adults if the participant is under 18 years of age.)

Acknowledgment and Assumption of Risk

The undersigned parent and/or legal guardian does hereby acknowledge that he/she is aware that the intramural activity specified above may be a vigorous activity that can involve severe cardiovascular stress and potentially violent physical contact.

I understand that this activity involves certain risks for physical injury to the participant. I understand that equipment, if any, which may be provided for the participant’s protection may be inadequate to prevent serious injury. I also understand that there may be potential risks of which the participant and I may not presently be aware.

In addition, I understand that participation in this activity (whether for practice, performance, or game) involves activities and risks incidental thereto including, but not limited to, travel to and from the site of the activity, participation at sites that may be remote from available medical assistance, and exposure to the possible reckless conduct of other participants.

Nevertheless, **the undersigned parent and/or legal guardian acknowledges that the participant voluntarily elects to participate in this activity with knowledge of the danger involved, and hereby agrees to accept and assume any and all risks of property damage, personal injury, or death.**

The University does not insure students in the Intramural Program and students who want to be covered must obtain their own insurance. The University asserts lack of responsibility or liability for injury resulting from the provision of the Intramural Program.

Waiver of Liability and Indemnification

In consideration for being allowed to voluntarily participate in the above-referenced intramural event, on behalf of the participant, the participant’s personal representatives, heirs, next of kin, successors and assigns, the undersigned parent and/or legal guardian forever:

- a. **waives, releases, and discharges the State of North Dakota** and its agencies, officers, and employees from any and all negligence and liability for the participant’s death, disability, personal injury, property damages, property theft or claims of any nature which may hereafter accrue to the participant, and the participant’s estate as a direct or indirect result of participation in the above referenced intramural activity or event; and
- b. **indemnify, save, and hold harmless the State of North Dakota** and its agencies, officers, and employees of, from and against any and all claims of any nature including all costs, expenses, and fees arising out of or resulting from the participant’s actions during this activity or event.

*I, the undersigned parent and/or legal guardian, affirm that I am freely signing this agreement. **I have read this form and fully understand that by signing this form I am giving up legal rights** and/or remedies which may otherwise be available to the minor participant regarding any losses the participant may sustain as a result of participation in the activity. I agree that if any portion is held invalid, the remainder will continue in full legal force and effect.

CAUTION: READ BEFORE SIGNING

Name of Minor: _____ Age of Minor: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: * _____ Date _____

Printed Name of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

Witness: _____ Date _____