

CRESTMONT ATHLETICS PERMISSION FOR PARTICIPATION IN ATHLETICS

Student Name:	Grade:	_ Date of Birth:	
Address:		Zip:	
Primary Parent Name:			
Family Physician:	Physican Phone:		
Hospital preference:			
If a parent cannot be reached, the alternate emerg	ency contact is:		
Emergency Contact 1:	Relation:	Phone:	
Emergency Contact 2:	Relation:	Phone:	
Please indicate your student's Sports Choice - a	II sports are availa	ble for 5th-12 grade:	
Volleyball Basketball (both boys & girls)	Cross Country_	Track	
NOTE: Sport Clubs are available for Golf, Archery and more information. Permission for participation, liability value sports.			
ACKNOWLEDGEME	NT OF RISK		
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I hereby give permission for:	is inherent in all sport o physical disability w	ts. I declare that the above	

In the event of a serious accident or long-term illness, the student is required to provide a private physician's certificate granting the student athlete permission to participate and/or to return to sports.

GRANT OF PERMISSION FOR MEDICAL ATTENTION

I/we the undersigned, (person above name or, if minor, parents/guardians) hereby grant permission and authority to Crestmont Christian Preparatory School, its' authorized employees or volunteers to act for us in executing verbal instructions or if unable to contact us, to act for us in dealing with physicians, available ambulance companies and hospitals, to obtain prompt medical attention for the participant's name above in the event of any perceived medical emergency. I hereby covenant and agree to release Crestmont Christian Preparatory School, its agents and employees and owners of any property concerned, and hold harmless from liability for any injury or damaged which I/My Child may sustain while at Crestmont Christian Preparatory School, or participating in any activity sponsored by Crestmont Christian Preparatory School, and from any liability connected with obtaining prompt medical attention for the person named above.

PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS

A Preparticipation Physical Evaluation Form is required annually for any student who participates in any practice, scrimmage, or game. A physical examination will be conducted by a physician who will complete the required form. This form must be submitted prior to the start of the sport season, along with the **Sudden Cardiac Arrest Awareness Form** and the **Concussion Acknowledgement form.**

I hereby give permission for the above student to participate in organized middle/high school athletics with Crestmont Christian Preparatory School and acknowledge that I have read and understand and comply with all the regulations set forth.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE:

OTUDENT ATHESTS OLONATUDE			
STUDENT-ATHLETE SIGNATURE:		 	
OFFICE USE ONLY: Date of Physical:			
Circle Sport(s) Selected: Volleyball	Basketball	Cross Country	Track
Consent forms on file: Concussion	n Form on file: F	W S Cardia	ac Arrest: F W S

This MEDICAL HISTORY FORM must be completed annually by parent (or guardian) and student in order for the student to participate in activities. These questions are designed to determine if the student has developed any condition which would make it hazardous to participate in an event. Sex ___ Student's Name: (print) ___ Age__ Date of Birth_ Address School Grade Personal Physician _ In case of emergency, contact: Name Relationship Phone (H) Explain "Yes" answers in the box below**. Circle questions you don't know the answers to. Yes No Have you had a medical illness or injury since your last check Have you ever gotten unexpectedly short of breath with 13. up or physical? exercise? 2. Have you been hospitalized overnight in the past year? Do you have asthma? П Have you ever had surgery? Do you have seasonal allergies that require medical treatment? П 3. Have you ever had prior testing for the heart ordered by a Do you use any special protective or corrective equipment or 14. physician? devices that aren't usually used for your activity or position Have you ever passed out during or after exercise? (for example, knee brace, special neck roll, foot orthotics, Have you ever had chest pain during or after exercise? retainer on your teeth, hearing aid)? Do you get tired more quickly than your friends do during 15. Have you ever had a sprain, strain, or swelling after injury? Have you broken or fractured any bones or dislocated any Have you ever had racing of your heart or skipped heartbeats? joints? Have you had high blood pressure or high cholesterol? Have you had any other problems with pain or swelling in Have you ever been told you have a heart murmur? muscles, tendons, bones, or joints? Has any family member or relative died of heart problems or of If yes, check appropriate box and explain below: sudden unexplained death before age 50? Has any family member been diagnosed with enlarged heart, Head □ Elbow Hip (dilated cardiomyopathy), hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, long Neck Forearm Thigh QT syndrome or other ion channel pathy (Brugada syndrome, Back Wrist Knee etc), Marfan's syndrome, or abnormal heart rhythm? Shin/Calf Chest Hand Have you had a severe viral infection (for example, Shoulder Finger Ankle myocarditis or mononucleosis) within the last month? Upper Arm Foot Has a physician ever denied or restricted your participation in 16. Do you want to weigh more or less than you do now? П activities for any heart problems? 17 Do you feel stressed out? Have you ever had a head injury or concussion? 18. Have you ever been diagnosed with or treated for sickle cell П Have you ever been knocked out, become unconscious, or lost trait or sickle cell disease? your memory? I choose not to provide written information on Question 19 but will discuss with a medical professional: Females Only If yes, how many times? _ 19. When was your first menstrual period? When was your last concussion? When was your most recent menstrual period? How severe was each one? (Explain below) How much time do you usually have from the start of one period to the start of Have you ever had a seizure? another? Do you have frequent or severe headaches? How many periods have you had in the last year? Have you ever had numbness or tingling in your arms, hands, What was the longest time between periods in the last year? legs or feet? I choose not to provide written information on Question 20 but will Males Only Have you ever had a stinger, burner, or pinched nerve? discuss with a medical professional: 5. Are you missing any paired organs? 20. Are you missing a testicle? Are you under a doctor's care? Do you have any testicular swelling or masses? Are you currently taking any prescription or non-prescription An electrocardiogram (ECG) is not required. I have read and understand the information (over-the-counter) medication or pills or using an inhaler? about cardiac screening on the UIL Sudden Cardiac Arrest Awareness Form. By checking Do you have any allergies (for example, to pollen, medicine, this box, I choose to obtain an ECG for my student for additional cardiac screening. I food, or stinging insects)? understand it is the responsibility of my family to schedule and pay for such ECG. 9. Have you ever been dizzy during or after exercise? EXPLAIN 'YES' ANSWERS IN THE BOX BELOW (attach another sheet if necessary): 10. Do you have any current skin problems (for example, itching, rashes, acne, warts, fungus, or blisters)? 11. Have you ever become ill from exercising in the heat? 12. Have you had any problems with your eyes or vision? It is understood that even though protective equipment is worn by athletes, whenever needed, the possibility of an accident still remains. Neither the University Interscholastic League nor the school assumes any responsibility in case an accident occurs. If, in the judgment of any representative of the school, the above student should need immediate care and treatment as a result of any injury or sickness. I do hereby request, authorize, and consent to such care and treatment as may be given said student by any physician, athletic trainer, nurse or school representative. I do hereby agree to indemnify and save harmless the school and any school or hospital representative from any claim by any person on account of such care and treatment of said student. If, between this date and the beginning of participation, any illness or injury should occur that may limit this student's participation, I agree to notify the school authorities of such illness or I hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, my answers to the above questions are complete and correct. Failure to provide truthful responses could subject the student in question to penalties determined by the UIL Student Signature: Parent/Guardian Signature: Any Yes answer to questions 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, or 6 requires further medical evaluation which may include a physical examination. Written clearance from a physician, physician assistant, chiropractor, or nurse practitioner is required before any participation in UIL practices, games or matches. THIS FORM MUST BE ON FILE PRIOR TO PARTICIPATION IN ANY PRACTICE, SCRIMMAGE, PERFORMANCE OR CONTEST BEFORE, DURING OR AFTER SCHOOL. For School Use Only:

Date

Signature

This Medical History Form was reviewed by: Printed Name

PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION -- PHYSICAL EXAMINATION Student's Name _____ Sex ____ Age ____ Date of Birth___ Height _____ Weight____ % Body fat (optional) _____ Pulse ____ BP___/__(_/__, __/__) brachial blood pressure while sitting Vision: R 20/____ L 20/___ Corrected: □ Y □ N Pupils: □ Equal □ Unequal As a minimum requirement, this Physical Examination Form must be completed prior to junior high participation and again prior to first and third years of high school participation. It must be completed if there are yes answers to specific questions on the student's MEDICAL HISTORY FORM on the reverse side. * Local district policy may require an annual physical exam. NORMAL ABNORMAL FINDINGS MEDICAL Appearance Eyes/Ears/Nose/Throat Lymph Nodes Heart-Auscultation of the heart in the supine position. Heart-Auscultation of the heart in the standing position. Heart-Lower extremity pulses Pulses Lungs Abdomen Genitalia (males only) if indicated Skin Marfan's stigmata (arachnodactyly, pectus excavatum, joint hypermobility, scoliosis) Neck Back Shoulder/Arm Elbow/Forearm Wrist/Hand Hip/Thigh Knee Leg/Ankle Foot *station-based examination only **CLEARANCE** □ Cleared ☐ Cleared after completing evaluation/rehabilitation for: □ Not cleared for: Reason: Recommendations: The following information must be filled in and signed by either a Physician, a Physician Assistant licensed by a State Board of Physician Assistant Examiners, a Registered Nurse recognized as an Advanced Practice Nurse by the Board of Nurse Examiners, or a Doctor of Chiropractic. Examination forms signed by any other health care practitioner, will not be accepted. Name (print/type) _____ Date of Examination: _____ Address: ____ Phone Number: _____

Must be completed before a student participates in any practice, before, during or after school, (both in-season and out-of-season) or performance/games/matches.

CONCUSSION ACKNOWLEDGEMENT FORM

Name of S	Student	

Definition of Concussion - means a complex pathophysiological process affecting the brain caused by a traumatic physical force or impact to the head or body, which may: (A) include temporary or prolonged altered brain function resulting in physical, cognitive, or emotional symptoms or altered sleep patterns; and (B) involve loss of consciousness.

Prevention – Teach and practice safe play & proper technique.

- Follow the rules of play.
- Make sure the required protective equipment is worn for all practices and games.
- Protective equipment must fit properly and be inspected on a regular basis.

Signs and Symptoms of Concussion – The signs and symptoms of concussion may include but are not limited to: Headache, appears to be dazed or stunned, tinnitus (ringing in the ears), fatigue, slurred speech, nausea or vomiting, dizziness, loss of balance, blurry vision, sensitive to light or noise, feel foggy or groggy, memory loss, or confusion.

Oversight - Each district shall appoint and approve a Concussion Oversight Team (COT). The COT shall include at least one physician and an athletic trainer if one is employed by the school district. Other members may include: Advanced Practice Nurse, chiropractor, physical therapist, neuropsychologist or a physician's assistant. The COT is charged with developing the Return to Play protocol based on peer reviewed scientific evidence.

Treatment of Concussion - The student-athlete/cheerleader shall be removed from practice or participation immediately if suspected to have sustained a concussion. Every student-athlete/cheerleader suspected of sustaining a concussion shall be seen by a physician before they may return to athletic or cheerleading participation. The treatment for concussion is cognitive rest. Students should limit external stimulation such as watching television, playing video games, sending text messages, use of computer, and bright lights. When all signs and symptoms of concussion have cleared and the student has received written clearance from a physician, the student-athlete/cheerleader may begin their district's Return to Play protocol as determined by the Concussion Oversight Team.

Return to Play - According to the Texas Education Code, Section 38.157:

A student removed from an interscholastic athletics practice or competition (including per UIL rule, cheerleading) under Section 38.156 may not be permitted to practice or participate again following the force or impact believed to have caused the concussion until:

- (1) the student has been evaluated, using established medical protocols based on peer-reviewed scientific evidence, by a treating physician chosen by the student or the student 's parent or guardian or another person with legal authority to make medical decisions for the student;
- (2) the student has successfully completed each requirement of the return-to-play protocol established under Section 38.153 necessary for the student to return to play;
- (3) the treating physician has provided a written statement indicating that, in the physician 's professional judgment, it is safe for the student to return to play; and
- (4) the student and the student 's parent or guardian or another person with legal authority to make medical decisions for the student:
- (A) have acknowledged that the student has completed the requirements of the return-to-play protocol necessary for the student to return to play;
- (B) have provided the treating physician 's written statement under Subdivision (3) to the person responsible for compliance with the return-to-play protocol under Subsection (c) and the person who has supervisory responsibilities under Subsection (c); and
- (C) have signed a consent form indicating that the person signing:
- (i) has been informed concerning and consents to the student participating in returning to play in accordance with the return-to-play protocol;
- (ii) understands the risks associated with the student returning to play and will comply with any ongoing requirements in the return-to-play protocol;
- (iii) consents to the disclosure to appropriate persons, consistent with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (Pub. L. No. 104-191), of the treating physician 's written statement under Subdivision (3) and, if any, the return-to-play recommendations of the treating physician; and (iv) understands the immunity provisions under Section 38.159.

Parent or Guardian Signature	Date	
Student Signature	Date	



SUDDEN CARDIAC ARREST (SCA) **AWARENESS FORM**

The Basic Facts on Sudden Cardiac Arrest

Website Resources:

American Heart Association: www.heart.org

Lead Author: Arnold Fenrich, MD and Benjamin Levine, MD

Additional Reviewers: UIL Medical **Advisory Committee**

What is Sudden Cardiac Arrest?

- Occurs suddenly and often without warning.
- An electrical malfunction (shortcircuit) causes the bottom chambers of the heart (ventricles) to beat dangerously fast (ventricular tachycardia or fibrillation) and disrupts the pumping ability of the heart.
- The heart cannot pump blood to the brain, lungs and other organs of the body.
- The person loses consciousness (passes out) and has no pulse.
- Death occurs within minutes if not treated immediately.

What causes Sudden Cardiac Arrest?

Inherited (passed on from family) conditions present at birth of the heart muscle:

Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy hypertrophy (thickening) of the left ventricle: the most common cause of sudden cardiac arrest in athletes in the U.S.

Arrhythmogenic Right Ventricular **Cardiomyopathy** – replacement of part of the right ventricle by fat and scar; the most common cause of sudden cardiac arrest in Italy.

Marfan Syndrome - a disorder of the structure of blood vessels that makes them prone to rupture; often associated with very long arms and unusually flexible joints.

Inherited conditions present at birth of the electrical system:

Long OT Syndrome - abnormality in the ion channels (electrical system) of the heart.

Catecholaminergic Polymorphic Ventricular Tachycardia and Brugada Syndrome - other types of

electrical abnormalities that are rare but run in families.

NonInherited (not passed on from the family, but still present at birth) conditions:

Coronary Artery Abnormalities abnormality of the blood vessels that supply blood to the heart muscle. This is the second most common cause of sudden cardiac arrest in athletes in the U.S.

Aortic valve abnormalities - failure of the aortic valve (the valve between the heart and the aorta) to develop properly; usually causes a loud heart murmur.

Non-compaction Cardiomyopathy a condition where the heart muscle does not develop normally.

Wolff-Parkinson-White Syndrome an extra conducting fiber is present in the heart's electrical system and can increase the risk of arrhythmias.

Conditions not present at birth but acquired later in life:

Commotio Cordis - concussion of the heart that can occur from being hit in the chest by a ball, puck, or fist.

Mvocarditis - infection or inflammation of the heart, usually caused by a virus.

Recreational/Performance-Enhancing drug use.

Idiopathic: Sometimes the underlying cause of the Sudden Cardiac Arrest is unknown, even after autopsy.

What are the symptoms/warning signs of **Sudden Cardiac Arrest?**

- Fainting/blackouts (especially during exercise)
- Dizziness
- Unusual fatigue/weakness
- Chest pain
- Shortness of breath
- Nausea/vomiting
- Palpitations (heart is beating unusually fast or skipping beats)
- Family history of sudden cardiac arrest at age < 50

ANY of these symptoms and warning signs that occur while exercising may necessitate further evaluation from your physician before returning to practice or a game.

What is the treatment for Sudden Cardiac Arrest?

Time is critical and an immediate response is vital.

- **CALL 911**
- **Begin CPR**
- Use an Automated External Defibrillator (AED)

What are ways to screen for Sudden Cardiac Arrest?

The American Heart Association recommends a pre-participation history and physical including 14 important cardiac elements.

The UIL Pre-Participation Physical Evaluation - Medical History form includes ALL 14 of these important cardiac elements and is mandatory annually.

What are the current recommendations for screening young athletes?

The University Interscholastic League requires use of the specific Preparticipation Medical History form on a yearly basis. This process begins with the parents and student-athletes answering questions about symptoms during exercise (such as chest pain, dizziness, fainting, palpitations or shortness of breath); and questions about family health history.

It is important to know if any family member died suddenly during physical activity or during a seizure. It is also important to know if anyone in the family under the age of 50 had an unexplained sudden death such as drowning or car accidents. This information must be provided annually because it is essential to identify those at risk for sudden cardiac death.

The University Interscholastic League requires the Preparticipation Physical Examination form prior to junior high athletic participation and again prior to the 1st and 3rd years of high school participation. The required physical exam includes measurement of blood pressure and a careful listening examination of the heart, especially for murmurs and rhythm abnormalities. If there are no warning signs reported on the health history and no abnormalities discovered on exam, no additional evaluation or testing is recommended for cardiac issues/concerns.

Are there additional options available to screen for cardiac conditions?

Additional screening using an electrocardiogram (ECG) and/or an echocardiogram (Echo) is readily available to all athletes from their personal physicians, but is not mandatory, and is generally not recommended by either the American Heart Association (AHA) or the American College of Cardiology (ACC). Limitations of additional screening include the possibility (\sim 10%) of "false positives", which leads to unnecessary stress for the student and parent or guardian as well as unnecessary restriction from athletic participation. There is also a possibility of "false negatives", since not all cardiac conditions will be identified by additional screening.

When should a student athlete see a heart specialist?

If a qualified examiner has concerns, a referral to a child heart specialist, a pediatric cardiologist, is recommended. This specialist may perform a more thorough evaluation, including an electrocardiogram (ECG), which is a graph of the electrical activity of the heart. An echocardiogram, which is an ultrasound test to allow for direct visualization of the heart structure, may also be done. The specialist may also order a treadmill exercise test and/or a monitor to enable a longer recording of the heart rhythm. None of the testing is invasive or uncomfortable.

Can Sudden Cardiac Arrest be prevented just through proper screening?

A proper evaluation (Preparticipation Physical Evaluation - Medical History) should find many, but not all, conditions that could cause sudden death in the athlete. This is because some diseases are difficult to uncover and may only develop later in life. Others can develop following a normal screening evaluation, such as an infection of the heart muscle from a virus. This is why a medical history and a review of the family health Signatures history need to be performed on a yearly I certify that I have read and basis. With proper screening and evaluation, most cases can be identified and prevented.

Why have an AED on site during sporting events

The only effective treatment for ventricular fibrillation is immediate use of an automated external defibrillator (AED). An AED can restore the heart back into a normal rhythm. An AED is also life-saving for ventricular fibrillation caused by a blow to the chest over the heart (commotio cordis).

Texas Senate Bill 7 requires that at any school sponsored athletic event or team practice in Texas public high schools the following must be available:

- An AED is in an unlocked location on school property within a reasonable proximity to the athletic field or gymnasium
- All coaches, athletic trainers, PE teacher, nurses, band directors and cheerleader sponsors are certified in cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and the use of the AED.

Each school has a developed safety procedure to respond to a medical emergency involving a cardiac arrest.

The American Academy of Pediatrics recommends the AED should be placed in a central location that is accessible and ideally no more than a 1 to 1 1 /2 minute walk from any location and that a call is made to activate 911 emergency system while the AED is being retrieved.

Student & Parent/Guardian

understand the above information.

Parent/Guardian Signature Parent/Guardian Name (Print) Date Student Signature Student Name (Print) Date





UNIVERSITY INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE

Request For Accommodation

Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and/or Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA)

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Male Female	Current Year in So	chool K-8	9	10	11	12
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Please check: _____ I certify that I have reviewed documentation, which verifies that this student is a student with disabilities as defined by Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act and/or Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, and is currently being served under either of those Acts. Signature of Administrator ______ Date ______ Instructions for submission: When completed and signed by the all applicable parties, this application form should

be submitted to the UIL office (Music, Academic or Athletics) that oversees the contest or event in question via the link below. Please do not mail, fax, or email forms directly to our office. No accommodations to UIL contest rules or procedures requested in this application will be provided unless and until approved by University Interscholastic League.

Submit the completed form on our website using the link below:

https://www.uiltexas.org/machform/view.php?id=870795

SECTION V: BASIS FOR DECISION

The ADA and Section 504 require that accommodations be provided to individuals with disabilities when certain conditions are satisfied. Each case will be decided on its own merits. In reaching its decisions, the UIL will follow applicable law and consider the following:

- whether the requested accommodation(s) is "reasonable";
- whether the requested accommodation(s) is "necessary,"; and
- whether the requested accommodation(s) would "fundamentally alter the nature of" the competition, either because it would alter an "essential aspect of the game" or activity or give the student an "advantage over others and, for that reason, fundamentally alter the character" of the competition.