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2019-2020 FREDERICA ACADEMY PARENTAL CONSENT FOR  
PARTICIPATION IN ATHLETICS AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION COURSES

**WARNING: Participation in interscholastic athletics and/or physical education courses at Frederica Academy includes a risk of injury ranging in severity from minor to catastrophic, including permanent paralysis from the neck down or death.** Although serious injuries are not common in supervised athletic activities, it is possible only to minimize, not eliminate, the risk. Participants have the responsibility to help reduce the chance of injury. Student-athletes must obey all safety rules, report all physical problems to their coaches/teachers, follow a proper conditioning program, and inspect their equipment/surroundings daily.

By signing this permission form, you acknowledge that you have read and understand this warning.

With full understanding of the risk involved I/we release and hold harmless my child's school, its employees, schools against which it competes, and contest officials of any and all responsibility and liability for injuries or claim resulting from such athletic participation. I/we agree to take no legal action against Frederica Academy because of any accident or mishap involving athletic participation of my child. PARENTS OR STUDENTS WHO DO NOT WISH TO ACCEPT THE RISKS DESCRIBED IN THIS WARNING SHOULD NOT SIGN THIS PERMISSION FORM.

I give consent for my student- athlete to:

- (1) Participate in physical education courses offered through school curriculum.
- (2) Compete in athletics at Frederica Academy, a member of the Georgia Independent School Association.
- (3) Accompany any school team of which the student is a member on any of its local or out of town trips using transportation designated by the school/coaches.
- (4) Have first aid and emergency medical treatment while under the supervision of Frederica Academy. In case of serious illness or injury, school personnel may call 911 for transport to the nearest hospital and treatment by hospital emergency staff.

This acknowledgement of risk and consent to allow participation shall remain in effect until revoked in writing.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF STUDENT \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

AUTHORIZATION FOR PRE-PARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION

I certify that the medical history supplied to Frederica Academy is complete and accurate. I understand that this medical screening is only to determine fitness eligibility for athletics/physical education courses and is not to take the place of regular physical examinations. I also understand that this evaluation will serve as the basis for determining that my child may compete in school athletics. I release and hold harmless the screening physician, screening staff, and Frederica Academy as it pertains to this athletic screening.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

Health Insurance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Insurance Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Policy Number \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
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2019-2020 SOUTHEAST GEORGIA HEALTH SYSTEM  
CONSENT TO TREATMENT AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY FORM

I \_\_\_\_\_ [Name of Parent or Guardian] am the parent or legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_ [Name of Student]. I understand that Southeast Georgia Health System (the "Health System") provides athletic training, first aid and certain other medical services in connection with certain athletic events and programs of Frederica Academy, including pre-participation physical examinations. In case of emergency or accident on the school grounds or during any school activity involving the above-name student, which in the opinion of school authorities or personnel of the Health System present requires immediate medical or surgical attention, I hereby grant permission to such school authorities and Health System personnel to render medical treatment and to obtain the services of qualified medical personnel to treat the condition unless I am present and request otherwise or until I later request otherwise. I also authorize that a pre-participation physical examination be conducted on student. I hereby release and agree to hold harmless Frederica Academy, the Health System, and their employees and agents, including, but not limited to, the Athletic Trainers and the Team Physicians or Team Physician Assistants, from any and all liability in case of accident, injury, damage or other mishap in connection with all medical services or athletic trainer services they provide to the above-named student.

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

\_\_\_\_\_  
TELEPHONE NUMBER

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

I authorize the release of medical information to Frederica Academy by physicians and health care providers rendering services to Frederica Academy athletes. The purpose of the release of medical information is to allow Frederica Academy to determine the advisability of an athlete's participation in Frederica Academy athletics. An example would be the release of a screening physical examination. By agreeing to this release of medical information for my son, daughter or other person for whom I have the legal authority to act, I hereby authorize health care providers (including, but not limited to, the Health System and its physicians and athletic trainers) that are contracted with Frederica Academy to release to each other and to Frederica Academy oral and written information relating to the athlete's medical or physical condition, illness or injury that may have a bearing upon past, present, or future participation in athletics of Frederica Academy. The medical information will be used by Frederica Academy for the purposes of determining the advisability of the athlete's participation in Frederica Academy athletics. **This authorization is expressly bound by the following conditions:**

- I understand that my protected health information is protected by federal law under Health Information Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) may not be disclosed without my authorization under HIPAA.
- I understand that my signing of this authorization/consent is voluntary and I am not required to sign this authorization/consent in order to be eligible for participation in Frederica Academy athletics.
- I understand that seeking treatment at practice, in training room or evaluation/treatment during games may be in the view of the general public. Frederica Academy and the Health System are in compliance with HIPAA regulations, maintain all medical documents and records in confidentiality, but the nature of treatment in these areas allows for other patients, students, athletes, and staff to be in use of these facilities during my treatment. By signing this document, I understand the possible implications and consent to treatment.
- This authorization will automatically expire upon the athlete's termination of participation in or ineligibility to participate in Frederica Academy athletics, except to the extent relied upon for disclosures made prior to the automatic expiration. I have the right to revoke this authorization in writing at any time by sending written notification to the director of athletics at my institution. I understand that a revocation takes effect on its request date and does not affect any action taken prior to that date.
- I understand that there is a potential for information disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected by law.
- This authorization shall cover actions by and for Southeast Georgia Health System, Cooperative Healthcare Services, Inc. and all of their respective employees, workforce and business associates and all other physicians and healthcare providers contracted with Frederica Academy and their respective employees, workforce and business associates.

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

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TELEPHONE NUMBER

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DATE

\* This authorization must be signed by a parent, guardian, or other person acting in loco parentis who has the authority to act on the student's behalf. By signing this form, you as the parent, guardian or a party acting in loco parentis warrant that you have the legal authority to act on the Athlete's behalf. The signature may be only the athlete if the athlete is over 18 years of age.

2019-2020 FREDERICA ACADEMY  
STUDENT/PARENT CONCUSSION AWARENESS FORM

DANGERS OF CONCUSSION

Concussions at all levels of sports have received a great deal of attention and a state law has been passed to address this issue. Adolescent athletes are particularly vulnerable to the effects of concussion. Once considered little more than a minor “ding” to the head, it is now understood that a concussion has the potential to result in death, or changes in brain function (either short-term or long-term). A concussion is a brain injury that results in a temporary disruption of normal brain function. A concussion occurs when the brain is violently rocked back and forth or twisted inside the skull as a result of a blow to the head or body. Continued participation in any sport following a concussion can lead to worsening concussion symptoms, as well as increased risk for further injury to the brain, and even death.

Player and parental education in this area is crucial – that is the reason for this document. Refer to it regularly. This form must be signed by a parent or guardian of each student who wishes to participate in athletics. One copy needs to be returned to the school, and one retained at home.

COMMON SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF CONCUSSION

- Headache, dizziness, poor balance, moves clumsily, reduced energy level/tiredness
- Nausea or vomiting
- Blurred vision, sensitivity to light and sounds
- Fogginess of memory, difficulty concentrating, slowed thought processes, confused about surroundings or game assignments
- Unexplained changes in behavior and personality
- Loss of consciousness (NOTE: This does not occur in all concussion episodes.)

**BY-LAW 2.68: GHSA CONCUSSION POLICY:** In accordance with Georgia law and national playing rules published by the National Federation of State High School Associations, any athlete who exhibits signs, symptoms, or behaviors consistent with a concussion shall be immediately removed from the practice or contest and shall not return to play until an appropriate health care professional has determined that no concussion has occurred. (NOTE: An appropriate health care professional may include licensed physician (MD/DO) or another licensed individual under the supervision of a licensed physician, such as a nurse practitioner, physician assistant, or certified athletic trainer who has received training in concussion evaluation and management.

- a) No athlete is allowed to return to a game or a practice on the same day that a concussion (a) has been diagnosed, OR (b) cannot be ruled out.
- b) Any athlete diagnosed with a concussion shall be cleared medically by an appropriate health care professional prior to resuming participation in any future practice or contest. The formulation of a gradual return to play protocol shall be a part of the medical clearance.
- c) It is mandatory that every coach in each GHSA sport participate in a free, online course on concussion management prepared by the NFHS and available at [www.nfhslearn.com](http://www.nfhslearn.com) at least every two years – beginning with the 2015- 2016 school year.
- d) Each school will be responsible for monitoring the participation of its coaches in the concussion management course, and shall keep a record of those who participate.

I HAVE READ THIS FORM AND I UNDERSTAND THE FACTS PRESENTED IN IT.

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SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN

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TELEPHONE NUMBER

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

# PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION HISTORY FORM

(Note: This form is to be filled out by the patient and parent prior to seeing the physician. The physician should keep this form in the chart.)

Date of Exam \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_ Sport(s) \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Medicines and Allergies:</b> Please list all of the prescription and over-the-counter medicines and supplements (herbal and nutritional) that you are currently taking	
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Do you have any allergies? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No    If yes, please identify specific allergy below.	
<input type="checkbox"/> Medicines	<input type="checkbox"/> Pollens <input type="checkbox"/> Food <input type="checkbox"/> Stinging Insects

Explain "Yes" answers below. Circle questions you don't know the answers to.

GENERAL QUESTIONS	Yes	No
1. Has a doctor ever denied or restricted your participation in sports for any reason?		
2. Do you have any ongoing medical conditions? If so, please identify below: <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma <input type="checkbox"/> Anemia <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes <input type="checkbox"/> Infections Other: _____		
3. Have you ever spent the night in the hospital?		
4. Have you ever had surgery?		
HEART HEALTH QUESTIONS ABOUT YOU	Yes	No
5. Have you ever passed out or nearly passed out DURING or AFTER exercise?		
6. Have you ever had discomfort, pain, tightness, or pressure in your chest during exercise?		
7. Does your heart ever race or skip beats (irregular beats) during exercise?		
8. Has a doctor ever told you that you have any heart problems? If so, check all that apply: <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure <input type="checkbox"/> A heart murmur <input type="checkbox"/> High cholesterol <input type="checkbox"/> A heart infection <input type="checkbox"/> Kawasaki disease                          Other: _____		
9. Has a doctor ever ordered a test for your heart? (For example, ECG/EKG, echocardiogram)		
10. Do you get lightheaded or feel more short of breath than expected during exercise?		
11. Have you ever had an unexplained seizure?		
12. Do you get more tired or short of breath more quickly than your friends during exercise?		
HEART HEALTH QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR FAMILY	Yes	No
13. Has any family member or relative died of heart problems or had an unexpected or unexplained sudden death before age 50 (including drowning, unexplained car accident, or sudden infant death syndrome)?		
14. Does anyone in your family have hypertrophic cardiomyopathy, Marfan syndrome, arrhythmogenic right ventricular cardiomyopathy, long QT syndrome, short QT syndrome, Brugada syndrome, or catecholaminergic polymorphic ventricular tachycardia?		
15. Does anyone in your family have a heart problem, pacemaker, or implanted defibrillator?		
16. Has anyone in your family had unexplained fainting, unexplained seizures, or near drowning?		
BONE AND JOINT QUESTIONS	Yes	No
17. Have you ever had an injury to a bone, muscle, ligament, or tendon that caused you to miss a practice or a game?		
18. Have you ever had any broken or fractured bones or dislocated joints?		
19. Have you ever had an injury that required x-rays, MRI, CT scan, injections, therapy, a brace, a cast, or crutches?		
20. Have you ever had a stress fracture?		
21. Have you ever been told that you have or have you had an x-ray for neck instability or atlantoaxial instability? (Down syndrome or dwarfism)		
22. Do you regularly use a brace, orthotics, or other assistive device?		
23. Do you have a bone, muscle, or joint injury that bothers you?		
24. Do any of your joints become painful, swollen, feel warm, or look red?		
25. Do you have any history of juvenile arthritis or connective tissue disease?		

MEDICAL QUESTIONS	Yes	No
26. Do you cough, wheeze, or have difficulty breathing during or after exercise?		
27. Have you ever used an inhaler or taken asthma medicine?		
28. Is there anyone in your family who has asthma?		
29. Were you born without or are you missing a kidney, an eye, a testicle (males), your spleen, or any other organ?		
30. Do you have groin pain or a painful bulge or hernia in the groin area?		
31. Have you had infectious mononucleosis (mono) within the last month?		
32. Do you have any rashes, pressure sores, or other skin problems?		
33. Have you had a herpes or MRSA skin infection?		
34. Have you ever had a head injury or concussion?		
35. Have you ever had a hit or blow to the head that caused confusion, prolonged headache, or memory problems?		
36. Do you have a history of seizure disorder?		
37. Do you have headaches with exercise?		
38. Have you ever had numbness, tingling, or weakness in your arms or legs after being hit or falling?		
39. Have you ever been unable to move your arms or legs after being hit or falling?		
40. Have you ever become ill while exercising in the heat?		
41. Do you get frequent muscle cramps when exercising?		
42. Do you or someone in your family have sickle cell trait or disease?		
43. Have you had any problems with your eyes or vision?		
44. Have you had any eye injuries?		
45. Do you wear glasses or contact lenses?		
46. Do you wear protective eyewear, such as goggles or a face shield?		
47. Do you worry about your weight?		
48. Are you trying to or has anyone recommended that you gain or lose weight?		
49. Are you on a special diet or do you avoid certain types of foods?		
50. Have you ever had an eating disorder?		
51. Do you have any concerns that you would like to discuss with a doctor?		
FEMALES ONLY		
52. Have you ever had a menstrual period?		
53. How old were you when you had your first menstrual period?		
54. How many periods have you had in the last 12 months?		

Explain "yes" answers here

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I hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, my answers to the above questions are complete and correct.

Signature of athlete \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of parent/guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# ■ PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION

## THE ATHLETE WITH SPECIAL NEEDS: SUPPLEMENTAL HISTORY FORM

Date of Exam \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

Sex \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ School \_\_\_\_\_ Sport(s) \_\_\_\_\_

1. Type of disability		
2. Date of disability		
3. Classification (if available)		
4. Cause of disability (birth, disease, accident/trauma, other)		
5. List the sports you are interested in playing		
	Yes	No
6. Do you regularly use a brace, assistive device, or prosthetic?		
7. Do you use any special brace or assistive device for sports?		
8. Do you have any rashes, pressure sores, or any other skin problems?		
9. Do you have a hearing loss? Do you use a hearing aid?		
10. Do you have a visual impairment?		
11. Do you use any special devices for bowel or bladder function?		
12. Do you have burning or discomfort when urinating?		
13. Have you had autonomic dysreflexia?		
14. Have you ever been diagnosed with a heat-related (hyperthermia) or cold-related (hypothermia) illness?		
15. Do you have muscle spasticity?		
16. Do you have frequent seizures that cannot be controlled by medication?		

Explain "yes" answers here

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Please indicate if you have ever had any of the following.

	Yes	No
Atlantoaxial instability		
X-ray evaluation for atlantoaxial instability		
Dislocated joints (more than one)		
Easy bleeding		
Enlarged spleen		
Hepatitis		
Osteopenia or osteoporosis		
Difficulty controlling bowel		
Difficulty controlling bladder		
Numbness or tingling in arms or hands		
Numbness or tingling in legs or feet		
Weakness in arms or hands		
Weakness in legs or feet		
Recent change in coordination		
Recent change in ability to walk		
Spina bifida		
Latex allergy		

Explain "yes" answers here

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I hereby state that, to the best of my knowledge, my answers to the above questions are complete and correct.

Signature of athlete \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of parent/guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION

## PHYSICAL EXAMINATION FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

### PHYSICIAN REMINDERS

- Consider additional questions on more sensitive issues
  - Do you feel stressed out or under a lot of pressure?
  - Do you ever feel sad, hopeless, depressed, or anxious?
  - Do you feel safe at your home or residence?
  - Have you ever tried cigarettes, chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip?
  - During the past 30 days, did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip?
  - Do you drink alcohol or use any other drugs?
  - Have you ever taken anabolic steroids or used any other performance supplement?
  - Have you ever taken any supplements to help you gain or lose weight or improve your performance?
  - Do you wear a seat belt, use a helmet, and use condoms?
- Consider reviewing questions on cardiovascular symptoms (questions 5–14).

EXAMINATION			
Height	Weight	<input type="checkbox"/> Male <input type="checkbox"/> Female	
BP	/ ( / )	Pulse	Vision R 20/ L 20/ Corrected <input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N
MEDICAL	NORMAL	ABNORMAL FINDINGS	
Appearance • Marfan stigmata (kyphoscoliosis, high-arched palate, pectus excavatum, arachnodactyly, arm span > height, hyperlaxity, myopia, MVP, aortic insufficiency)			
Eyes/ears/nose/throat • Pupils equal • Hearing			
Lymph nodes			
Heart <sup>a</sup> • Murmurs (auscultation standing, supine, +/- Valsalva) • Location of point of maximal impulse (PMI)			
Pulses • Simultaneous femoral and radial pulses			
Lungs			
Abdomen			
Genitourinary (males only) <sup>b</sup>			
Skin • HSV, lesions suggestive of MRSA, tinea corporis			
Neurologic <sup>c</sup>			
MUSCULOSKELETAL			
Neck			
Back			
Shoulder/arm			
Elbow/forearm			
Wrist/hand/fingers			
Hip/thigh			
Knee			
Leg/ankle			
Foot/toes			
Functional • Duck-walk, single leg hop			

<sup>a</sup>Consider ECG, echocardiogram, and referral to cardiology for abnormal cardiac history or exam.

<sup>b</sup>Consider GU exam if in private setting. Having third party present is recommended.

<sup>c</sup>Consider cognitive evaluation or baseline neuropsychiatric testing if a history of significant concussion.

- ☐ Cleared for all sports without restriction
- ☐ Cleared for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment for \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Not cleared
- ☐ Pending further evaluation
- ☐ For any sports
- ☐ For certain sports \_\_\_\_\_
- Reason \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendations \_\_\_\_\_

**I have examined the above-named student and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not present apparent clinical contraindications to practice and participate in the sport(s) as outlined above. A copy of the physical exam is on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the clearance until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents/guardians).**

Name of physician (print/type) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of physician \_\_\_\_\_, MD or DO

# ■ PREPARTICIPATION PHYSICAL EVALUATION CLEARANCE FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sex ☐ M ☐ F Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of birth \_\_\_\_\_

☐ Cleared for all sports without restriction

☐ Cleared for all sports without restriction with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment for \_\_\_\_\_  
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☐ Not cleared

☐ Pending further evaluation

☐ For any sports

☐ For certain sports \_\_\_\_\_

Reason \_\_\_\_\_

Recommendations \_\_\_\_\_  
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**I have examined the above-named student and completed the preparticipation physical evaluation. The athlete does not present apparent clinical contraindications to practice and participate in the sport(s) as outlined above. A copy of the physical exam is on record in my office and can be made available to the school at the request of the parents. If conditions arise after the athlete has been cleared for participation, the physician may rescind the clearance until the problem is resolved and the potential consequences are completely explained to the athlete (and parents/guardians).**

Name of physician (print/type) \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of physician \_\_\_\_\_, MD or DO

## EMERGENCY INFORMATION

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