

**KNOX COUNTY SCHOOLS**  
**PHYSICAL EXAMINATION AND SPORTS MEDICAL PERMISSION**

I/We hereby give consent for (student's name) \_\_\_\_\_  
to represent (name of school) \_\_\_\_\_ in the sport(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ realizing that such activity involves the potential for  
injury. I/We acknowledge that even with the best coaching, use of the most advanced equipment, and strict observance of rules, injuries  
are still a possibility. On rare occasions these injuries can be severe and result in total disability, paralysis, or even death.

I/We further grant permission to (school) \_\_\_\_\_, its  
physicians and/or Athletic Trainers to render aid, treatment, medical, or surgical care deemed reasonably necessary to protect the health  
and well being of the above individual.

I/We further release (school) \_\_\_\_\_, its agents, servants,  
and employees from any liability for damage and injury to the above individual and hereby accept full responsibility for any damages or  
injuries sustained as a result of participation in the sport(s) or extracurricular activity named above.

Student \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

**EMERGENCY INFORMATION**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Sport \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: M \_\_\_\_\_ F \_\_\_\_\_

Grade \_\_\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_

Parent's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Work Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Another Person to Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Name \_\_\_\_\_

Policy and Group Numbers \_\_\_\_\_

**ALLERGIES** \_\_\_\_\_

*Consent Statement: Authorizing Treatment*

Parent's Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Student's Signature (if over age 18) \_\_\_\_\_

HEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_ WEIGHT: \_\_\_\_\_ % BODY FAT (OPT.): \_\_\_\_\_

PULSE: \_\_\_\_\_ BP: \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ ( \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ )

VISION R 20/ \_\_\_\_\_ L 20/ \_\_\_\_\_ CORRECTED: Y N PUPILS: EQUAL \_\_\_\_\_ UNEQUAL \_\_\_\_\_

**Follow-Up Questions on More Sensitive Issues**

- 1. Do you feel stressed out or under a lot of pressure?..... Y N
- 2. Do you ever feel so sad or hopeless that you stop doing some of your usual activities for more than a few days? ..... Y N
- 3. Do you feel safe?..... Y N
- 4. Have you ever tried cigarette smoking, even 1 or 2 puffs? Do you currently smoke?..... Y N
- 5. During the past 30 days, did you use chewing tobacco, snuff, or dip?..... Y N
- 6. During the past 30 days, have you had at least 1 drink of alcohol? ..... Y N
- 7. Have you ever taken steroid pills or shots without a doctor's prescription? ..... Y N
- 8. Have you ever taken any supplements to help you gain or lose weight or improve your performance?..... Y N
- 9. Questions from the Youth Risk Behavior Survey (<http://www.cdc.gov/HealthyYouth/yrbs/index.htm>) on guns, seatbelts, unprotected sex, domestic violence, drugs, etc. .... Y N

IMMUNIZATIONS (eg, tetanus/diphtheria; measles, mumps, rubella; hepatitis A, B; influenza; pneumococcal; meningococcal; varicella)  
\_\_\_\_\_ Up to date (see attached documentation) \_\_\_\_\_ Not up to date Specify \_\_\_\_\_

|                              | NORMAL | ABNORMAL FINDINGS | INITIALS* |
|------------------------------|--------|-------------------|-----------|
| <b>MEDICAL</b>               |        |                   |           |
| Appearance                   |        |                   |           |
| Eyes/ears/nose/throat        |        |                   |           |
| Hearing                      |        |                   |           |
| Lymph nodes                  |        |                   |           |
| Heart                        |        |                   |           |
| Murmurs                      |        |                   |           |
| Pulses                       |        |                   |           |
| Lungs                        |        |                   |           |
| Abdomen                      |        |                   |           |
| Genitourinary (males only)** |        |                   |           |
| Skin                         |        |                   |           |
| <b>MUSCULOSKELETAL</b>       |        |                   |           |
| Neck                         |        |                   |           |
| Back                         |        |                   |           |
| Shoulder/arm                 |        |                   |           |
| Elbow/forearm                |        |                   |           |
| Wrist/hand/fingers           |        |                   |           |
| Hip/thigh                    |        |                   |           |
| Knee                         |        |                   |           |
| Leg/ankle                    |        |                   |           |
| Foot/Toes                    |        |                   |           |

\*Multiple-examiner set-up only. \*\*Having a third party present is recommended for the genitourinary examination

\_\_\_\_\_ Cleared without restriction  
\_\_\_\_\_ Cleared, with recommendations for further evaluation or treatment for: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Not cleared for \_\_\_\_\_ All sports \_\_\_\_\_ Certain Sports: \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_  
Recommendations: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of physician (print/type): \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of physician: \_\_\_\_\_, MD or DO

**TSSAA PREPARTICIPATION EVALUATION**

**HISTORY FORM**

DATE OF EXAM: \_\_\_\_\_

NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ SEX: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_

GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_ SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_ SPORT(S): \_\_\_\_\_

HOME ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ HOME PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

PERSONAL PHYSICIAN: \_\_\_\_\_

EXPLAIN "YES" ANSWERS BELOW. CIRCLE QUESTIONS YOU DON'T KNOW THE ANSWERS TO.

- 1. Has a doctor ever denied or restricted your participation in sports for any reason? ..... Y N
- 2. Do you have an ongoing medical condition (like diabetes or asthma)?..... Y N
- 3. Are you currently taking any prescription or nonprescription (over-the-counter) medicines or pills?..... Y N
- 4. Do you have allergies to medicines, pollens, foods, or stinging insects? ..... Y N
- 5. Have you ever passed out or nearly passed out DURING exercise? ..... Y N
- 6. Have you ever passed out or nearly passed out AFTER exercise? ..... Y N
- 7. Have you ever had discomfort, pain, or pressure in your chest during exercise? ..... Y N
- 8. Does your heart race or skip beats during exercise? ..... Y N
- 9. Has a doctor ever told you that you have:
  - High Blood Pressure ..... Y N
  - High Cholesterol..... Y N
  - A heart murmur ..... Y N
  - A heart infection ..... Y N
- 10. Has a doctor ever ordered a test for your heart? (for example, ECG, echocardiogram) ..... Y N
- 11. Has anyone in your family died for no apparent reason?..... Y N
- 12. Does anyone in your family have a heart problem? ..... Y N
- 13. Has any family member or relative died of heart problems or of sudden death before age 50?..... Y N
- 14. Does anyone in your family have Marfan Syndrome? ..... Y N
- 15. Have you ever spent the night in a hospital?..... Y N
- 16. Have you ever had surgery?..... Y N
- 17. Have you every had an injury, like a sprain, muscle or ligament tear, or tendonitis, that caused you to miss a practice or game? ..... Y N
 

If Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_
- 18. Have you had any broken or fractured bones or dislocated joints?..... Y N
 

If Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_
- 19. Have you ever had a bone or joint injury that required x-rays, MRI, CT, surgery, injections, rehabilitation, physical therapy, a brace, a cast, or crutches?..... Y N
 

If Yes, explain: \_\_\_\_\_
- 20. Have you ever had a stress fracture? ..... Y N
- 21. Have you been told that you have or have had an x-ray for atlantoaxial (neck) instability?..... Y N
- 22. Do you regularly use a brace or assistive device? ..... Y N

- 23. Has a doctor ever told you that you have asthma or allergies?..... Y N
- 24. Do you cough, wheeze or have difficulty breathing during or after exercise? ..... Y N
- 25. Is there anyone in your family who has asthma?..... Y N
- 26. Have you ever used an inhaler or taken asthma medicine?..... Y N
- 27. Were you born without or are you missing a kidney, an eye, a testicle, or any other organ? ..... Y N
- 28. Have you had infectious mononucleosis (mono) within the last month? ..... Y N
- 29. Do you have rashes, pressure sores, or other skin problems?..... Y N
- 30. Have you ever had a herpes skin infection?..... Y N
- 31. Have you ever had a head injury or concussion?..... Y N
- 32. Have you been hit in the head and been confused or lost your memory?..... Y N
- 33. Have you ever had a seizure? ..... Y N
- 34. Do you have headaches with exercise? ..... Y N
- 35. Have you ever had numbness, tingling or weakness in your arms or legs after being hit or falling? ..... Y N
- 36. Have you ever been unable to move your arms or legs after being hit of falling? ..... Y N
- 37. When exercising in the heat, do you have severe muscle cramps or become ill?..... Y N
- 38. Has a doctor told you that you or someone in your family has sickle cell trait or sickle cell disease? ..... Y N
- 39. Have you had any problems with your eyes or vision?..... Y N
- 40. Do you wear glasses or contact lenses? ..... Y N
- 41. Do you wear protective eyewear, such as goggles or a face shield? ..... Y N
- 42. Are you happy with your weight?..... Y N
- 43. Are you trying to gain or lose weight?..... Y N
- 44. Has anyone recommended you change your weight or eating habits? ..... Y N
- 45. Do you limit or carefully control what you eat? ..... Y N
- 46. Do you have any concerns that you would like to discuss with a doctor? ..... Y N

**FEMALES ONLY**

- 47. Have you ever had a menstrual period? ..... Y N
  - 48. How old were you when you had your first menstrual period? \_\_\_\_\_
  - 49. How many periods have you had in the last 12 Months? \_\_\_\_\_
- Explain "Yes" answers here: \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

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

Athlete's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Questions taken from American Academy of Family Physicians, American Academy of Pediatrics, American College of Sports Medicine, American Medical Society for Sports Medicine, American Orthopaedic Society for Sports Medicine, & American Ortheopathic Academy of Sports Medicine 2004 PPE Form.