

NORTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION SPORT PREPARTICIPATION EXAMINATION FORM Cabarrus County Schools

Patient's Name: _____ **Age:** _____ **School:** _____

This is a screening examination for participation in sports. This does not substitute for a comprehensive examination with your child's regular physician where important preventive health information can be covered.

Athlete's Directions: Please review all questions with your parent or legal custodian and answer them to the best of your knowledge.

Parent's Directions: Please assure that all questions are answered to the best of your knowledge. Not disclosing accurate information may put your child at risk during sports activity.

Physician's Directions: We recommend carefully reviewing these questions and clarifying any positive answers.

Explain "Yes" answers below	Yes	No	Don't know
1. Has the athlete ever been hospitalized or had surgery?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Is the athlete presently taking any medications or pills?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Does the athlete have any allergies (medicine, bees or other stinging insects, latex)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Has the athlete ever passed out or nearly passed out DURING exercise, emotion or startle?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Has the athlete ever fainted or passed out AFTER exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Has the athlete had extreme fatigue associated with exercise (different from other children)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Has the athlete ever had trouble breathing during exercise, or a cough with exercise?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Has the athlete ever been diagnosed with exercise-induced asthma?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Has a doctor ever told the athlete that they have high blood pressure?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Has a doctor ever told the athlete that they have a heart infection?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Has a doctor ever ordered an EKG or other test for the athlete's heart, or has the athlete ever been told they have a murmur?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Has the athlete ever had discomfort, pain, or pressure in his chest during or after exercise or complained of their heart "racing" or "skipping beats"?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
13. Has the athlete ever had a head injury, been knocked out, or had a concussion?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
14. Has the athlete ever had a seizure or been diagnosed with an unexplained seizure problem?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
15. Has the athlete ever had a stinger, burner or pinched nerve?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
16. Has the athlete ever had a heat injury (heat stroke) or severe muscle cramps with activities?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
17. Has the athlete ever had any problems with their eyes or vision?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
18. Has the athlete ever sprained/strained, dislocated, fractured, broken or had repeated swelling or other injury of any bones or joints?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Head <input type="checkbox"/> Shoulder <input type="checkbox"/> Thigh <input type="checkbox"/> Neck <input type="checkbox"/> Elbow <input type="checkbox"/> Knee <input type="checkbox"/> Chest <input type="checkbox"/> Hip <input type="checkbox"/> Forearm <input type="checkbox"/> Shin/calf <input type="checkbox"/> Back <input type="checkbox"/> Wrist <input type="checkbox"/> Ankle <input type="checkbox"/> Hand <input type="checkbox"/> Foot			
19. Has the athlete ever had an eating disorder, or do you have any concerns about your eating habits or weight?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
20. Does the athlete have any chronic medical illnesses (diabetes, asthma, kidney problems, etc.)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
21. Has the athlete had a medical problem or injury since their last evaluation?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
22. Does the athlete have the sickle cell trait?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
FAMILY HISTORY	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
23. Has any family member had a sudden, unexpected death before age 50 (including from sudden infant death syndrome [SIDS], car accident, drowning)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
24. Has any family member had unexplained heart attacks, fainting or seizures?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
25. Does the athlete have a father, mother or brother with sickle cell disease?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Elaborate on any positive (yes) answers: _____

I have reviewed and answered each question above, and assure that all are accurate responses. Furthermore, I give permission for my child to participate in sports.

Release of Medical Information:

I also give my permission for the treating physician to release information to the athletic trainer/first responder and/or receive health related information needed to care for my child with physicians, coaches, other healthcare providers, etc. throughout the school year.

Signature of parent/legal custodian: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature of Athlete: _____ **Date:** _____ **Phone #:** _____

Physical Examination (Must be Completed by a Licensed Physician, Nurse Practitioner or Physician's Assistant)

Athlete's Name _____ Age _____ Date of Birth _____

Height _____ Weight _____ BP _____ (_____ % ile) / _____ (_____ % ile) Pulse _____
 Vision R 20/ _____ L 20/ _____ Corrected: Y N

These are required elements for all examinations			
	NORMAL	ABNORMAL	ABNORMAL FINDINGS
PULSES			
HEART			
LUNGS			
SKIN			
NECK/BACK			
SHOULDER			
KNEE			
ANKLE/FOOT			
Other Orthopedic Problems			

Optional Examination Elements – Should be done if history indicates			
HEENT			
ABDOMINAL			
GENITALIA (MALES)			
HERNIA (MALES)			

Clearance**:
 A. Cleared
 B. Cleared after completing evaluation/rehabilitation for : _____
 C. Not cleared for: Collision Contact
 Non-contact _____ Strenuous _____ Moderately strenuous _____ Non-strenuous
 Due to: _____

Additional Recommendations/Rehab Instructions: _____

Name of Physician/Extender: _____

Signature of Physician/Extender _____ MD DO PA NP
 (Signature and circle of designated degree required)

Date of exam: _____
 Address: _____

 Phone _____

Physician Office Stamp:

(** The following are considered disqualifying until appropriate medical and parental releases are obtained: post-operative clearance, acute infections, obvious growth retardation, diabetes, jaundice, severe visual or auditory impairment, pulmonary insufficiency, organic heart disease or hypertension, enlarged liver or spleen, a chronic musculoskeletal condition that limits ability for safe exercise/sport (i.e. Klippel-Feil anomaly, Sprengel's deformity), history of convulsions or concussions, absence of/ or one kidney, eye, testicle or ovary, etc.)
 This form approved by the North Carolina High School Athletic Association Sports Medicine Advisory Committee October 2009, reviewed annually.