

**Emory University Assumption of Risk For Participation in Recreational and Fitness Activities
at the Student Activity and Academic Center**

The Student Activity and Academic Center offers the opportunity to participate in a wide variety of recreational and fitness activities. All participants, however, should be aware that many recreational and fitness activities involve substantial risks of bodily injury, property damage, and other dangers associated with participating in such activities. Dangers peculiar to recreational and fitness activities normally engaged in include, but are not limited to: hypothermia, broken bones, strains, sprains, bruises, drowning, concussion, and heart attack. Each participant in the activities should realize that there are risks, hazards, and dangers inherent in such activities and in any training, preparation for and travel to and from such activities.

Each participant in the recreational and fitness activities at the Student Activity and Academic Center must be covered by an accident and health insurance policy. The University does not warrant or guarantee in any respect the competency or mental or physical condition of any instructor, trip leader, vehicle driver, or individual participant in any fitness or recreational activity. The University also does not warrant or guarantee in any respect the physical condition of any of the equipment used in connection with any activity.

Therefore, in consideration of the being permitted to access and participate in the recreational and fitness activities at the Student Activity and Academic Center and the benefits received from such recreational and fitness activities, the undersigned assumes all risks of damages or injury including death, that may be sustained by the participant while participating in such recreational or fitness activities or in any travel to or from such activities.

Release, Covenant Not To Sue And Waiver

The fitness and recreational activities in which the participant identified below will be taking part involve an inherent risk of physical injury and the undersigned assumes all such risks. The undersigned hereby agrees that for the sole consideration of Emory University allowing the participant identified below to participate in such recreational and fitness activities for which, or in connection with which, the University has made available any equipment, facilities, grounds, or personnel for such activities, the undersigned does hereby release, covenant not to sue and forever discharge Emory University and its trustees, officers, agents, employees, students and volunteers of any and for all claims, demands, rights and personal injuries, damage to property, and the consequences thereof resulting from participation in, or in any way connected with such recreational and fitness activities. The undersigned understands that this Release, Covenant Not To Sue, Waiver and Assumption of Risk shall be effective unless and until Emory University receives written notice of revocation from the signatories hereto, which notice must be sent to the address listed above. By signing the document, the undersigned hereby acknowledges that he/she has read the above carefully before signing, and agrees to comply with all the above on this **(month)** _____ **(day)** _____, **(year)** _____.

After you have read and agreed to the statements to the left, please fill in today's date in the space provided at the bottom of the left hand column and print your name and other requested information legibly below.

Name of Participant _____

Home Address of Participant _____

Phone Number of Participant _____

Age of Participant _____

Signature of Participant _____

(Signature of Parent or Guardian is necessary if Participant is under 18 years of age.)

Signature of Parent or Guardian _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____