

The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center



Participant's Application

GENERAL INFORMATION

Participant: _____

DOB: _____ AGE: _____ Height: _____ Weight: _____ Gender M F

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____ Alternate#: _____

Address: _____

School: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

Address: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____ Alternate#: _____

Address (if different than above): _____

Referral Source: _____

Phone: _____

GOALS

Does the participant have any riding experience? (please explain)

Are there any special considerations to be aware of? (please explain)

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Authorization for Emergency Medical Treatment

Participant

Staff

Volunteer

Name: _____ DOB: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Physician's Name: _____ Preferred Medical Facility: _____

Health Insurance Company: _____ Policy #: _____

Allergies to Medications: _____

Current Medications: _____

Emergency Contacts:

Name: _____ Relation: _____ Phone: _____

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CONSENT PLAN

In the event emergency medical aid/treatment is required due to illness or injury during the process of receiving services or while being on the property of the agency, I authorize The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center to:

1. Secure and retain medical treatment and transportation if needed.
2. Release client information on request to the authorized individual or agency involved in the medical treatment.

This authorization includes x-rays, surgery, hospitalization, medication and any treatment procedure deemed "life saving" by the physician. This provision will only be invoked if the person(s) above is unable to be reached.

Date: _____ Consent Signature _____
(Parent or Legal Guardian)

NON-CONSENT PLAN

I do not give my consent for emergency medical treatment/aid in the case of illness or injury during the process of receiving services or while on the property of the agency. In the event emergency medical treatment/aid is required, I wish the following procedures to take place:

Date: _____ Non-Consent Signature _____
(Parent or Legal Guardian)

The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center

Participant's Consent for Release of Information

I hereby authorize: **The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center** to release information from the records of: (participant's name)_____ DOB: _____. The information is to be released to: **The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center** for the purpose of developing an equine activity program for the above named participant and to assist the center in any media/fundraising endeavors. The information to be released is indicated below.

- Medical History
- Physical Therapy evaluation, assessment and program plan
- Mental Health diagnosis and treatment plan
- Individual Habilitation Plan (I.H.P.)
- Psychosocial evaluation & assessment
- Cognitive-Behavioral Management Plan
- Other _____

Signature:_____ Date:_____

Print Name:_____

Relation to Participant: _____

PHOTO/AUDI-VISUAL RELEASE

I **DO**

DO NOT

Consent to and authorize the use and reproduction by the **BUFFALO THERAPEUTIC RIDING CENTER** and the staff of any and all photographs and any other audio/visual materials taken of _____ for promotional material, educational activities, exhibition or for any other use for the benefit of the program, the facility or the staff.

Signature:_____ Date:_____

(Parent or Guardian)

The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center



RELEASE

In consideration of taking lessons, riding horses, and using the facilities at The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center / the Buffalo Equestrian Center, Inc., I, individually, and/or as parent /guardian of the below named minor(s), do hereby consent to assume all risks in connection with such lessons, horseback riding, and use of facilities, and agree to waive, release, and discharge The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center / The Buffalo Equestrian Center, Inc., its officers, employees, and members, from any and all liability, claims, and actions whatsoever for damages or injury (including fatality) to me and/or said minor(s) by reason of such lessons, horseback riding or use of facilities or otherwise. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center / the Buffalo Equestrian Center, Inc. against any loss or damage which it may sustain in consequence of my use or said minor's use of the horses and facilities and no agreement, either verbal or written, will in a any manner affect this release, which shall be binding upon the heirs, executors and administrators of myself and/or of the said minor(s) listed hereon.

Notarized

Individually and/or parent/guardian
of the following minors

Date

The Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center



Participant's Medical History & Physicians Statement

(Must be completed by a Health Care Professional)

Participant: _____

Age: _____ DOB: _____ Sex: _____ Height: _____ Weight: _____

**For safety reasons riders must be between the ages of 6 & 16, and they cannot exceed 5'7" and 150 pounds.*

Diagnosis: _____ Date of Onset: _____

Medications: _____

Mobility: Independent Ambulation **Y N** Assisted Ambulation **Y N** Wheelchair **Y N**

Braces/Assistive Devices: _____

CONTRAINDICATION

(participants presenting with the following issues should NOT ride horses according to NARHA)

Atlanto Axial Instability: AtlantoDens Interval X-rays Date: _____ Result: **+** **-**

Shunt Present: **Y N** Type: _____ Date of last revision: _____

Seizures: **Y N** Type: _____ Controlled: **Y N** Date of last seizure: _____

Indwelling Catheter Present: **Y N**

THERAPEUTIC AND SAFETY ISSUES

Orthopedic

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Coxarthrosis | <input type="checkbox"/> Cranial Defects | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoporosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Pathological Fractures | <input type="checkbox"/> Joint subluxation/dislocation | <input type="checkbox"/> Heterotopic/Myositis Ossification |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Spinal Fusion/Fixation | <input type="checkbox"/> Spinal Instability/Abnormalities | |

Neurologic

- | | | |
|---|-----------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hydrocephalus/Shunt | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures | <input type="checkbox"/> Spina Bifida |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Chiari II Malformation/Tethered Cord/Hydromyelia | | |

Medical/Psychological

- | | | |
|---|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies | <input type="checkbox"/> Animal Abuse | <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac Conditions |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical/Sexual/Emotional Abuse | <input type="checkbox"/> Blood Pressure Control | <input type="checkbox"/> Dangerous to Self or Others |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Exacerbation of Medical Conditions | <input type="checkbox"/> Fire Setting | <input type="checkbox"/> Hemophilia |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medical Instability | <input type="checkbox"/> Migraines | <input type="checkbox"/> PVD |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory Compromise | <input type="checkbox"/> Recent Surgeries | <input type="checkbox"/> Substance Abuse |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Thought Control Disorders | <input type="checkbox"/> Weight Control Disorders | |

Other

- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Age (under 6 years) | <input type="checkbox"/> Poor Endurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Skin Breakdown |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medications (ex: Photosensitivity) | <input type="checkbox"/> Indwelling Catheters/Medical Equipment | |

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Please indicate current or past special needs in the following areas:

<u>AREA</u>	<u>Y</u>	<u>N</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
Auditory			
Visual			
Tactile Sensation			
Speech			
Cardiac			
Circulatory			
Integumentary/Skin			
Immunity			
Pulmonary			
Neurologic			
Muscular			
Balance			
Orthopedic			
Allergies			
Learning Disability			
Emotional/Psychological			
Pain			
Other			

Given the preceding diagnosis and medical information, this person is not medically precluded from participation in equine assisted activities and/or therapies. I understand that the NARHA center will weigh the medical information given against the existing precautions and contraindications. Therefore, I refer this person to the Buffalo Therapeutic Riding Center for ongoing evaluation to determine eligibility for participation.

Name/Title: _____ MD DO NP PA Other _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____ E-mail: _____

License/UPIN Number: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____