

**North Etowah Baptist Church Student Ministry**

# **Medical / Liability Release Form 2012**

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**To all of the parents or legal guardians of our students @ North Etowah:**

**As we look for the many ways to lead our students on a path that will enable us to direct and assist them in their spiritual growth we attend events that require us to leave the grounds of North Etowah. Some events, such as conferences and mission trips require time away from Etowah in other cities and states for periods of time up to a week in length. By the very nature of travel to other areas on busy highways and interstates there will always be risk for our students. By being around large groups of people, eating different foods, etc. there will be risk for illness. North Etowah Baptist Student Ministry sponsors and leads events that use the facilities located at North Etowah. Some activities are physical in nature where we may be running, jumping, etc. As with any physical activity there will always be risk.**

**We will do all things possible to protect our students from illness or injury. We plan for emergencies and take the necessary precautions to assist us in the event that an emergency occurs. Our bus drivers are properly licensed to transport passengers. Our church bus committee is in charge of bus maintenance with preventative maintenance programs in place to provide for safe and reliable transportation. Our buildings and grounds committee takes care of our facility needs when it comes to safety and repair. We do our best to provide a safe and secure area for our students to participate in our student ministry.**

**It is our desire to ensure that our students will always have opportunity for medical treatment in the event there is an injury or illness while students are in our care. We want to protect our students, our staff and our church by all means possible. With that understanding we require a medical liability release form to be completed by all of our students participating in ministry events led by NEBC. It is our promise to our parents and legal guardians that we will always exhaust every effort in trying to contact you in the event that your child requires medical treatment. However, in the event you can not be reached the medical liability release form will allow us to ensure that your child receives the proper and timely medical treatment they may need. Please review the form, understand it, ask questions if needed, have the form notarized, sign it, have the participating student sign it, date it, and return to us as soon as possible.**

**Thanks so much for your understanding of the importance of this issue. If you need to contact me please email or call (423) 506-7859;(c) (423) 263-3583;(h). I will be glad to assist you in any way.**

**Serving Christ thru Ministry to Students**

**Randal Woods**

**NEBC Medical / Liability Release Form**  
**Release of all claims**

I (we) the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of youth participating)

Do hereby release, forever discharge and agree to hold harmless North Etowah Baptist Church and the directors thereof from any and all liability, claims or demands for personal injury, sickness or death, as well as property damage and expenses, of any nature whatsoever which may be incurred by the undersigned and the youth that occur while said youth is participating in an activity or trip sponsored by North Etowah Baptist Church youth ministry.

I (we), on behalf of said youth/participant assume all risk of personal injury, sickness, death, damage and expense as a result of participation in recreation and work activities involved herein.

Authorization and permission is hereby given to North Etowah Baptist Church to furnish any necessary transportation, food and lodging for this participation.

The undersigned further agree to hold harmless and indemnify (compensate) North Etowah Baptist Church, its directors, and employees, for any liability sustained by North Etowah Baptist Church as the result of the negligent or intentional acts of said youth/participant.

I (we) agree as well as said youth/participant to abide by all rules set forth by North Etowah Baptist Church and its directors (leaders) for the activity or trip. We understand that failure to abide by these rules will result in disciplinary action during or after the activity or trip.

When my (our) permission has been granted for said youth/participant to participate fully in the activity or trip I (we) hereby authorize the adult leadership approved by North Etowah Baptist Church to take said youth/participant to a doctor or hospital and hereby authorize medical treatment, including but not limited to emergency surgery or medical treatment, and I (we) assume the responsibility of all medical bills, if any.

Should it be necessary for the participant to return home due to medical reasons, disciplinary action or otherwise, I (we) hereby assume all transportation costs.

Hospital Insurance: YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician & Phone#: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Phone# (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) or Legal Guardian(s) signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**PARTICIPATING YOUTH: I have read the above and understand the rules of conduct for participants and will abide by them as well as the directions of the leadership of the activity or trip.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Participating youth's signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_

(NOTARY PUBLIC)

Resident of \_\_\_\_\_ County, State of \_\_\_\_\_

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_