

GVSU Camps and Youth Programming Covid-19 Waiver

An inherent risk of exposure to COVID-19 exists in any public place where people are present. COVID-19 is an extremely contagious disease that can lead to severe illness and death. By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the associated risks on behalf of my minor child or ward. I understand that participation may expose my minor child or ward to COVID-19 and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death to my minor child or ward and those who may be infected by my minor child or ward. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at Grand Valley State University (GVSU) may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of my minor child or ward and others, including, but not limited to, GVSU's employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

I voluntarily agree to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to my minor child or ward (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I and/or my minor child or ward may experience or incur in connection with my minor child or ward's participation in the GVSU Program. On my minor child or ward's behalf, I release and agree to hold harmless GVSU, its Board of Trustees, students and employees from all claims, actions, damages and liabilities for personal injury, damage or illness relating to or arising out of any activity except where the injury, damage or illness is caused by the gross negligence of the university's employees.

All participants in Programs at GVSU are required to comply with all laws, orders, ordinances, policies, regulations, as well as guidance adopted by GVSU as it relates to COVID-19. This guidance may evolve as circumstances warrant. GVSU may require participants to leave GVSU or suspend participation in the Program in the event a participant's continued presence poses a health or safety risk to my minor child or ward, GVSU community and/or other participants and/or staff in the Program.

Printed Name of Par	ent/Legal Guardian/Fos	ter Parent
Signature of Parent/	Legal Guardian/Foster I	Parent
 Date		