

Millcreek Township School District 3740 West 26 ^h Street Erie, PA 16506 814-835-5300

Dear Physician,

Students registered in Pennsylvania Schools are required by law to attend courses of instruction in physical education. These courses are adapted to meet the needs of the individual student. The Millcreek Township School District is interested in working closely with you to provide the correct physical education activities for your patient(s).

If you are treating an individual who is unable to participate in a physical education program according to the grade level state standards due to a physical disability, the physical education program can be modified to meet and/or improve that student's condition.

Meeting the needs of the identified student is our top priority. In order to do so, it will be necessary for you to complete the attached form indicating the diagnosis and please check the appropriate grade level box. Please note that this form can only be completed by a physician, a physician's assistant or a nurse practitioner.

Please review the listed activities at the patient's grade level and mark those activities that the student CAN participate. Please feel free to add or edit the list to further clarify any specific concerns that might exist with the identified student. In addition, if there is a specific remedial plan that you prefer to be implemented to assist in the student's recovery, **please attach a copy of the entire plan when returning the enclosed document.** The physical education instructors will utilize this information when planning the appropriate level of instruction.

Finally, please complete the physician's information section with your signature and office demographics. Please know that your signature on this form permits the school nurse to contact you for a phone conference to clarify any information.

Thank you for your cooperation. We look forward to partnering with you to provide this student with a physical education experience that is safe for the student and provides them with an opportunity for remediation.

Sincerely,

Mr. Edward Nientimp Director of Pupil Services



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Student's Name:	Date of Birth: / /
Physician Name:	Address:
Phone: () -	Fax: () -
Date of Exam: / / Diagnosis:	

 Due to the condition identified above, this student requires (check one)

 Regular Gym Classes as modified
 Adaptive Gym (may require academic schedule changes)
 Dance or Athletic Dance Class as modified

Please complete the appropriate section below. Note that the following sections list general activities included in the physical

education course at each level. Indicate by a check those activities the above student **CAN** participate.

Elementary School Students		
	Stretching	Running Games
	Calisthenics	Recreational Sports
	Cardio/Fitness Machines (Grandview only)	Competitive Games
	Rhythms & Dance	Other

Middle & High School Students				
Student may wear a heart monitor and exercise in the target heart rate zone of 120-180 BPM				
If not, please specify a therapeutic heart rate zone for this student: BPM				
Student may walk at a 12 minute/mile pace. If not, specify the pace/mile:				
Light Stretching on a mat Recreational Sports (bowling, ping pong, etc)				
Non-combative games	act games (flag football, basketball, dodge ball)			
🗌 Walking 🔄 Weig	ht machines/Free weights			
Running games				
Exercise Machines: Free Climber/Stepper	Upper Body Ergo Meter Treadmill			
Free Runner/Elliptical	Stationary Bike			
Aquatics (available for 9 th & 10 th grade only)				
Regular Large Pool Exercis	es in Small Pool 🛛 None of these			
Please complete and return this form as soon as possible.				
Dub automatic				
Return/FAX form to	School Nurse at ()			
(Name)	(fax number)			
The following exercise plan or therapy is also suggested for the identified student. Please specify plan below:				

This is to certify that I have examined the student identified above on	DATE FORM RECEIVED BY:
DATE& recommend (s)he should participate ONLY in	SCHOOL NURSECOPY TO PHYSICAL
the previously checked activities until .	EDUCATION TEACHER:
PHYSICIAN'S SIGNATUREDATE	(date)
(Form may be signed by a MD. DO. PA. CRNP)	