



ELECTROCARDIOGRAM CONSENT FORM AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

Athens ISD

An electrocardiogram (ECG or EKG) screen can help identify young athletes who are at risk for Sudden Cardiac Arrest (SCA), a condition where death can result from an abrupt loss of heart function. An ECG screening may assist in diagnosing several different heart conditions that may contribute to SCA.

By signing below, I am either electing or declining an ECG screen provided by the **Athens ISD** for my child. By electing to receive an ECG screen, I acknowledge the limitations of an ECG screen and that SCA or other cardiac events may still occur, despite this screening. I further acknowledge that students with an abnormal ECG will be required to undergo further testing (e.g. an echo or ultrasound) and/or a medical consultation prior to being released to resume participation for **Athens ISD** extracurricular activities. By my signature below, I hereby release and forever discharge, and waive, any and all claims against **Who We Play For** and **Athens ISD**, their employees, trustees, consultants, volunteers and contractors that relate to my election regarding and/or my child's participation in the ECG screening. I authorize medical personnel to review the ECG results, and interpret and use the same for diagnostic and aggregated statistical purposes in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act and Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996.

I DO hereby **CONSENT** to participation in the ECG screen on behalf of my minor child.

I DO NOT consent to participation in the ECG screen on behalf of my minor child.

Athens ISD is offering this heart screening free to students this school year due to a generous donation from the **Cody Stephens Foundation**. If you are able, please help "Pay It Forward" with a donation so **Athens ISD** families experiencing financial hardships can participate in this program in the future.

___I want to help "Pay It Forward." My donation is attached as cash or check payable to Who We Play For.

Thank you for your generosity!

Child's Name Printed

Date

Parent/Guardian Name Printed

Parent/Guardian Signature

Parent/Guardian E-Mail address (Please print)

Parent/Guardian Phone #

Participant Information

Student Last Name: _____ Student First Name: _____

Male _____ Female _____ Race: _____ Birthdate ____/____/____

Student ID#: _____ Weight: _____ Height: _____ Sport: _____ Grade: _____

Student Cardiac History (if any): _____

Family Cardiac History (if any): _____

Does student currently take any of the following medication? (Mark all that apply):

ADD/ADHD _____ Asthma medication/inhaler _____ Heart-related _____ Seizure _____



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For more information about heart screening, see www.WhoWePlayFor.org
For more information about **Cody Stephens Foundation**, please visit codystephensfoundation.org

Thank you for participating in this important heart screening!