



To Whom It May Concern:

Please review this form and add to my child’s school file for the 2021-2022 school year. Per the following statutes and protections, my child listed below will not be required to wear facial masks/shields at school, will not be required to receive the Covid-19 injection to attend school, will not be required to participate in viral Covid-19 testing, will not be required to quarantine if asymptomatic, and/or will not be discriminated against based on those decisions.

Per the **Civil Immunities (745 ILCS 70/) Health Care Right of Conscience Act** ¹ :

“It is the public policy of the State of Illinois to respect and protect the right of conscience of all persons who refuse to obtain, receive or accept, or who are engaged in, the delivery of, arrangement for, or payment of health care services and medical care whether acting individually, corporately, or in association with other persons; and to prohibit all forms of discrimination, disqualification, coercion, disability or imposition of liability upon such persons or entities by reason of their refusing to act contrary to their conscience or conscientious convictions in providing, paying for, or refusing to obtain, receive, accept, deliver, pay for, or arrange for the payment of health care services and medical care.” The SB1169 amendment does not affect the ability to cite this act by the citizenry nor does it prohibit due process that may determine the application of this act in protecting the rights of Illinois citizens.

Per the **United States Department of Education Office for Civil Rights** ² :

“As school leaders respond to evolving conditions related to coronavirus, they should be mindful of the requirements of Section 504 ³, Title II ⁴ and Title VI ⁵ to ensure that all students are able to study and learn in an environment that is safe and free from discrimination.”

Per the **FEMA Civil Rights Bulletin** ⁶ :

“Rights laws and legal authorities remain in effect, and cannot be waived, during COVID-19, Executive Orders, [or during] other disasters.”

Per the **Federal Law, Title 21 U.S.C. § 360bbb-3 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act** ⁷ :

“Individuals to whom the product is administered are informed— (I) that the Secretary has authorized the emergency use of the product; (II) of the significant known and potential benefits and risks of such use, and of the extent to which such benefits and risks are unknown; and (III) of the option to accept or refuse administration of the product, of the consequences, if any, of refusing administration of the product, and of the alternatives to the product that are available and of their benefits and risks.”

Per the Joint Guidance on the Application of the **Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) And the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA)**⁸ To Student Health Records: “The term ‘education records’ is defined to mean, with certain exceptions, those records that are: (1) directly related to a student, and (2) maintained by an educational agency or institution or by a party acting for the agency or institution. 20 U.S.C. § 1232g(a)(4)(A); 34 CFR § 99.3 (definition of “education records”). For instance, a student’s health records, including immunization records, maintained by an educational agency or institution (such as by an elementary or secondary school nurse) would generally constitute education records subject to FERPA.”

Per the **Department of Public Health Act** ⁹ (20 ILCS 2305) an asymptomatic student may not be made to quarantine *unless*: A parent/Guardian provides consent or an order of a court is issued (emails or phone calls from school personnel do not constitute a court order).

STUDENT NAME: _____

SCHOOL ATTENDING: _____ GRADE/TEACHER: _____

As the parent/guardian of the student listed above, I affirm these expectations and trust your leadership will reflect support of parental consent, civil rights, and all liberties protected by the laws, regulations, and constitution of Illinois and the United States of America. Any questions or concerns regarding this notice and its stipulations should not be directed at my student but rather to me, the parent/guardian. Should any school district personnel and/or agent enact policies/guidelines/protocols that are in violation of any law, right, or protection of the aforementioned student, legal action may be taken.

Regards,

(Parent/Guardian signature(s) and date)

(Parent/Guardian printed name(s))

¹ https://www.ilg.gov/regulation/ilcs/ilcs.asp?ActID=2082&ChapterID=58
² https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/2019-compliance-issues-report.pdf
³ https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/504faq.html
⁴ https://www.ada.gov/fada_title_ii.htm
⁵ https://www2.ed.gov/about/offices/list/ocr/docs/tic_ada.html
⁶ https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020/07/fema_emerging-civil-rights-during-covid-19-response.pdf
⁷ https://www.gpo.gov/intercontent/pkg/USCODE-2011-title21.pdf/USCODE-2011-title21-chap6-subchap5-part1-sec360bbb-3.pdf
⁸ https://www.hhs.gov/hipaa/for-professionals/special-topics/ferpa-hipaa-factsheet.html
⁹ https://www.ilg.gov/regulation/ilcs/ilcs.asp?ActID=230&ChapterID=5