Annex C

Parent/Legal Guardian Notification Process

This procedure, is to be used for notifying the minor’s parent/legal guardian in case of an emergency, including medical issues, behavioral problems, natural disasters, or other significant disruptions. The program administrator shall provide written information on the notification procedure to adults involved in the program, parents/legal guardians of minors, and, if age appropriate, the minor.

For overnight programs, each program administrator must have a roster of all minors participating in the program. The roster shall include each minor’s name, gender, age, and home address; local room assignment (if any); phone number(s) of parent or legal guardian; and emergency contact information.

1. Provide information to the parent or legal guardian detailing the manner in which the minor can be contacted during the program.
2. For overnight programs, provide the registry administrator with a roster of program staff and contact information, including information on the program administrator.
3. Have completed a comprehensive health form for each minor camp or conference participant.
4. Program staff may distribute medications to minors only under the following conditions:
   • The minor’s family must provide the medicine in its original pharmacy container labeled with the minor’s name, medicine name, dosage, and timing of consumption. Over-the-counter medications must be provided in the manufacturer’s container and labeled with the minor’s name, dosage, and timing of consumption.
   • The parent or guardian must provide written authorization before program staff may distribute any medication to a minor.
   • Program staff shall keep the medicine in a secure location and, at the appropriate time for distribution, meet with the minor in the presence of another adult.
   • The program staff member shall allow the minor to self-administer the appropriate dose as shown on the container.
   • For medicine that the minor cannot self-administer, the parent or guardian must make arrangements in advance of the minor’s arrival with a qualified individual to administer the medication.
   • Minors may carry personal “epi” pens and inhalers during activities for self-administration.
5. Develop and make available to participants the rules, discipline measures, and response protocols applicable to the program.
6. Obtain all liability releases as part of the program registration process.
7. Assign a staff member who is at least 21 years of age to be accessible to the participants. The staff member must reside in the housing unit, if applicable.
8. As applicable, all programs must adopt and implement rules and regulations for proper supervision of minors in University housing.