Pursuant to the “hold harmless release” of the Navy Child and Youth Program permission statement found in OPNAVINST 1700.9E, and as a parent/guardian of a participant in the NAVSTA Rota Youth Sports and Fitness Program (YSF), I accept the following conditions of participation for my child and acknowledge that I have been informed of the general nature of the risks involved in this activity, including, but not limited to contracting diseases such as COVID-19, also known as the coronavirus disease.

COVID-19 is a pandemic disease that spreads from person-to-person. COVID-19 can cause mild to severe illness. Nevertheless, people of all ages are at risk of contracting COVID-19, and people with severe chronic medical conditions including, but not limited to, heart disease, lung disease, and diabetes, are at a higher risk of developing serious COVID-19 illness. I also understand that, at this time, there is an available vaccine to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 onboard Naval Station Rota.

Symptoms of COVID-19 include, but are not limited to, fever, cough, and shortness of breath. Reported illnesses may range from very mild (including some with no reported symptoms) to severe, including death. If my child feels sick, I agree not to send them to the facility/field/court, and that they will stay home for the period of time recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (the “CDC”), which is typically two weeks, but may be longer if my child is still symptomatic or contagious.

Additionally, while my child participates in the program, I agree to ensure that they take all necessary precautions recommended and identified by the CDC and outlined in the mandatory parent orientation and YSF COVID-19 Precautions Handout to prevent the spread of COVID-19, including but not limited to, washing their hands thoroughly and often, wearing a mask to cover their mouth and nose, and abiding by other applicable rules, regulations or directives from appropriate authorities (including the installation commander) with respect to the protection of public health. Further, I personally agree to abide by the Precautions Handout and strictly adhere to the rules and regulations set forth by the CDC and installation commander related to COVID-19 precautions during my child’s participation in YSF programs. These include, but are not limited to, maintaining social distancing, mandatory mask using at all times, and washing my hands thoroughly.

I agree to ensure that my child abides by any and all specific requests by the NAVSTA Rota YSF program for their safety and the safety of others, as well as any and all of the Child & Youth Program’s (CYP) rules and policies applicable to all activities related to this program. I understand that YSF reserve the right to exclude my child’s participation in this program if their participation or behavior is deemed detrimental to the safety or welfare of others.

In consideration for my child being permitted to participate in this program, and because I have agreed to assume the risks involved, I hereby agree that I am responsible for any resulting illness to my child which may occur as a result of my child’s participation in this program. I understand that this Assumption of Risk form will remain in effect during any of my child’s subsequent program-related activities, unless a specific revocation of this document is filed in writing with the Installation CYP Director, at which time my child’s participation in the program will cease.

I acknowledge that I have read and fully understand this document, and have discussed this information with my child. I further acknowledge that I am accepting these personal risks and conditions of my own free will. My child/ward is under 18 years of age and I am hereby providing permission for him/her to participate in this program, and I agree to be responsible for his/her behavior and safety during this event.

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