AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION
CONSENT FOR TREATMENT: General Sports Medicine Program (U18)

Minor's Name _____ ("Child") Date of Birth: _____

Please list all the Minor's Medication and Medical Conditions: _____

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I, _____ the Parent or Guardian signing below, hereby authorize physicians, nurses, athletic trainers or any other healthcare provider (collectively "Providers") of Memorial Healthcare System ("MHS") to conduct routine medical, medical screenings, diagnostic, or any other procedure deemed necessary in order for the above Child to participate in school athletics. In the event that an injury occurs to Child while participating in school athletics, I further authorize and give permission to Providers to render to my Child appropriate and necessary care at that time. If medical necessity exists beyond that which can be reasonably dealt with on school grounds, I further authorize and give permission to Providers to arrange for professional medical transport to a medical facility. I understand that efforts will be made to contact the parent or guardian in the case of a medical emergency.

I understand the MHS has both employed and independent contractors who may participate in the Child's care and that these individuals are not always employees or agents of MHS. I also understand that MHS contracts with physicians and physician groups to provide services to patients and that they may be independent contractors and are not necessarily the agents or employees of MHS. I understand that MHS is not legally responsible for the acts and omissions of its independent contractors or these individuals who are not employees or agents of MHS. I acknowledge that no guarantees have been made to me regarding the results of any examination, care, or treatment to be provided by an MHS employee, agent, or independent contractor.

I hereby authorize physicians, nurses, athletic trainers or any other Providers who are employees or independent contractors of MHS to examine and evaluate my Child and to release the health information to School Board of Broward County or its employees, school officials, coaches, teachers, or agents, for the purpose of engaging in school athletics and determining my Child's ability to participate in school athletics. I likewise authorize the School Board of Broward County to disclose health information from my Child's educational record to MHS. The health information consists of history, physical, examinations, medical screenings, past or present health information or information pertaining to injury or illness that may have a bearing on my Child's ability to participate in school athletics. I also understand that the health information used or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient of the information and is no longer protected by Federal confidentially laws or MHS. I understand that, unless my Child is seen at a MHS facility, my Child is not considered a patient of MHS and no health information will be recorded in any electronic medical record maintained by MHS.

I understand that authorizing the disclosure of this health information is voluntary. I can refuse to sign and MHS will not condition treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility for benefits on whether I sign this authorization. I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by notifying, in writing, the MHS representative at my Child's school. In the event I revoke this authorization, it will not have any effect on actions taken by MHS prior to the revocation. This authorization will be effective until revoked or until the Child reaches eighteen (18) years of age or is no longer enrolled in the Broward County School system.

PARENT(S) / GUARDIAN(S)

By: _____ _____ _____

Printed Name: _____ Date Signed Relationship to Child

By: _____ _____ _____

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