#### LHSAA MEDICAL HISTORY EVALUATION

IMPORTANT: This form must be completed annually, kept on file with the school, & is subject to inspection by the Rules Compliance Team.

Name:	School:		Grade:	Date:
Sport(s):			Age:Cell Phone:	
Home Address:	City:State	:Zip Code	e:Home Phone:	
Parent / Guardian:				
FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY:       Has any memb         Yes No Condition       Whom         Heart Attack/Disease	Yes No Condition W	itions? /hom	Yes No Condition Arthritis Kidney Disease Epilepsy	Whom
ATHLETE'S ORTHOPAEDIC HISTORY:         Has           Yes No Condition         Date           Head Injury / Concussion	Yes No Condition	Date	Yes No Condition  Shoulder L / R Back Ankle L / R Ankle L / R Pinched Nerve	Date
ATHLETE MEDICAL HISTORY: Has the athle Yes No Condition Heart Murmur / Chest Pain / Tightness Kidney Disease Kidney Disease Kidney Disease High Blood Pressure Dizzy / Fainting Organ Loss (kidney, spleen, etc) Surgery	ete had any of these conditions? Yes No Condition S Asthma / Prescribed Inhaler Shortness of breath / Coughin Hernia Knocked out / Concussion Heart Disease Diabetes Liver Disease Tuberculosis Prescribed EPI PEN		Rapid weight loss / gain Take supplements/vitamins Heat related problems Recent Mononucleosi Enlarged Spleen Sickle Cell Trait/Anemia Overnight in hospital Allergies (Food, Drugs)	
List Dates for: Last Tetanus Shot:			Meningitis Vaccine:	
To the best of our knowledge, we have give	PARENTS' WAIVER en true & accurate information & hereby grant p e screening is not intended to nor will it preven	permission for th		

examination is provided without expectation of payment, there shall be no cause of action pursuant to Louisiana R.S. 9:2798 against the team volunteer healthcare provider and/or employer under Louisiana law.

This waiver, executed on the date below by the undersigned medical doctor, osteopathic doctor, nurse practitioner or physician's assistant and parent of the student athlete named above, is done so in compliance with Louisiana law with the full understanding that there shall be no cause of action for any loss or damage caused by any act or omission related to the health care services if rendered voluntarily and without expectation of payment herein unless such loss or damage was caused by gross negligence. Additionally,

1	1. If, in the judgment of a school representative, the named student-athlete needs care or treatment as a result of an injury	_	_
	or sickness, I do hereby request, consent and authorize for such care as may be deemed necessary		
2	2. I understand that if the medical status of my child changes in any significant manner after his/her physical examination,	-	=
	I will notify his/her principal of the change immediately		
3	3. I give my permission for the athletic trainer to release information concerning my child's injuries to the head coach/athletic	-	=
	director/principal of his/her school		
4	4. By my signature below, I am agreeing to allow my child's medical history/exam form and all eligibility forms to be reviewed		4
	by the LHSAA or its Representative(s)		

**Date Signed by Parent** 

Signature of Parent

Typed or Printed Name of Parent

II. COMPLETED ANNUALLY BY MEDICAL DOCTOR (MD), OSTEOPATHIC DR. (DO), NURSE PRACTITIONER (APRN) or PHYSICIAN'S ASSISTANT (PA)

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Skin Hernia <i>(if Needed)</i>		а а	31 30 29 28 27 26 25 24 23 22 21 20 19 18 17	II. Upper Extremity Shoulder Elbow Wrist		
From this limite	•	e no reason why	this student cannot participate in athletics.	Hand / Fingers III. Lower Extremity Hip Knee Ankle		
		ation and treatmen non=contact	nt for:			

Printed Name of MD, DO, APRN or PA

Signature of MD, DO, APRN or PA

This physical expires one year on the last day of the month that it was signed and dated by the MD, DO, APRN or PA.

#### THE DUNHAM SCHOOL WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY FOR THE SPORT OF

I am aware that practicing, or any other form of participation in any sport can be a dangerous activity involving risk of injury.

I understand that the dangers and risks of playing or practicing the above sport include the possibility of minor to severe injury, and I understand and assume that risk.

Because of the dangers of participating in the above sport, I recognize the importance of listening to, and following all of the coach's instructions and warnings regarding playing techniques, training methods, rules of instructions as well as following all written warnings regarding playing techniques, training methods, rules of the sport and other team rules.

I understand that all instructions and warnings, both verbal and written, are incorporated into this agreement and I hereby expressly promise to obey all such instructions and warnings.

I agree to waive all claims of whatever nature, fully and finally, now and forever, for myself, my estate, my heirs, my administrators, my executors, my assignees, my successors, and for all members of my family.

I also agree to release, exonerate, discharge and hold harmless the above named school, their trustees, officers, agents, servants, employees, successors and assignees, including their athletic staffs, coaches, assistant coaches, athletic trainers, physicians and other practitioners of the healing arts treating me, from any and all liability, claims, causes of action or demands arising out of any injuries to my person or property, or losses of any kind and nature whatsoever, which may result from or in connection with my participation in any type of activity related to The Dunham School team.

I also understand that should I be injured while practicing, training and/or competing in the above-named sport, my insurance will be the primary insurance coverage. The Dunham School's insurance will take effect as secondary coverage. After both insurance companies have paid out their maximum allowable amount, I understand that I am responsible for any other outstanding balances owed to any medical providers engaged in my treatment and recovery.

Student-Athlete Signature

Date

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

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### CONCUSSION FACT SHEET FOR ATHLETES

#### **CONCUSSION FACTS**

- A concussion is a brain injury that affects how your brain works.
- A concussion is caused by a bump, blow, or jolt to the head or body.
- A concussion can happen even if you haven't been knocked out.
- If you think you have a concussion, you should not return to play on the day of the injury and until a health care professional says you are OK to return to play.

#### **CONCUSSION SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS**

Concussion symptoms differ with each person and with each injury, and may not be noticeable for hours or days. Common symptoms include:

- Headache
- Confusion
- Difficulty remembering or paying attention
- · Balance protblems or dizziness
- Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy, or groggy
- · Feeling irritable, more emotional, or "down"
- Nausea or vomiting
- · Bothered by light or noise
- Double or blurry vision
- Slowed reaction time
- Sleep problems
- Loss of consciousness

During recovery, exercising or activities that involve a lot of concentration (such as studying, working on the computer, or playing video games) may cause concussion symptoms to reappear or get worse.

# WHY SHOULD I REPORT MY SYMPTOMS?

- Unlike with some other injuries, playing or practicing with concussion symptoms is dangerous and can lead to a longer recovery and a delay in your return to play.
- While your brain is still healing, you are much more likely to have another concussion.
- A repeat concussion in a young athlete can result in permanent damage to your brain. They can even be fatal.



# DON'T HIDE IT. REPORT IT.

Ignoring your symptoms and trying to "tough it out" often makes symptoms worse. Tell your coach, parent, and athletic trainer if you think you or one of your teammates may have a concussion. Don't let anyone pressure you into continuing to practice or play with a concussion.

## GET CHECKED OUT.

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Only a health care professional can tell if you have a concussion and when it's OK to return to play. Sports have injury timeouts and player substitutions so that you can get checked out and the team can perform at its best. The sooner you get checked out, the sooner you may be able to safely return to play.

## TAKE CARE OF YOUR BRAIN.

A concussion can affect your ability to do schoolwork and other activities. Most athletes with a concussion get better and return to sports, but it is important to rest and give your brain time to heal. A repeat concussion that occurs while your brain is still healing can cause long-term problems that may change your life forever.



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### CONCUSSION FACT SHEET FOR PARENTS

#### WHAT IS A CONCUSSION?

A concussion is a type of traumatic brain injury. Concussions are caused by a bump or blow to the head. Even a "ding," "getting your bell rung," or what seems to be a mild bump or blow to the head can be serious.

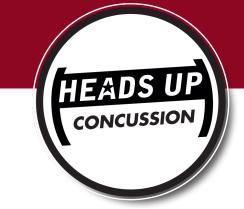
You can't see a concussion. Signs and symptoms of concussion can show up right after the injury or may not appear or be noticed until days or weeks after the injury. If your child reports any symptoms of concussion, or if you notice the symptoms yourself, seek medical attention right away.

#### WHAT ARE THE SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF CONCUSSION?

If your child has experienced a bump or blow to the head during a game or practice, look for any of the following signs of a concussion:

#### SYMPTOMS REPORTED BY ATHLETE:

- · Headache or "pressure" in head
- Nausea or vomiting
- · Balance problems or dizziness
- Double or blurry vision
- Sensitivity to light
- Sensitivity to noise
- Feeling sluggish, hazy, foggy, or groggy
- Concentration or memory problems
- Confusion
- Just not "feeling right" or is "feeling down"



#### SIGNS OBSERVED BY PARENTS/ GUARDIANS:

- · Appears dazed or stunned
- Is confused about assignment or position
- · Forgets an instruction
- · Is unsure of game, score, or opponent
- · Moves clumsily
- · Answers questions slowly
- Loses consciousness (even briefly)
- · Shows mood, behavior, or personality changes



### **DANGER SIGNS**

Be alert for symptoms that worsen over time. Your child or teen should be seen in an emergency department right away if s/he has:

- One pupil (the black part in the middle of the eye) larger than the other
- Drowsiness or cannot be awakened
- · A headache that gets worse and does not go away
- · Weakness, numbness, or decreased coordination
- Repeated vomiting or nausea
- Slurred speech
- Convulsions or seizures
- Difficulty recognizing people or places
- Increasing confusion, restlessness, or agitation
- Unusual behavior
- Loss of consciousness (even a brief loss of consciousness should be taken seriously)

### WHAT SHOULD YOU DO IF YOU THINK YOUR CHILD HAS A CONCUSSION?

- SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION RIGHT AWAY
   A health care professional will be able to decide how serious the concussion is and when it is safe for your child to return to regular activities, including sports.
- 2. KEEP YOUR CHILD OUT OF PLAY. Concussions take time to heal. Don't let your child return to play the day of the injury and until a health care professional says it's OK. Children who return to play too soon - while the brain is still healing - risk a greater chance of having a second concussion. Repeat or later concussions can be very serious. They can cause permanent brain damage, affecting your child for a lifetime.
- TELL YOUR CHILD'S COACH ABOUT ANY PREVIOUS CONCUSSION. Coaches should know if your child had a previous concussion. Your child's coach may not know about a concussion your child received in another sport or activity unless you tell the coach.

### HOW CAN YOU HELP YOUR CHILD PREVENT A CONCUSSION OR OTHER SERIOUS BRAIN INJURY?

- Ensure that they follow their coach's rules for safety and the rules of the sport.
- Encourage them to practice good sportsmanship at all times.
- Make sure they wear the right protective equipment for their activity. Protective equipment should fit properly and be well maintained.
- Wearing a helmet is a must to reduce the risk of a serious brain injury or skull fracture.
  - However, helmets are not designed to prevent concussions. There is no "concussion-proof" helmet. So, even with a helmet, it is important for kids and teens to avoid hits to the head.

#### HOW CAN I HELP MY CHILD RETURN TO SCHOOL SAFELY AFTER A CONCUSSION?

Children and teens who return to school after a concussion may need to:

- Take rest breaks as needed
- Spend fewer hours at school
- Be given more time to take tests or complete assignments
- Receive help with schoolwork
- · Reduce time spent reading, writing, or on the computer

Talk with your child's teachers, school nurse, coach, speech-language pathologist, or counselor about your child's concussion and symptoms. As your child's symptoms decrease, the extra help or support can be removed gradually.

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#### Louisiana High School Athletic Association Parent and Student-Athlete Concussion Statement

I understand that it is my responsibility to report all injuries and illnesses to my coach, athletic trainer and/or team physician.

I have read and understand the Concussion Fact Sheet.

After reading the Concussion Fact Sheet, I am aware of the following information:

Parent Initial	Student Initial	
		A concussion is a brain injury, which I am responsible for reporting to my coach , athletic trainer, or team physician.
		A concussion can affect my ability to perform everyday activities, and affect reaction time, balance, sleep, and classroom performance
		You cannot see a concussion, but you might notice some of the symptoms right away. Other symptoms can show up hours or days after the injury.
		If I suspect a teammate has a concussion, I am responsible for reporting the injury to my coach, athletic trainer, or team physician.
		I will not return to play in a game or practice if I have received a blow to the head or body that results in concussion-related symptoms.
		Following concussion the brain needs time to heal. You are much more likely to have a repeat concussion if you return to play before your symptoms resolve.
		In rare cases, repeat concussions can cause permanent brain damage, and even death.

Signature of Student-Athlete Date

Printed name of Student-Athlete

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Printed name of Parent/Guardian

# STUDENT ATHLETE AUTHORIZATION/CONSENT STUDENT-FOR DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_\_(PRINT STUDENT-ATHLETE NAME) hereby authorize Dr. Rodriguez at Baton Rouge Orthopedic Clinic and Jason Greene and Patrick Cook at Peak Performance Physical Therapy to disclose my protected health information and any related information regarding any injury or illness that may affect my participation in high school athletics ("Health Information") to the Dunham School athletic trainer and/or staff, on a need to know basis to high school coaches and administrators. I give my permission for the athletic trainer, head coach, athletic director/principal of The Dunham School to release information concerning my child's medical examination, injuries or medical conditions to any medical provider who treats my child for a school-related or athletic injury or who is treating my child at my selection for any condition.

I understand that the Health Information disclosed pursuant to this authorization will be used by these individuals and entities to make decisions regarding my athletic ability and suitability to compete while I am a student athlete.

I understand that my Health Information is protected by federal regulations under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) and may not be disclosed without my authorization under HIPAA. I also understand that once my Health Information is disclosed to a person or entity who is not governed by federal privacy regulations that my Health Information will no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations.

The Dunham School, Dr. Rodriguez at Baton Rouge Orthopedic Clinic, and Jason Greene and Patrick Cook at Peak Performance Physical Therapy understand that your medical and health information is personal. Protecting your health information is important. We follow strict federal and state laws that require us to maintain the confidentiality of your health information.

This authorization/consent expires upon graduation and/or when I am no longer involved in high school athletics. However, I have the right to revoke it in writing at any time by sending written notification to Mike Welch or Donna Pixley at The Dunham School at 11111 Roy Emerson Drive, Baton Rouge, LA, 70810. I understand that a revocation takes effect on its request date and does not affect any action taken prior to that date.

Student-Athlete Signature

Parent/Guardian Name Parent/Guardian Signature

DATE
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