



# Consent to Release Health Information



## STUDENT INFORMATION

First Name:	Middle Name:	Last Name:	Date of Birth: (MM/DD/YYYY)
Parent/Guardian First Name:	Parent/Guardian Last Name:	Home or Cell Phone: (       )	

## CONSENT FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

By signing this Consent to Release Information form, I consent to the following:

- I authorize my child's school to disclose the following student information to the individuals/groups listed below: child's family and emergency contact information, attendance and disciplinary records, immunization history, results of health screenings such as hearing and vision, psychological evaluations, special education records, section 504 accommodation plan and any information related to medical conditions, such as asthma, diabetes or seizures.
  - My child's Health Care Provider(s)
  - My child's Health Insurance Plan
  - Michigan Dept. of Health and Human Services and Detroit Health Dept. (Immunization records only)
  - School-based health service providers – see below
- I understand that sharing this information will allow DPSCD to work with each of these individuals/groups to coordinate care, provide outreach services if necessary, and keep my child healthy and safe at school.
- I understand that I am entitled to receive a copy of any disclosed records. *(If you wish to receive a copy please provide an email or street address to which where the records should be sent.)*
- I understand that these individuals may further use records provided by DPSCD for contacting me and/or verifying information for student health related purposes.
- I understand that my authorization to allow sharing the above information is voluntary and that it expires when my child leaves the school district, or graduates. **I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by submitting a note or letter in writing to the school administration office.**

School-based health service providers may include any of the following:

- School Based Health Centers (SBHC): ability to diagnose and treat many common conditions such as sore throats, headaches, and ear infections, and also manage chronic health conditions. The SBHC may also provide behavioral health services.
- Dental Services: may include oral health education, screenings, fluoride varnish application, preventative care and cleaning, restorative/corrective care.
- Vision Services: may include screening, examination, treatment and/or corrections such as eyeglasses.
- Immunization Services
- Behavioral Health Services

In order for your child to receive these services, from these providers, you will need to complete a separate enrollment form with each of the providers.

Parent/Guardian Name:	Relationship to Child:	Date: (MM/DD/YYYY)
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## Permission for Collaboration for Your Child's Health Health Care providers, Health Plans and Health Departments



### FAMILY EDUCATIONAL RIGHTS AND PRIVACY ACT (FERPA)

#### What is FERPA?

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) is a Federal law that protects the privacy of student education records. Generally, schools must have written permission from the parent, or student if over 18, in order to release any information from a student's education record.

#### Permission for what?

Detroit Public Schools Community District is requesting your consent because we may need to share information contained in our student records with your child's Health Care Provider, Health Insurance Plan, a School-Based Health Service Provider, or as required by law, including to the Michigan and Detroit Departments of Health. Health Care Providers are the physician(s) or nurse practitioner(s) who take care of your child, as noted in the district's records. A Health Plan is an organization that administers your child's health care benefits, such as Medicaid or a health insurance company.

#### Why is this important?

This consent form allows the district, when requested or necessary by law, and/or to assist with coordination of health care, including benefits, by sharing health information from the student's education record. Without your consent, the district is limited in how it can collaborate with your child's Health Care Provider, Health Insurance Plan, or a School-Based Health Service Provider to help you or your child.

#### What this form does not do.

- This form only authorizes the district to disclose information for limited purposes, with your consent. Each Health Care Provider, Health Insurance Plan, or a School-Based Health Service Provider may have its own way of getting permission from you for them to share information with the district.
- Your signature does not authorize the district to obtain medical treatment for your child on your behalf.

**Please help us link you and your child to health services  
by signing and returning the previous page.**