

CONTACT SPORTS – PARTICIPATION WITH PAIRED ORGAN DISABILITY 8411

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Parents/guardians of students missing a paired organ who want their child to participate in contact sports must sign a release of responsibility releasing the Anaheim Union High School District from any responsibility because of injury sustained while participating in this activity.

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ANAHEIM UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
ADMINISTRATION DIVISION
ATHLETICS

RELEASE OF RESPONSIBILITY TO PARTICIPATE IN CONTACT SPORTS
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Sports are classified as follows:

Body contact/collision: football, basketball, baseball, wrestling, hockey, soccer, water polo, softball

Endurance/non-contact: tennis, volleyball, paddle ball, track, cross country, swimming, gymnastics, song/cheer, golf, badminton, drill/banners/flags/rifles

In signing this release I/we understand that participating in the following activity is contraindicated, and I/we release the Anaheim Union High School District from any responsibility because of injury sustained while participating in this activity.

Activity: _____

Printed Name of Student: _____

Signature of Student: x _____

Signature of Parent/Parents or Guardian/Guardians:

x _____ x _____

Date: _____

The undersigned physician has advised the above named parents/guardians and student of the risks involved with the student's participation in the above mentioned activity.

Physician's Signature: x _____ Date: _____

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