

Waiver of Liability, Assumption of Risk, and Indemnity Agreement

Waiver: In consideration of being permitted to participate in any way in volunteering, I, for myself, my heirs, personal representatives or assigns, **do hereby release, waive, discharge, and covenant not to sue** The Regents of the University of California, its officers, employees, and agents from liability **from any and all claims including the negligence of The Regents of the University of California, its officers, employees and agents**, resulting in personal injury, accidents or illnesses (including death), and property loss arising from, but not limited to, participation in volunteering.

Assumption of Risks: Participation in volunteering carries with it certain inherent risks that cannot be eliminated regardless of the care taken to avoid injuries. The specific risks vary from one activity to another, but the risks range from 1) minor injuries such as scratches, bruises, and sprains to 2) major injuries such as eye injury or loss of sight, joint or back injuries, heart attacks, and concussions to 3) catastrophic injuries including paralysis and death.

I have read the previous paragraphs and I know, understand, and appreciate these and other risks that are inherent in volunteering. I hereby assert that my participation is voluntary and that I knowingly assume all such risks.

Indemnification and Hold Harmless: I also agree to INDEMNIFY AND HOLD The Regents of the University of California HARMLESS from any and all claims, actions, suits, procedures, costs, expenses, damages and liabilities, including attorney's fees brought as a result of my involvement in volunteering and to reimburse them for any such expenses incurred.

Severability: The undersigned further expressly agrees that the foregoing waiver and assumption of risks agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as is permitted by the law of the State of California and that if any portion thereof is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full legal force and effect.

Acknowledgment of Understanding: I have read this waiver of liability, assumption of risk, and indemnity agreement, fully understand its terms, and **understand that I am giving up substantial rights, including my right to sue.** I acknowledge that I am signing the agreement freely and voluntarily, and **intend by my signature to be a complete and unconditional release of all liability** to the greatest extent allowed by law.

Your Responsibilities

- It is Your Right:
- To be assigned a job that is worthwhile and challenging.
 - To receive the orientation, training, and supervision necessary to do the job.
 - To feel that your efforts have real purpose and contribute to the organization's mission.
 - To receive feedback and evaluation on the work that you perform .
 - To be treated with respect and as an equal partner within the organization.
 - To be trusted with confidential information necessary to carry out your assignment.
 - To be kept informed on relevant matters within the organization with which you work.
 - To expect that your time will not be wasted by poor planning or coordination by the organization.
- It is Your Responsibility:
- Not to take on more responsibility than you can handle.
 - To meet your time commitments.
 - To perform the task assigned to you to the best of your ability.
 - To provide input on ways your task might be better performed.
 - To follow organizational policies and procedures.
 - To respect those confidences entrusted to you.
 - To be open-minded and respectful towards opinions shared with you.
 - To notify the organization in advance of absences or schedule changes that may affect them.

Center for Service in Action

Volunteer Verification

Center for Service in Action
G301 Student Center
(949) 824-3500

Student Information

Name			
Local Street Address			
City	Zip	Phone	
E-mail	Student		

Return this *Volunteer Verification* to the UCI Center for Service in Action.

OFFICE USE ONLY: RECD: _____ INPUT: _____ INTLS: _____

Signature of Participant _____ Date _____

