



**Anthem Dolphins WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR A LICENSED MASSAGE THERAPIST OR OTHER CERTIFIED PROFESSIONAL OR HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TO TREAT A MINOR ATHLETE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor athlete, give express written permission, and grant an exception to the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy for \_\_\_\_\_ (massage therapist or other certified professional) to provide a massage, rubdown and/or athletic training modality on \_\_\_\_\_ (minor athlete) on \_\_\_\_\_ (date)

at \_\_\_\_\_ (location). The massage, rubdown or athletic training modality must be done with at least one other adult present in the room and must never be done with only \_\_\_\_\_ (minor athlete) and \_\_\_\_\_ (massage therapist or other certified professional) in the room. I acknowledge that I have the right to observe the massage, rubdown or athletic training modality. I further acknowledge that this written permission is valid only for the dates and location specified herein.

Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Anthem Dolphins WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR AN UNRELATED ADULT ATHLETE TO SHARE THE SAME HOTEL, SLEEPING ARRANGEMENT OR OVERNIGHT LODGING LOCATION WITH MINOR ATHLETE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor athlete, give express written permission, and grant an exception to the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy for \_\_\_\_\_ (minor athlete), to stay in the same hotel room of, or share a sleeping arrangement or other overnight lodging location with \_\_\_\_\_ (unrelated adult athlete) at \_\_\_\_\_ (location of hotel room or other overnight lodging location) from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (dates of applicable rooming arrangement). I further acknowledge that this written permission is valid only for the dates and location specified herein.

Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Anthem Dolphins WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR AN UNRELATED APPLICABLE ADULT TO TRAVEL TO COMPETITION ALONE WITH MINOR ATHLETE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, a minor athlete, give express written permission, and grant an exception to the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy for \_\_\_\_\_ (minor athlete), to travel with \_\_\_\_\_ (Applicable Adult), to travel from \_\_\_\_\_ (point of origin) to \_\_\_\_\_ (destination) to attend the \_\_\_\_\_ (name of competition) from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ (dates of travel to competition).

I acknowledge that \_\_\_\_\_ (minor athlete) cannot share a hotel room, sleeping arrangement or other overnight lodging location with \_\_\_\_\_ (Applicable Adult) at any time. I further acknowledge that this written permission is valid only for the dates and location specified herein.

Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**Anthem Dolphins WRITTEN PERMISSION FOR AN UNRELATED APPLICABLE ADULT TO PROVIDE LOCAL TRANSPORTATION TO MINOR ATHLETE**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_,  
\_\_\_\_\_ a minor athlete, give express written permission, and grant an exception to the Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policy for \_\_\_\_\_, an unrelated Applicable Adult to provide local vehicle transportation to \_\_\_\_\_ (minor athlete) to \_\_\_\_\_ (destination) on \_\_\_\_\_ (date(s)) at \_\_\_\_\_ (approximate time), and further acknowledge that this written permission is valid only for the transportation on the specified date and to the specified location.

Legal Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## **Anthem Dolphins: PHOTOGRAPHY POLICIES**

*The following is a model procedure provided to assist USA Swimming member clubs who wish to develop a club photography policy. A club photography policy is not required by the Safe Sport Program, but clubs who wish to implement one may use the following as a resource.*

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### **PURPOSE**

There has been much talk about whether it is safe to have images taken of children participating in sports. While the great majority of images are appropriate and are taken in good faith, it is a fact that images can be misused and children can be put at risk if common-sense procedures are not observed.

### **POLICIES**

1. The publishing of a photograph of swimmer under 18 either on a notice board or in a published article or video recording (including video streaming) of swimming competitions (“publication”) should only be done with parents’ consent per the attached form.
2. A parent or guardian has a right of refuse to have children photographed. The exercise of this right of refusal cannot be used as grounds for refusing entry into a swimming competition. Therefore, any photo that may go to press or on a notice board, be it through a member of the club or official photographer, should receive parental consent before publishing/displaying the photo, preferably in writing. A suggested form allowing parents to indicate refusal of consent is to follow.

In the case of open meets and other competitions where the host club has an official photographer present, all parents attending should be made aware of this in your meet information. If photos are to be published anywhere, the individual parent should be given the opportunity to withhold their consent. Their right to do so should be specifically drawn to their attention.

All photographs must observe generally accepted standards of decency in particular:

- Action shots should be a celebration of the sporting activity and not a sexualized image in a sporting context.
- Action shots should not be taken or retained where the photograph reveals a torn or displaced swimsuit.
- Photographs should not be taken from behind swimming blocks at the start of a race or exhibit a child climbing out of the swimming pool.
- Photographs should not be taken in locker-rooms or bathrooms.

***Sample Photography Consent Form***

Anthem Dolphins may wish to take photographs (individual and in groups) of swimmers under the age of 18 that may include your child during their membership in the club. All photos will be taken and published in line with club policy. The club requires parental consent to take and use photographs.

Parents have a right to refuse agreement to their child being photographed.

As the parent/caregiver of \_\_\_\_\_ I allow the following



Take photographs to use on the club's secure website  Consent given  Consent refused

Take photographs to include with newspaper articles  Consent given  Consent refused

Take photographs to use on club notice boards  Consent given  Consent refused

Video for training purposes only  Consent given  Consent refused

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return this form to: Anthem Dolphin Coaching Staff