



# CCCC Wellness Program

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## Client Profile

Faculty /  Staff /  Student

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

Student ID# \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: M / F

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Ext: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Client: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Coordinator Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Update Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Update Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Update Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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## The Physical Activity Readiness Questionnaire for Everyone

The health benefits of regular physical activity are clear; more people should engage in physical activity every day of the week. Participating in physical activity is very safe for MOST people. This questionnaire will tell you whether it is necessary for you to seek further advice from your doctor OR a qualified exercise professional before becoming more physically active.

### GENERAL HEALTH QUESTIONS

| Please read the 7 questions below carefully and answer each one honestly: check YES or NO.   | YES                      | NO                       |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| 1) Has your doctor ever said that you have a heart condition <input type="checkbox"/> OR high blood pressure <input type="checkbox"/> ?  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 2) Do you feel pain in your chest at rest, during your daily activities of living, OR when you do physical activity?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 3) Do you lose balance because of dizziness OR have you lost consciousness in the last 12 months?<br>Please answer NO if your dizziness was associated with over-breathing (including during vigorous exercise).   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4) Have you ever been diagnosed with another chronic medical condition (other than heart disease or high blood pressure)? PLEASE LIST CONDITION(S) HERE: _____   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 5) Are you currently taking prescribed medications for a chronic medical condition?<br>PLEASE LIST CONDITION(S) AND MEDICATIONS HERE: _____  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 6) Do you currently have (or have had within the past 12 months) a bone, joint, or soft tissue (muscle, ligament, or tendon) problem that could be made worse by becoming more physically active? Please answer NO if you had a problem in the past, but it does not limit your current ability to be physically active.<br>PLEASE LIST CONDITION(S) HERE: _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 7) Has your doctor ever said that you should only do medically supervised physical activity?   | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |



**If you answered NO to all of the questions above, you are cleared for physical activity.**

**Please sign the PARTICIPANT DECLARATION. You do not need to complete Pages 2 and 3.**

- Start becoming much more physically active – start slowly and build up gradually.
- Follow Global Physical Activity Guidelines for your age (<https://www.who.int/publications/i/item/9789240015128>).
- You may take part in a health and fitness appraisal.
- If you are over the age of 45 yr and NOT accustomed to regular vigorous to maximal effort exercise, consult a qualified exercise professional before engaging in this intensity of exercise.
- If you have any further questions, contact a qualified exercise professional.

#### PARTICIPANT DECLARATION

If you are less than the legal age required for consent or require the assent of a care provider, your parent, guardian or care provider must also sign this form.

I, the undersigned, have read, understood to my full satisfaction and completed this questionnaire. I acknowledge that this physical activity clearance is valid for a maximum of 12 months from the date it is completed and becomes invalid if my condition changes. I also acknowledge that the community/fitness center may retain a copy of this form for its records. In these instances, it will maintain the confidentiality of the same, complying with applicable law.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ WITNESS \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE OF PARENT/GUARDIAN/CARE PROVIDER \_\_\_\_\_

**If you answered YES to one or more of the questions above, COMPLETE PAGES 2 AND 3.**

#### Delay becoming more active if:

- You are currently experiencing a temporary illness, such as a cold or fever. It is best to wait until you feel better.
- You are pregnant. In this case, talk with your health care practitioner, physician, qualified exercise professional, and/or complete the ePARmed-X+ at [www.eparmedx.com](http://www.eparmedx.com) before becoming more physically active.
- Your health changes. Answer the questions on Pages 2 and 3 of this document and/or talk to your health care practitioner, physician, or qualified exercise professional before proceeding with any physical activity program.

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## FOLLOW-UP QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR MEDICAL CONDITION(S)

### 1. Do you have Arthritis, Osteoporosis, or Back Problems?

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 1a-1c If **NO**  go to question 2

- 1a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO
- 1b. Do you have joint problems causing pain, a recent fracture or fracture caused by osteoporosis or cancer, displaced vertebra (e.g., spondylolisthesis), and/or spondylolysis/pars defect (a crack in the bony ring on the back of the spinal column)? YES  NO
- 1c. Have you had steroid injections or taken steroid tablets regularly for more than 3 months? YES  NO

### 2. Do you currently have Cancer of any kind?

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 2a-2b If **NO**  go to question 3

- 2a. Does your cancer diagnosis include any of the following types: lung/bronchogenic, multiple myeloma (cancer of plasma cells), head, and/or neck? YES  NO
- 2b. Are you currently receiving cancer therapy (such as chemotherapy or radiotherapy)? YES  NO

### 3. Do you have a Heart or Cardiovascular Condition? This includes Coronary Artery Disease, Heart Failure, Diagnosed Abnormality of Heart Rhythm

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 3a-3d If **NO**  go to question 4

- 3a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO
- 3b. Do you have an irregular heart beat that requires medical management? (e.g., atrial fibrillation, premature ventricular contraction) YES  NO
- 3c. Do you have chronic heart failure? YES  NO
- 3d. Do you have diagnosed coronary artery (cardiovascular) disease and have not participated in regular physical activity in the last 2 months? YES  NO

### 4. Do you currently have High Blood Pressure?

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 4a-4b If **NO**  go to question 5

- 4a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO
- 4b. Do you have a resting blood pressure equal to or greater than 160/90 mmHg with or without medication? (Answer **YES** if you do not know your resting blood pressure) YES  NO

### 5. Do you have any Metabolic Conditions? This includes Type 1 Diabetes, Type 2 Diabetes, Pre-Diabetes

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 5a-5e If **NO**  go to question 6

- 5a. Do you often have difficulty controlling your blood sugar levels with foods, medications, or other physician-prescribed therapies? YES  NO
- 5b. Do you often suffer from signs and symptoms of low blood sugar (hypoglycemia) following exercise and/or during activities of daily living? Signs of hypoglycemia may include shakiness, nervousness, unusual irritability, abnormal sweating, dizziness or light-headedness, mental confusion, difficulty speaking, weakness, or sleepiness. YES  NO
- 5c. Do you have any signs or symptoms of diabetes complications such as heart or vascular disease and/or complications affecting your eyes, kidneys, **OR** the sensation in your toes and feet? YES  NO
- 5d. Do you have other metabolic conditions (such as current pregnancy-related diabetes, chronic kidney disease, or liver problems)? YES  NO
- 5e. Are you planning to engage in what for you is unusually high (or vigorous) intensity exercise in the near future? YES  NO

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**6. Do you have any Mental Health Problems or Learning Difficulties?** This includes Alzheimer's, Dementia, Depression, Anxiety Disorder, Eating Disorder, Psychotic Disorder, Intellectual Disability, Down Syndrome

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 6a-6b If **NO**  go to question 7

6a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO

6b. Do you have Down Syndrome **AND** back problems affecting nerves or muscles? YES  NO

**7. Do you have a Respiratory Disease?** This includes Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease, Asthma, Pulmonary High Blood Pressure

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 7a-7d If **NO**  go to question 8

7a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO

7b. Has your doctor ever said your blood oxygen level is low at rest or during exercise and/or that you require supplemental oxygen therapy? YES  NO

7c. If asthmatic, do you currently have symptoms of chest tightness, wheezing, laboured breathing, consistent cough (more than 2 days/week), or have you used your rescue medication more than twice in the last week? YES  NO

7d. Has your doctor ever said you have high blood pressure in the blood vessels of your lungs? YES  NO

**8. Do you have a Spinal Cord Injury?** This includes Tetraplegia and Paraplegia

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 8a-8c If **NO**  go to question 9

8a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO

8b. Do you commonly exhibit low resting blood pressure significant enough to cause dizziness, light-headedness, and/or fainting? YES  NO

8c. Has your physician indicated that you exhibit sudden bouts of high blood pressure (known as Autonomic Dysreflexia)? YES  NO

**9. Have you had a Stroke?** This includes Transient Ischemic Attack (TIA) or Cerebrovascular Event

If the above condition(s) is/are present, answer questions 9a-9c If **NO**  go to question 10

9a. Do you have difficulty controlling your condition with medications or other physician-prescribed therapies? (Answer **NO** if you are not currently taking medications or other treatments) YES  NO

9b. Do you have any impairment in walking or mobility? YES  NO

9c. Have you experienced a stroke or impairment in nerves or muscles in the past 6 months? YES  NO

**10. Do you have any other medical condition not listed above or do you have two or more medical conditions?**

If you have other medical conditions, answer questions 10a-10c If **NO**  read the Page 4 recommendations

10a. Have you experienced a blackout, fainted, or lost consciousness as a result of a head injury within the last 12 months **OR** have you had a diagnosed concussion within the last 12 months? YES  NO

10b. Do you have a medical condition that is not listed (such as epilepsy, neurological conditions, kidney problems)? YES  NO





10c. Do you currently live with two or more medical conditions? YES  NO

**PLEASE LIST YOUR MEDICAL CONDITION(S)  
AND ANY RELATED MEDICATIONS HERE:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**GO to Page 4 for recommendations about your current medical condition(s) and sign the PARTICIPANT DECLARATION.**

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 **If you answered NO to all of the FOLLOW-UP questions (pgs. 2-3) about your medical condition, you are ready to become more physically active - sign the PARTICIPANT DECLARATION below:**

-  It is advised that you consult a qualified exercise professional to help you develop a safe and effective physical activity plan to meet your health needs.
-  You are encouraged to start slowly and build up gradually - 20 to 60 minutes of low to moderate intensity exercise, 3-5 days per week including aerobic and muscle strengthening exercises.
-  As you progress, you should aim to accumulate 150 minutes or more of moderate intensity physical activity per week.
-  If you are over the age of 45 yr and **NOT** accustomed to regular vigorous to maximal effort exercise, consult a qualified exercise professional before engaging in this intensity of exercise.

 **If you answered YES to one or more of the follow-up questions about your medical condition:**

You should seek further information before becoming more physically active or engaging in a fitness appraisal. You should complete the specially designed online screening and exercise recommendations program - the **ePARmed-X+ at [www.eparmedx.com](http://www.eparmedx.com)** and/or visit a qualified exercise professional to work through the ePARmed-X+ and for further information.

 **Delay becoming more active if:**

-  You are currently experiencing a temporary illness, such as a cold or fever. It is best to wait until you feel better.
-  You are pregnant. In this case, talk to your health care practitioner, physician, qualified exercise professional, and/or complete the ePARmed-X+ at [www.eparmedx.com](http://www.eparmedx.com) before becoming more physically active.
-  Your health changes. Talk to your health care practitioner, physician, or qualified exercise professional before continuing with any physical activity program.

- You are encouraged to photocopy the PAR-Q+. You must use the entire questionnaire and NO changes are permitted.
- The authors, the PAR-Q+ Collaboration, partner organizations, and their agents assume no liability for persons who undertake physical activity and/or make use of the PAR-Q+ or ePARmed-X+. If in doubt after completing the questionnaire, consult your doctor prior to physical activity.

## PARTICIPANT DECLARATION

- All persons who have completed the PAR-Q+ please read and sign the declaration below.
- If you are less than the legal age required for consent or require the assent of a care provider, your parent, guardian or care provider must also sign this form.

*I, the undersigned, have read, understood to my full satisfaction and completed this questionnaire. I acknowledge that this physical activity clearance is valid for a maximum of 12 months from the date it is completed and becomes invalid if my condition changes. I also acknowledge that the community/fitness center may retain a copy of this form for records. In these instances, it will maintain the confidentiality of the same, complying with applicable law.*

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ WITNESS \_\_\_\_\_

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## RELEASE/ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT

In consideration of gaining access to participate in activities associated with CCCC Wellness Program, I do hereby waive, release and forever discharge Coastal Carolina Community College/CCCC Wellness Program and its officers, agents, employees, representatives, executors, and all others from any and all responsibilities or liability for injuries or damages resulting from my participation in activities in said program.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Please Initial)

I understand the policies and procedures set forth by the CCCC Wellness Program and I have had the opportunity to discuss my specific needs in relation to participatory activity and, as a result, I do voluntarily request the right to participate in this preventive program of exercise. \_\_\_\_\_ (Please Initial)

I have received, read and fully understand the rules associated with the CCCC Wellness Program and its facilities. \_\_\_\_\_ (Please Initial)

I acknowledge that the consent forms are only valid for one year. I also understand that I will be required to re-sign once these have expired. \_\_\_\_\_ (Please Initial)

Also, in consideration of the above factors, I acknowledge the existence of risks in connection with these activities, assume such risks and agree to accept the responsibilities for any injuries sustained by my participation in the course via the use of the facilities and/or its equipment. Most specifically, I acknowledge and accept responsibility for injuries arising out of those activities that involve risk in any of the following areas:

- The use of facility equipment
- The performance of fitness-related evaluations to assess functional capacity
- The participation in group activities related to exercise and activity
- Incidents that occur within the institution facility, locker rooms, dressing rooms, showers, and other areas associated with CCCC Wellness Program

In addition, it was seriously recommended that I consult with a physician before engaging in any activities associated with CCCC Wellness Program.

Having read the preceding, I acknowledge full understanding of those risks set forth herein and knowingly agree to accept full responsibility for my own exposures to such risks and to waive full responsibility and liability on behalf of CCCC Wellness Program.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Name (Please print clearly)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant's Signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent / Guardian's Signature (if needed)





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## WEIGHT ROOM GENERAL RULES:

- ❖ Patrons must be 16 years of age or older to use the weight and fitness rooms.
- ❖ Anyone under 18 years of age is required to provide a parental signature.
- ❖ Patrons must sign in and out.
- ❖ Appropriate athletic apparel must be worn. Shirt and closed toe shoes required.  
**NO STREET CLOTHES** (*i.e. sandals, open-toe shoes, hard soled shoes, or jeans*). Anything that compromises the safety and professionalism of the weight and fitness rooms are prohibited.
- ❖ No food, alcohol, tobacco of any kind, glass bottles, or cans allowed. If you wish to carry a beverage with you, it must be in a plastic container with a lid/cap.
- ❖ Return all equipment to its original location when you are finished.
  - This includes: *body bars, weights, dumbbells, stability balls, jump ropes, bands/chords, steps/risers, and medicine balls.*
- ❖ Do not drop weights on the floor.
- ❖ Wipe equipment with sanitizer when you are finished.
- ❖ Patrons should use extreme caution in lifting weights to avoid potential injuries to themselves or other. Do not attempt to use equipment if unfamiliar with the proper use. Please ask the Fitness Assistant for assistance.
- ❖ All equipment must be used in the manner for which it was designed. Do not attempt to modify the equipment.
- ❖ No outside personal training is permitted in the facility.
- ❖ Please direct all questions, concerns, and maintenance needs to the Wellness Coordinator and/or Fitness Assistant on duty.
- ❖ Profanity, excessively loud, or suggestive language will not be tolerated.
- ❖ Covering the padded equipment with a towel helps prolong the life of the equipment and keeps everything clean for the next user. All users are encouraged to bring a clean towel to use on the weight equipment and to wipe down the cardiovascular equipment.
- ❖ Personal belongings such as backpacks, wallets, etc., may not be placed anywhere in the weight and fitness rooms. Lockers are available in the bathrooms for your convenience.
- ❖ There is a 30 minute time limit on the aerobic fitness machines when people are waiting. There are no advance sign ups.

The policies of the CCCC weight and fitness rooms have been developed to keep the facility and equipment in good condition and to assure your safety while using the facilities. If you have any questions or need assistance, please go to the CCCC Wellness Center Office (P.E. 100).

Use of the CCCC fitness facilities is a privilege. Failure to comply with policies and directions of the staff governing participation, equipment and/or conduct may result in suspension from the CCCC fitness facilities and/or its programs.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ have read and understand the weight room general rules.  
(Print Your full Name)

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