

Parental Consent Form for Minors Entering a BU Laboratory

Parental Acknowledgment, Consent and Release From Liability

For Participation in the Minors in the Laboratories Programs

1. By signing this consent and release, I consent to the conditions under which my child will participate in an educational program or work at Boston University in a research laboratory in the Department of _____ under the supervision of _____ (the "Program"). In addition, I further understand that Boston University's facilities are being made available to _____ as an educational opportunity and that he or she is not a student, employee, or affiliate of Boston University.
2. I understand that by participating in a lab program on Boston University's premises with University faculty, staff, and students, _____ [minor's name] will be involved in activities that may involve hazardous substances and equipment and the risk of accident, death, illness, physical or mental injuries, and property damage. It is my responsibility to ask questions about any aspect of the lab program that has not been explained to my satisfaction. I understand these risks and hereby voluntarily assume them, and any and all other risks, including injury to person and property, related to [minor's name] participation in the lab activity.
3. In consideration of the University allowing my child to participate in the Program, I, on behalf of myself, my child, and anyone claiming on behalf of me or my child hereby FOREVER RELEASE Trustees of Boston University (the "University") and its departments, officers, directors, board members, representatives, agents, and employees from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, judgment, damages, expenses and costs (including attorneys' fees), including but not limited to claims of negligence, on account of personal injury, bodily injury, property damage, death or accident of any kind sustained by my child that arises out of or is related in any way to his/her participation in the Program which I may now or hereafter have and which the above-named minor has or hereafter may acquire, either before or after reaching majority.
4. In signing this Parental Consent and Release from Liability, I hereby acknowledge that I have read this entire document, that I understand its terms, that I have signed it knowingly and voluntarily, and that I intend it to bind me, my minor child, and anyone claiming on behalf of me or my child.
5. I further acknowledge that I am the parent or legal guardian of the minor identified above, with legal authority to sign this document.

PARENT OR GUARDIAN

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date

Parent / Legal Guardian Name

Relationship to Student

Telephone

Address

Address Line 2

City

State