

Camp Erin Montgomery County, Maryland 2020 Camper Application

Dear Parent/Guardian,

Thank you for your interest in Camp Erin[®] Montgomery County. Camp Erin is a free weekend-long experience for children and youth ages 6-17 who are grieving the death of someone close to them. CaringMatters has been supporting children and youth grieving loved ones who died *from a variety of causes* for the past 17 years. The weekend activities are led by CaringMatters staff and trained volunteers.

Camp Erin Montgomery County 2020 will be held at Bar-T Mountainside 2914 Roderick Rd, Frederick, MD 21704. Camp begins **Friday, May 15th and concludes Sunday, May 17th.** Space is limited to a first come, first served basis with priority going to new campers.

Please complete this form and submit the entire packet, along with a picture of camper by **Thursday April 30th, 2020**. A separate application must be completed for each applicant. We will process applications as they are received and **will contact you to arrange an intake interview.** Intake interviews allow the camper and family to understand what they can expect from Camp Erin and help the camp staff learn how we can best serve the camper. Our intent is to include all applicants in the camp experience; but we will have a waitlist for overflow applicants.

If it is necessary for your child to take medications during the weekend, please keep a copy of the page titled "Authorization to Administer Prescribed and/or Over The Counter Medication" and bring it filled in by a physician along with the medicine to camp on Friday, May 15, 2020 at the latest.

**Please upload/attach a picture of the camper with the application.

• The Camp Erin Kickoff Event will be held **Saturday May 2, 2020 from 3pm-4:30pm** at Bar-T Mountainside, 2914 Roderick Rd, Urbana, MD 21704. Free round trip transportation provided from CaringMatters to Bar-T. **It is important that all campers and families attend this event.** The purpose of the kickoff is to give campers and families the opportunity to become acquainted with one another and the camp staff. There will also be a question and answer session.

Please mail, email or fax to:

CaringMatters
Camp Erin
518 South Frederick Avenue
Gaithersburg, MD 20877-2325
Fax: (301) 990-4909

zemam@caringmatters.org

Should you have any questions or concerns about Camp Erin or the application process, please call (301) 869-4673. We look forward to working with you and your camper!

Warmly, Zema Meseretu Camp Erin Coordinator (301) 869-4673 zemam@caringmatters.org

CAMP ERIN CAMPER APPLICATION

In order to provide a safe, healthy, learning environment for campers, it is important that you respond to all questions accurately to the best of your knowledge.

• Please upload/attach a picture of camper with application

1. PERSONAL INFORMATION (PLEASE PRINT)

Camper Name		Gender Identity:A	.ge
Nickname			
Address			
Street	City	Zip	
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Names			
Address			
(if different from above) Street	City	State	Zip
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) Home Phone #		Cell #	
Work #Be	est time of day to re	each you	
Parent(s)/Guardian(s) e-mail address(es)			
Relationship to camper			
Is either parent/guardian an active, reser-	ve, National Guard	l, military member, or military v	eteran?
Yes No If yes, what branch			
Special Needs (i.e. physical limitations,	language limitatio	ns, emotional, behavioral):	
Emergency Contact – You or another	-	· ·	-
Name			
Work #			
Address			
Relationship to child			
Camper's School	Grade	at time of camp (2019-2020 school	l year)
Language spoken at home		-	
Is the applicant fluent in English? Yes	s ☐ No If no, whic	ch language?	
Camper's T-Shirt Size: Youth S	$\overline{\square}$ M \square L \square X	KL Adult S M	$\overline{\square}$ L \square XL

Demographics – The following information is solely for grant writing purposes. **Race/Ethnicity:**

American Indian or Alaska Hispanic/Latino

Native Asian Middle Eastern/Arab

Black or African American Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific

Islander Multiracial

White/Caucasian

Does the camper applicant qualify for or receive free or reduced lunch at school? Yes No

Camper's Name:

Name of the deceased	ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S		Date of Death_	/ /
	: □ Parent □ Sibling	_		
Cause of Death	7	1		
Cancer	Place of death:	Home Hospital	☐ Hospice	
Heart Disease	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Other		
Suicide				
Motor Vehicle	Did the deceased receive	ve hospice care?	Yes Yes	☐ No
Homicide	If yes, was the l	nospice care at home?	Yes	□ No
Drug and Alcohol Disease/Overdose	Was your child present	at the time of death?	Yes	☐ No
Natural Causes	Does your child know	the details of the deat	h? Yes	□ No
Stroke				— - · · ·
Drowning	Was the deceased an ac	ctive, reserve or Natio	onal	
Military	Guard military member		Yes	☐ No
Other	If yes, what bra	nch?		
Was the deceased the primary caregiver/guardian to the child? Did the child live with the deceased? Did your child attend the funeral/memorial? If no, please explain Was this your child's first experience with death? Was this your child's first experience with death? Was this your child avoid talking about the death? Yes No No				
Does the child feel response			Yes ☐ No	
	esire to die in order to join		Yes	
Is there any additional information about the death you wish to share?				
3. PREVIOUS LOSSES				
Relationship	D	ate of Death	Cau	se of Death
Have there been other changes or stressors in the child's life? Divorce Illness Home Relocation School Relocation Remarriage Additional comments:				

Camper's Name:	
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4. GENERAL QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S PRESENT BEHAVIOR

If your child has shown any of the following behaviors, please place a "\sqrt{"}" in the column. Check all that apply. This will not disqualify a camper. This allows us to better serve the camper.

General Observations/Behaviors	✓
Interacts well with peers	
Interacts well with adults	
Believes that death is a punishment	
Demonstrates aggressive behavior (i.e. hitting, biting, kicking)	
Hostile verbal behavior towards others (i.e. yelling, swearing)	
Poor impulse control	
Lies often	
Lack of concentration or memory	
Negative change in school performance (i.e. poor concentration, memory, lower grades)	
Sleep difficulties – sleep walking, disturbing dreams, bed wetting, inability to sleep	
Self-inflicted injuries or accidents (i.e. cutting, head banging, hair pulling)	
Worries about his/her safety or the safety of loved ones	
Feels nervous or anxious	
Alcohol or drug use	
Lack of interest in day-to-day activities	
Expressing thoughts of loneliness, isolation, etc.	
Cries often	
Expressing thoughts of suicide (if yes, please explain below)	
Please explain any behavior of concern	-
Which of the following activities have been helpful to your child: Talking with a friend Talking with family Writing or drawing Talking or writing to the dec	reased
☐ Talking with other supportive person (i.e., faith leader, teacher, coach, nur ☐ Other	rse, etc.)
Has your child ever attended a bereavement camp?	□ No
If yes, where and when?	
Has your child attended a Good Grief Group in school? Has your child attended a Family Night at CaringMatters? Has your child every spent a night away from home? Has your child been in therapy? Yes Yes	No No No No
How did you hear about Camp Erin?	

nper's Name:	
To the best of my knowledge, the above information	n is correct and accurate.
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date

INFORMATION ABOUT THE APPLICANT'S HEALTH

Physician's Name	Phone	
Print		
Medical Insurance Carrier	Policy #	
Is the camper restricted from participating in physi		
If yes, please explain		
Health History (check those that apply)		
	os eta) placea list	
☐ Asthma	ns, etc.) please list	
	☐ Fainting	
☐ Attention Deficit Hyperactive Disorder	☐ Headaches, Stomachaches, Backaches	
☐ Autism	☐ Hearing Impairment	
☐ Constipation/Diarrhea	☐ Heart Disease	
☐ Convulsions	☐ Hepatitis	
☐ Diabetes	☐ Menstrual Cramps	
☐ Ear Infections	☐ Nosebleeds	
☐ Eating Disorder	☐ Nightmares/Sleep Issues	
☐ Emotional Problems	☐ Chronic Disease:	
☐ Epilepsy	☐ Wears Contact Lenses/Glasses	
☐ Bed wetting	☐ Other:(please spec	ecify)
PLEASE LIST ALL MEDICATIONS THE AP. 1	PLICANT IS CURRENTLY TAKING: 4. 5. 6.	
J	0	
Is the applicant under a physician's care for a medi Please explain	cal condition?	
Has the applicant had a physical/medical exam sind Has the applicant had a physical/medical exam dur Does the applicant attend a school in Montgomery	ring the current year?	
	vioral information in order to best care for your child It in your having to send your child home from camp. I have final decision on acceptance to camp.	
To the best of my knowledge, the above information	on is correct and accurate.	
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date	

CAMP ERIN AT CARINGMATTERS

AUTHORIZATION TO ADMINISTER PRESCRIBED AND/OR OVER-THE-COUNTER MEDICATION

Release and Indemnification Agreement

Part I - TO BE COMPLETED BY THE PARENT/GUARDIAN

I hereby request and authorize the person (RN) responsible for medical care at Camp Erin to administer medication as directed. I agree to release, indemnify, and hold harmless CaringMatters and its officers, staff members, or agents from lawsuit, claim, demand, or action etc. against them, for administering prescribed medication to this child, provided CaringMatters staff are following the physician's order as written in Part II below. I have read the procedures outlined on the back of this form and assume the responsibilities as required.

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Name of Child:		Birth date:	/	/	
Prescription: Renewal New The last dose	was given at home on				
List all medication(s) being taken, including over-the-	counter medications.				
Parent/Legal Guardian Signature	Phone		Date		
PART II – PRESCRIPTION MEDICA	ATIONS TO BE COMPLETED B	Y THE PH	YSICIA	N	
Only non-parenteral medications can be adminis	tered. Please use a separate form for each m	edication.			
Name of Medication:	Diagnosis:				
Trade name and/or gen	eric				
Dosage:	Times(s) to be given: a.m		p.m		
Method of Administration:effects:	Effective Dates: From:	/	To:	/	/ Side
If PRN, specify: When indicated Frequency of administration:					
Physician's name (Print or type)					
		Phone #	ŧ		
Physician's Signature	Date				_
PART III – TO BE COMPLETED BY TI	HE CAMP ERIN REGISTERED NUI	RSE			
Check as appropriate.					
Part I and II above are completed. Prescription	on medication is properly labeled by a pharmacist	t.			
Medication label and physician orders are consiste	ent				
Over-the-counter medication is in original contain collected by the nurse at the end of camp.	er with the manufacturer's dosage label and safet	ty seal intact. Al	ll unused me	edication	s will be
RN Signature	Date				

Camper's Name:

INFORMATION AND PROCEDURES

- 1. No medication will be administered during the camp without the parent's/legal guardian's written authorization and a written physician's order. This includes both prescriptions and over-the-counter medications.
- 2. The parent/guardian is responsible for completing Part I and obtaining the physician's statement on Part II.
- 3. The medication must be delivered to the camp staff by the parent/legal guardian or, under special circumstances, an adult designated by the parent/legal guardian. Medications brought by a child will not be administered by the RN.
- 4. All prescription medications must be provided in a container with the pharmacist label attached. Nonprescription over-the-counter medication must be in a container with the manufacturer's original label. Physician samples must be appropriately labeled by the physician.
- 5. The parent/legal guardian is responsible for collecting any unused portion of the medication at the end of the Camp weekend. Any medication that is unclaimed will be destroyed.
- 6. Self-administered and/or non-medically prescribed medications are entirely the responsibility of the parent/legal guardian and not that of CaringMatters. Medications without accompanying physician's orders and parental consent will not be stored in the health room.

CUSTODY RELEASE FORM

Camper Name:	Date of Birth:
direct Camp Erin, its staff, and/or its volunt	d camper identified above. I hereby authorize and teers to release the child camper to the following a for purposes of transporting or otherwise assuming table to do so:
Name:	Relationship to camper:
Address:	
Phone Number (s):	
injury, or behavioral issues, and I cannot be	p Erin before the end of the program due to illness, e reached, I hereby give permission for my child to dentified above. I understand that Camp Erin may picks up the child camper from Camp Erin,
I hereby release Camp Erin, its staff, volunt releasing the child camper to the person ide	<u>*</u>
I understand and agree that, in the event of Erin may release my child to health care pro	necessary health care or other emergency, Camp ofessionals or other appropriate personnel.
I have read and understood this entire form, agreement.	, and I agree to be bound by the conditions of the
Name of Parent/Guardian (please print)	
Signature	Date

Camper's Name:	
-	RELEASES

Parent/Guardian Permission Statement

I certify that I am the parent/guardian of the above named child. The health historicorrect to the best of my knowledge. The child described herein has my permission except as noted. If she/he appears to be ill, I will not send her/him to camp. I here information contained in this application with the volunteer(s) working with the	on to engage in all prescribed Camp activities, reby grant permission to Camp Erin staff to share
information contained in this application with the volunteer(s) working with the c	child.
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date
Signature of Furence Suurdian	Bute
Release of Liability	
I understand and agree that CaringMatters, its Board of Directors, Staff, and Volu and/or liability for negligence real, implied, or imagined, arising out of any accid attending Camp Erin, or being bused from The Cottage to the campsite to back to substitute for specific individual advice or counseling. Accordingly, consultation recommended, if needed.	ents or illnesses which occur while my child is The Cottage. Camp Erin is not intended to be a
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date
Publicity Permission	
Upon occasion, videotaping, and/or photography may occur during camp activities Camp Erin and CaringMatters. Personal comments and interviews may also be put to my child being interviewed and having his/ her comments and/ or picture used	ublished by local media. With prior approval, I agree
Signature of Parent/Guardian	Date
Authorization for Medical Treatment	
As the parent/legal guardian of the child applicant, I give full authorization to Ca treatment for said youth. This treatment may include assistance from the nearest EMPT, or other health care professional in the event of illness or injury that requirements for staff. In the event of an emergency and I cannot be contacted, I give permiss Erin and its agents to disclose any and all information they deem appropriate and child. I agree that I am responsible for any such care rendered to my child and with for such care or related costs or expenses.	physician, medical clinic, hospital, trained nurse, ires immediate attention as determined by Camp sion to the treating medical institution and/or Camp as necessary to secure appropriate care for my
Physician's Name – Print	Phone #
Name of Parent/Guardian – Print	Phone #
Signature of Parent/ Guardian	Date
Over-the-counter medication	
I give the camp nurses permission to administer over-the-counter medication (succamp.	ch as Tylenol or Benedryl) to my child while at
Signature of the Parent/Guardian	Date



2020 CAMP ERIN® PHOTO, PUBLICITY AND LIABILITY CONSENT AND RELEASE

1. Grant of Rights. For good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, I, on behalf of myself and my child, hereby grant to Eluna and its directors, officers, employees, agents, representatives, contractors, successors, and assigns the perpetual, irrevocable, royalty-free, non-exclusive, worldwide, sublicensable right and license to: (a) use, edit, reproduce, modify, portray, publish, copy, distribute, create derivative works from, publicly perform and display without restriction all or portions of my or my child's identity and my or my child's experience at Camp Erin, including without limitation my or my child's name, fictional names (if any), voice, signature, photograph, words, image, personality or other likeness of me or my child, and any audio and video recordings of me or my child or remarks and statements made by me or my child ("Images and Remarks"); and, (b) create other materials or copyright-protected works using or incorporating my or my child's Images and Remarks in any form or manner, including in any electronic or non-electronic medium now known or later devised, in connection with Camp Erin for advertising, distribution, marketing, promotion, publicity, research, reporting or any other lawful purpose ("Promotional Materials").

I waive any of my or my child's right to own, inspect, approve or receive any payment or attribution with respect to any works or Promotional Materials using my or my child's Images and Remarks, any accompanying written copy or printed matter, or the use to which it is applied. I understand and agree that the Images and Remarks, and Promotional Materials containing or based on my or my child's Images and Remarks may be used without any restriction as to changes or alterations, and may be modified, used in derivative works, distorted, included in composites or otherwise used in unexpected contexts, manners, or forms, or may not be used at all, and I grant Eluna all necessary rights to do the foregoing. To the extent moral rights in my or my child's Images and Remarks or any Promotional Materials may not lawfully be waived, I hereby agree not to bring any actions or claims against Eluna therefor.

- **2.** <u>Contact.</u> Unless I opt out below, I agree to receive information/news/updates and other communications in hard copy, via electronic delivery, via telephone and other means from Eluna. I hereby consent to collection and disclosure of my mailing address, email address and phone number to Eluna for such purposes, unless I opt out below.
- 3. Release. I, on behalf of myself and my child, hereby fully and forever release, discharge, and agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless Eluna and its directors, officers, employees and advisors (collectively, the "Released Parties") from any and all claims, demands, causes of action, damages (including without limitation direct, indirect, incidental, consequential, special or punitive damages), losses, expenses and liabilities (whether under contractor, warranty or tort, including negligence (whether active, passive, or imputed)) relating to any claim that my child or I may have, now or in the future, based on: (a) any usage or adaptation of my or my child's Images and Remarks or portions thereof, or works or materials derived therefrom including, but not limited to, claims for libel, defamation, invasion of privacy or rights of publicity, infringement or violation of moral rights or any other right arising out of, or relating to, any use of my or my child's Images and Remarks, including by virtue of any blurring, distortion, alteration, optical illusion, or use in composite form, whether intentional or otherwise, or based upon any failure or omission to make use thereof; or (b) death, personal injury, property damage, pecuniary or other loss, damage, cost or expense (collectively, "Harm") that may be suffered by my child, me or any third party as a result of, or in connection with, my or my child's participation in, volunteering for, or employment by Camp Erin. I AGREE TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS EACH OF THE RELEASED PARTIES FROM AND AGAINST ANY AND ALL CLAIMS, COSTS, LOSSES, DAMAGES AND EXPENSES (INCLUDING REASONABLE ATTORNEYS' FEES) INCURRED BY ANY RELEASED PARTY ARISING OUT OF OR IN CONNECTION WITH ANY HARM OR RELEASED CLAIMS.

- **4.** Representations and Warranties. I represent and warrant that: (a) my or my child's involvement or participation in Camp Erin is voluntary, (b) I understand that there is a risk of danger, bodily harm, injury, emotional stress, or death as a result of my or my child's participation in, volunteering for, or employment by Camp Erin, (c) I further understand that there is the potential for risks and dangers that may not be obvious or reasonably foreseeable at this time related to my or my child's participation in, volunteering for, or employment by Camp Erin, and (d) I voluntarily, on behalf of myself or my child, assume the risks, including, but not limited to, those outlined in items (b) and (c) above. I further represent and warrant that I have the power, capacity and authority to grant the rights to Eluna herein granted, that this Consent and Release constitutes my or my child's legal and binding obligation enforceable in accordance with its terms and that the grants of rights or any portions thereof will not conflict with any similar grants of rights agreements I or my child have made.
- **5. Binding Agreement.** This Consent and Release expresses the entire understanding between Eluna, me and my child, and supersedes any prior agreements and discussions between us with respect to the subject matter of this Consent and Release. In granting the rights herein, neither I nor my child have been coerced or induced to do so by any representations or assurances by Eluna or its agents or representatives. This Consent and Release may be amended only by written instrument signed by Eluna and me. The provisions hereof shall be binding upon me, my child and my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, and successors. Eluna may, in its sole discretion, assign or transfer some or all of this Consent and Release.
- **6.** Governing Law. This Consent and Release will be governed by the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, without regard to its choice of law principles. The parties hereby submit to the exclusive venue and jurisdiction of the state and federal courts of Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania and waive any objection thereto (irrespective of whether the individual signing this Consent and Release changes his or her state of residence).
- **7.** <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Consent and Release Agreement is found to be unenforceable in any respect by a court of competent jurisdiction, this Consent and Release Agreement will nonetheless be enforced to the maximum extent to which it is found to be legally enforceable.

BY SIGNATURE BELOW, I AGREE AND ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE READ, UNDERSTOOD, AND ACCEPTED THIS CONSENT AND RELEASE; THAT THE PROVISIONS CONTAINED HEREIN REPRESENT AN AGREED ALLOCATION OF RISKS WHICH ELUNA IS RELYING UPON; THAT I HAVE SIGNED THIS CONSENT AND RELEASE VOLUNTARILY AND OF MY OWN FREE WILL; AND THAT I HAVE HAD AMPLE OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS REGARDING THE TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THIS CONSENT AND RELEASE.

Agreed and Accepted: Compar or Volunteer or Stoff Member or Perent/Quardien of any of the foregoing

Parent/Guardian (if Camper/Staff Member/Volunteer is under age of majority in state of residence)

Agreed and Accepted. Camper of Volumeer of Start Welliot	of the following of the following
Individual participating is a: ☐ Camper ☐ Volunteer	☐ Staff Member
Please initial if individual signing is the parent or legal guard	lian of the individual participating:
Camper Name:	Date of Birth: / /
Camper Email (optional – to receive camper newsletter):	
Parent or Guardian / Volunteer / Staff Member Name:	
Address:	
City, State and Zip:	
Phone Number: ☐ Mobile ☐ Home	
Guardian/Volunteer/Staff Email:	
☐ I hereby opt out of receiving non-essential Eluna commun	ications, such as newsletters and updates.
Signature:	Date:
Camper/Volunteer/Staff Member (if over age of majority in s	state of residence)

CAMP ERIN CAMPER CONTRACT

As a Camp Erin participant, I can expect to be treated with respect and kindness by the camp staff and my fellow campers. In return, I understand that I am expected to treat others with respect and kindness.

- I will respect my fellow Campers and the Camp Erin Staff. This includes being mindful of physical boundaries.
- I understand sexual harassment, stealing, bullying, and violence will not be tolerated.
- I understand the importance of keeping fellow campers' stories confidential.
- I understand drugs and/or alcohol are not allowed at camp.
- I will follow the rules for schedules, meals and bedtime.
- I will stay with a Camp Erin staff member at all times.
- I understand that cell phones, tablets, and other electronics are not allowed at camp.

Camper Name	
Signature of Camper	
Signature of Parent/guardian	
Please name a song(s) that has a spe	cial meaning to you and/or the person close to you who died.
Song:	Artist:

amper's Name:	



Primary Care Physician:

Participant Agreement

Name of Group:	
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I, as a participant/parent of a participant in a program or outing at Bar-T Mountainside's Challenge & Retreat Center, understand that the Challenge & Retreat program at Mountainside has taken reasonable steps to ensure that all aspects of the program (including but not limited to challenge course; including high and low experiences, rock climbing, hiking, swimming, environmental activities, paintball, and sports) are conducted in a safe manner.

I/we further understand and accept that certain risks in the program activities and in the natural setting of the program at Mountainside cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of the program. These risks include but are not limited to the possibility of slips, falls, pinches, scrapes, twists and jolts that could result in bruises, sprains, lacerations and fractures. During participation in the program, a participant may also come in contact with plants or insects that could create hazards such as allergies. I, as a program participant or parent or guardian of a program participant, understand that the above description of these risks is not complete and that other unknown or unanticipated risks may result in injury or death, and I/we certify that the program participant is capable of participating in this program; therefore, I/we agree to assume full responsibility for any bodily injury that may result from the inherent risks and for my/my child's own negligence, if any, while participating in the program. I also hereby authorize Bar-T Mountainside Challenge & Retreat Center (CRC) to utilize any photo/video or any other media containing images/sounds of myself/my child for promotional or other use.

I/we have read, understood, and accepted the terms of the agreement and have completed the medical and special needs

information of this section (below) to the best of my knowl binding upon myself, my heirs, assigns, personal representa					
X	Date	Print Name			
Please complete if participant is a minor. The undersigned does hereby appoint the Challenge & our agent (standing in loco parentis) to make health cachild is participating in activities sponsored by the Challenge & the CRC and its employees and agents shall not be lia authorization.	are decisions on lallenge & Retrea	behalf of participant during the period that our at Center at Mountainside. We acknowledge that			
X	Date	Print Name			
MEDICAL INFORMATION The following medical and special needs information is needed to enable the program staff to be sensitive to participant needs and to modify program elements where appropriate. PLEASE PRINT RESPONSES.					
Participant Name:	(Parent) Phone #				
Emergency Contact:	Conta	ct Phone #			
Please list any physical limitations including allergies medical restrictions; recent illnesses, injury, or operat blood pressure, diabetes, epilepsy, etc.); and special n	tions; ongoing he	alth conditions (heart trouble, high or low			

Phone #