



# YMCA Camp Independence

## 2026 Health History and Examination Form

The information on this form is gathered to assist us in identifying appropriate care. Health history must be filled out by parents/guardians of minors or by adults. **Update required annually.** A licensed medical personnel must complete the health exam on the (back page). **NOTE: Please make a copy of this form for your records before sending the original to camp.**

Camper Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_\_\_ Age at camp \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

Gender:  Female  Male Height \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

**Custodial parent/guardian** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
If different than above Street Address City State Zip

Business address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

**Second parent/guardian** \_\_\_\_\_

Home address \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_  
If different than above Street Address City State Zip

Business address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address City State Zip

If there is an emergency at camp, please list who to notify in number order.

**#1** Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**#2** Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Other Phone \_\_\_\_\_

### INSURANCE INFORMATION

Is the participant covered by family medical/hospital insurance?  Yes  No  
If so, indicate carrier or plan name \_\_\_\_\_ Group # \_\_\_\_\_

This health history is correct and complete as far as I know. The person herein named has permission to engage in all camp activities except as noted.

I hereby give permission to the camp to provide, seek, and consent to routine health care, administration of prescribed medications, and emergency treatment for me/my child, as may be necessary, including, but not limited to x-rays, routine tests and treatment, and/or hospitalization. I also give permission for the camp to arrange related transportation. I agree to the release of any records necessary for treatment, referral, billing or insurance purposes.

It is my intention that the camp staff be treated as acting *in loco parentis* for the person herein named as a minor. Further, it is my intention that the appropriate representatives of the camp be treated as "personal representatives" for the purposes of disclosing protected health information pursuant to the privacy regulations promulgated pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. I hereby agree to the disclosure to camp representatives of the protected health information of the person herein described, as necessary: (i) to provide relevant information to the camp representatives related to the person's ability to participate in camp activities; and (ii) in the case of minors, to provide relevant information to the camp representatives to keep me informed of my child's health status.

In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by the camp to secure and administer treatment, including hospitalization, for the person named above. This completed form may be photocopied for camp purposes.

Signature of parent or guardian or adult camper \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I also understand and agree to abide by any restrictions placed on my participation in camp activities.

Signature of minor or adult camper \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

\*If for religious reasons you cannot sign this form, contact the camp for a legal wavier which must be signed for attendance.

## Health History

The following information must be filled out by the parent/guardian or adult camper, or staff member. The intent of this information is to provide camp health care personnel the background to provide appropriate care. Keep a copy of the completed form for your records. Any changes to this form should be provided to camp health personnel upon participant's arrival in camp. Provide complete information so that the camp can be aware of your needs.

### ALLERGIES:

Penicillin  Latex If so, what type of a reaction does your camper have?  Anaphylactic  hives  rash

List all other allergies:

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Is your camper allergic to bee stings?  Yes  No If so, what is the camper's reaction when stung? \_\_\_\_\_

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### FOOD ALLERGIES: List all known

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**MENTAL:**  Attention Deficit Disorder  
 Fears (list below)

Memory Problems  
 Learning Difficulties (list below)

Emotional Problems  
 No Concerns

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**BEHAVIORAL:**  Likes to be the center of attention  Does not acclimate well in groups  Depression  
 May be stubborn  May be aggressive when upset  Other (list below)  
 No Concerns

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Has your camper been diagnosed with any behavior disorders?  Yes  No If so, please explain. \_\_\_\_\_

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**PHYSICAL:**  Hydrocephalus  
 Seizures (specify type below)  
 Other (list below)

Speech Problems  
 Fine Motor Skills  
 No Concerns

Does camper have a shunt?  
 Yes  No Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last revision (date) \_\_\_\_\_  
Neurosurgeon \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

If camper has a shunt, is the shunt programmable?  Yes  No If yes, what is the valve set at? \_\_\_\_\_

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Seizure History: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Gastrointestinal:**  Constipation  
 Impaction  
 Diverticulitis

Feeding problems  
 Diarrhea  
 Other (list below)

Abnormal Stools  
 Polyps  
 No Concerns

Acid Reflux  
 Tube Feeding

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**Respiratory:**  Sleep Apnea  Wheezing  Shortness of breath  
 Asthma  Nebulizer Treatments (how often? \_\_\_\_\_)  
 Other (list below)  No Concerns

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**Muscular/Skeletal:**  Bones break easily  Scoliosis  Kyphosis  
 Muscle weakness  Lordosis  Other (list below)  
 No Concerns

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**Skin :**  Rash  Pressure sores  Insect bites  
 Ulcers  Cuts or scrapes  No Concerns  
 Other (list below)

Is camper currently being treated for any skin breakdown? \_\_\_\_\_

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**Wound Status :**  No wounds present  Open wound(s) present  Closed wound(s) present

What is the treatment plan for any current wounds?

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**Mobility:** Camper uses  Wheelchair (\_\_\_ manual \_\_\_ electric)  Walker  Crutches  Leg Braces  
 AFO's  Transfers (\_\_\_ unassisted \_\_\_ with assisted-explain below)  
 Other (list below)  Prosthesis/cast/orthotics

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**Bladder Management:**  Toilet Trained  Briefs/Panties  Disposable Undies  Pullups  Diapers  Incontinent pads

Is camper on a bladder program?  Yes  No  
If yes, size of catheter \_\_\_\_\_  
Catheter schedule \_\_\_\_\_  
 Self Cath  Assist Cath  Nurse Cath  
 Needs Assistance (Describe below)  
 Other (list below)

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**BOWEL MANAGEMENT:** Is the camper on a bowel program?  Yes  No If yes, explain \_\_\_\_\_

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Mace How long does the camper sit on the toilet? \_\_\_\_\_  Unassisted  Assisted  
 Digital Stimulation  Suppositories  Laxatives  
 Cone enema (amount of water \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_)  Other (specify below)

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**PERSONAL CARE:** How much of his/her own care can camper perform? \_\_\_\_\_

Independent Care     Needs Assistance (Describe below)

Females: Date of last menstrual cycle \_\_\_\_\_  
 Irregular cycle     Normal cycle     Pads     Tampons

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**OTHER SPECIAL TREATMENTS:**

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**RESTRICTIONS**

The following restrictions apply to this individual.

Dietary

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|---|---|--|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Does not eat red meat  | <input type="checkbox"/> Does not eat pork    | <input type="checkbox"/> Does not eat eggs           | <input type="checkbox"/> Gluten free |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Does not eat poultry   | <input type="checkbox"/> Does not eat seafood | <input type="checkbox"/> Does not eat dairy products | <input type="checkbox"/> No peanuts  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (describe) _____ |   |  |                                      |

Explain any restrictions with activities \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Which of the following has the participant had?

- |                                  |                                      |   |  |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Measles | <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken Pox | <input type="checkbox"/> German measles | <input type="checkbox"/> Mononucleosis |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mumps   | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis A | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B    | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis C   |

All immunizations required for school are up to date.  YES     NO (exemption letter must accompany this form).

Date of last Tetanus booster: \_\_\_\_\_

\*The CDC recommends a tetanus booster every 10 years. While the YMCA does not require tetanus vaccinations, a lack of one could result in an early departure from camp in case of injury.

**YMCA Camp Independence is requiring ALL forms to be completed and sent in no later than 3 weeks prior to your camper's session starting. Please Initial here:**

Use this space to provide any additional information about the participant's behavior and physical, emotional, or mental health about which the camp should be aware.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Can participant swim?  Strong swimmer     Needs Assistance     Non swimmer     Wears lifejacket or needs floaters

Name of Family Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name of dentist/orthodontist: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_

### MEDICATION INFORMATION

Please list all medications that the participant takes routinely, this includes over-the-counter, non-prescription or prescription drugs. Be sure to bring enough medication to last the entire time the participant is at camp. Allow for spillage by sending an extra couple doses. **Medications must be in their original packaging or bottles that identify the prescribing physician, the name of the medication, the dosage and the frequency of administration.** The original containers will be returned at the end of the camp session.

Name of Medication Example: Oxybutinin	Strength 5 mgm	Frequency 1 tab, 3 times a day	Special Instructions Crush tab and take with juice

Camper does not take any medication

The information provided on this form is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

Parent/Guardian/ Self Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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

# CAMP INDEPENDENCE MEDICAL FORM

*Must be signed by a physician*

Parents are not to fill out the form for the Physician to sign; medical staff must fill out form.

Physician's Statement: I have examined \_\_\_\_\_ and find him/her physically able to attend camp. I understand that the treatment plan will be followed at camp, unless other orders are received.

BP \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Height \_\_\_\_\_

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## Physical Exam

General Appearance: \_\_\_\_\_

Lungs \_\_\_\_\_

Abdomen \_\_\_\_\_

Neurological \_\_\_\_\_

Skin \_\_\_\_\_

Heart \_\_\_\_\_

Extremities \_\_\_\_\_

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Physical Exam significant findings/limitations:

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Please describe any current medical problems:

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\_\_\_\_\_

Additional information for health care team staff at the camp:

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Treatment to be continued at the camp:

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Signature of Physician \_\_\_\_\_ Date of exam \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Reviewing Advising Physician \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_