



# Statement of Participant Medical Health

Dear Doctor, The individual seeing you today is a prospective participant in an outback adventure therapy program. It will be conducted by the Operation Flinders Foundation in the Northern Flinders Ranges. The Program will involve living in the field, eating concentrated rations and strenuous physical activity. Participants must have the physical and psychological capacity to cope. Teams of 10 participants and 4 adults will walk up to 100Km in 8 days over rough and sometimes steep terrain carrying a 15kg backpack and sleep in field conditions. Qualified paramedics will be stationed in the area to provide primary medical care. Please complete this assessment and return it as detailed. Whilst we appreciate that many doctors are happy to assist these young people by not charging full costs, there is no expectation that this should be the case. If you require further information contact Operation Flinders on (08) 8245 2666

**School/Agency \***

**Participant Name \***

First Name      Last Name

**Medicare Number \***

**Healthcare Card Number**

**Issuing Doctor's Name \***

First Name      Last Name

# Medical Assessment

**Date of birth \***



Day    Month    Year

**Weight \***

**Height \***

**BMI \***

**Blood Type**

**Tetanus vaccination in the last 10 years? \***

Yes

No

Unsure

**Respiratory System \***

Normal

Abnormal

**History of asthma or other breathing difficulties**

## **Musculoskeletal System \***

Normal

Abnormal

### **History of feet, back and/or joint disorders**

## **Cardiovascular System \***

Normal

Abnormal

### **Brief description of abnormality**

### **Blood pressure and pulse**

## **Nervous System \***

Normal

**History of migraines, epilepsy or locomotor disorders**

**Metabolic/Hormonal \***

Normal

Abnormal

**History of diabetes/other disorders**

**Allergies \***

Yes

No

**History of severe hay fever, food allergies or any history of anaphylaxis (Participant will need to carry an EpiPen).**

**Psychological \***

Normal

## History of significant psychological or psychiatric disorders

### Developmental disorders \*

Yes

No

### Brief details (ASD, cognitive delay etc)

### History of bed wetting or continence issues \*

Yes

No

## Medications

### Current medications and dosing

## Allergies/ intolerance to medications

## Any special medical diets

**After consulting with the parent/caregiver please specify which of the following non-prescription medications may be administered to this person during a field exercise. (Only administered if deemed appropriate by the paramedic) \***

None

Paracetamol

Ibuprofen

Certrazine (or similar)

Salbutamol Inhaler

**Please specify**

## General Comments

**Any other impairments/ disorders that would limit ability to participate?**

**Hospitalised in the last 12 months? Brief reason? Fully recovered?**

## Recommendation

**Based on my examination of the prospective participant's medical history, and keeping in mind the strenuous nature of the activities to be performed, the participant is \***

Medically fit

Medically unfit

**Legally Qualified Medical Practitioner Name \***

**Phone Number \***

Please enter a valid phone number.

**Stamp \***

**Date \***



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