

**City of Virginia Beach  
Department of Parks and Recreation**

**Therapeutic Recreation Programs Office**

*Located in Kempsville Recreation Center*

*800 Monmouth Lane*

*Virginia Beach, VA 23464*

**(757) 385-5990**

**Participant Registration Packet**

- I. Medical Authorization for Participation** (to be completed by the Physician and signed by Participant/ Parent/ Guardian)
- II. Participant Information Form** (to be completed by Participant/ Parent/ Guardian)
- III. Participant Program Release Form** (to be completed by Participant/ Parent/ Guardian)
- IV. Seizure Information** (to be completed by the Participant/Parent/ Guardian)

**Additional Forms that may apply:**

*Download from [www.vbgov.com/TR](http://www.vbgov.com/TR)*

- V. In-Program Medication** (to be completed by the Physician and signed by the Participant/ Parent/ Guardian)
- VI. Physician's Authorization for Specialized Health Care Procedures** (to be completed by the Physician and signed by the Participant/ Parent/ Guardian)

All forms need to be completed and turned in so a full-time TR staff member can schedule an Intake/Assessment meeting with the participant & parent/guardian, prior to first day of program. Program participants are expected to have a valid Recreation Center Membership Card or Day Pass for the duration of the program/activity.

## Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation Therapeutic Recreation Programs Behavioral and Disciplinary Guidelines

Participants will be supervised at all times. Behavior and discipline of participants will be dealt with on an individual basis. We reserve the right to remove a participant at any time if his/her behavior is a danger to themselves, other participants, staff or the overall safety and liability of the program.

The nature of our programs is to enhance skill development, leisure education and recreation participation in a recreational setting. Programs are not designed to provide intensive behavioral supports. Participants will be expected to follow the rules of the program and manage their behavior with minimal staff intervention.

Participants will be aided and encouraged to participate in activities while in program. At no time will a participant be forced to participate in an activity. If the participant doesn't have the desire to participate, then the appropriateness of the program will be evaluated.

If a behavior begins to occur on a regular basis, a supervisor will meet with the staff, participant and parent/guardian to develop strategies for success. If a participant's behavior is severe, to include, but not limited to,

- **Physical Assault (to self or others)-** hitting, kicking, spitting at/on, choking, pinching
- **Sexual Assault (i.e.- exposure/touching self or others)**
- **Verbally Abusive or Bullying Behaviors-** name calling, verbal threats or attempts to intimidate

the participant will be removed from the activity and the parent/guardian will be contacted and asked to pick-up the participant **immediately**. The participant will be **suspended for the remainder of the day and the next day**. If this behavior occurs again, a meeting with the parent/guardian will be held to discuss the appropriateness of the program for the participant, and possible removal from program.

All Full-Time Therapeutic Recreation Staff are trained and certified in The Mandt System®, a Nationally recognized training program that provides human service agencies with skills and strategies for de-escalating, resolving, and preventing conflict, aggression, and violence between people within agencies and their programs. Put simply, our goal is to: keep interactions between people from becoming incidents, keep incidents from becoming crises, and deescalate crises as quickly and safely as possible. We strive to build healthy relationships in our programs. If participants become a danger to themselves or others while in Therapeutic Recreation programs, it may be necessary for staff trained in the Technical level of Mandt training to utilize physical restraint techniques to protect the participant and others who are judged to be in danger.

Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation  
Therapeutic Recreation Programs  
**Medical Authorization for Participation**

FRONT PAGE To Be Completed Carefully By Participant's, Parent(s) or Legal Guardian(s) SECOND PAGE By Participant's Physician

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

**History**

	YES	NO		YES	NO
1. Have you ever had surgery?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	13. Have you had high blood pressure or high cholesterol?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Have you ever had a seizure?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	14. Have you ever been told you have a heart murmur?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Have you had a seizure within the past year?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	15. Has a physician ever denied or restricted your participation in sports for heart problems?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Are you currently taking any prescription or nonprescription medications or using an inhaler?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	16. Are you Diabetic?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
5. Do you have any allergies?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	17. Do you limit or carefully control what you eat?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
6. Do you have asthma?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	18. Are you trying to gain or lose weight?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
7. Have you ever had a rash or hives develop from allergies?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	19. Have you ever had a head injury or concussion?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
8. Do you have any current skin problems? (itching, rashes, acne, warts, blisters)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	20. Have you ever had a sprain, strain, or swelling after injury?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
9. Have you ever had head lice?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	21. Do you wear protective eyewear, such as goggles, helmet or a face shield?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
10. Do you cough, wheeze, or have trouble breathing during or after activity?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	22. Are there any medical conditions prohibiting participation in gross motor activities?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
11. Have you had any problems with your eyes or vision?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	23. <b>FEMALES ONLY</b> Have you ever had a menstrual period?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
12. Are you heat or sunlight sensitive?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>			

Drug Allergies and Reactions: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Allergies: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand this form and agree to adhere to any and all specific precautions recommended by the physician. I further agree that should the physical condition or medication of the aforementioned individual change in any way (i.e. hospitalization, re-diagnosis), I will immediately notify Therapeutic Recreation Programs Staff of Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation and obtain a new form for the physician to complete. I will also review/update this form annually to verify that it currently reflects the physical condition of the individual. If no changes to the participant's condition occur, this form shall be renewed every 5-years and must include the physician's original signature.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant, Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date

**Annual Update (Staff complete in-person or via phone review by participant, parent/guardian)**

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

## Physical Evaluation

A qualified physician, nurse practitioner, or physician assistant must complete this page of the form prior to participation in Therapeutic Recreation Programs

Primary Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Dx \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Secondary Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Tertiary Diagnosis: \_\_\_\_\_

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ ft. \_\_\_\_\_ in.    Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ lbs.    Blood Pressure: \_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_    Pulse: \_\_\_\_\_ bpm

Vision: R 20/\_\_\_\_ L 20/\_\_\_\_    Corrected: Y / N    Contacts: Y / N    Glasses: Y / N

Abnormalities :		Describe:	Abnormalities :		Describe:
HEENT <sup>1</sup> :	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Extremities:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Pulmonary:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Upper Extremities: (ROM, Strength, Stability)	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Cardiovascular:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Lower Extremities: (ROM, Strength, Stability)	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Skin:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Neck/Back/Spine:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Abdomen:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Range of Motion	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Genitalia:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Scoliosis	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	
Neuro:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no		Other:	<input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	

<sup>1</sup>Acronyms: HEENT: Head, Ears, Eyes, Nose, Throat

### MEDICATIONS: Please include all medications currently taking:

Name of Medication	Dosage	Time Administered	Purpose

### Summary of Findings (check and explain):

No conditions identified of concern to Therapeutic Recreation Program activities  
 Conditions identified that are important to Therapeutic Recreation Programs or physical activity (complete sections below and/or explain here): \_\_\_\_\_

Restricted activity: (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Does this individual have: (check all that apply):  Shunts     G-tube     Insulin Pump     Vagus Nerve Stimulator

If checked please list any precautions: \_\_\_\_\_

Are braces, wheelchair, or other mobility devices used: (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

### Examining Physician/Provider Contact Information

Therapeutic Recreation requires participant to obtain signed authorization from a physician for any program participation.

Physician Name (Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Physician Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Please write legibly or stamp:

Practice/Clinic Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (    ) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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PARTICIPANT INFORMATION FORM**

Participant Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_  M  F DOB \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

T-shirt size: Youth \_\_\_\_ (S, M, L, XL) Adult: \_\_\_\_ (S, M, L, XL, XXL)

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Location: \_\_\_\_\_

**Mother/Guardian Name** (first and last): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Father/Guardian Name** (first and last): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address: \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT	Relationship	Home Phone	Work Phone	Cell Phone
1.				
2.				
3.				

**Participant Release Authorization**

Virginia Beach Parks and Recreation is authorized to release my child to the following individuals who may pick up my child from the program. I understand that each authorized person must be at least 16 years old, and that my child will NOT be permitted to leave the program with anyone not listed below. All authorized individuals will be required to show identification. My child may be released to the following people (include yourself):

NAME	PHONE #	RELATIONSHIP
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____

**Photograph Release:**

I do hereby give permission for myself/child, \_\_\_\_\_ to be photographed for publicity purposes while participating in programs provided by Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation.

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

If you **do not** give permission, check here: \_\_\_\_\_

Please complete the areas thoroughly so that we can best meet the participant's needs.

Primary Diagnosis/Disability: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Diagnosis/Disability: \_\_\_\_\_

**Medication:**

Does the participant take medication?  Yes  No If yes, please list name, dosage, times administered and purpose. If you need additional space, please attach a separate sheet of paper.

Current Medication(s)	Dosage	Times Administered	Purpose

**Allergies:**  Yes  No If yes, is it a:  Drug Allergy  Food Allergy  Seasonal Allergy  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Care/Hygiene:**

Does the individual wear glasses?  Yes  No Does the individual wear dentures?  Yes  No

Does the individual wear incontinence products? (i.e. diapers, pull ups or depends)  Yes  No

	Independent	Requires Assistance	If requires assistance, explain:
Dressing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Using Toilet	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Menstruation	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____
Eating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____

**Mobility:** (please check all that apply)

Walks without Assistance  Wheelchair  Cane(s)  Crutches  
 Walker  AFO's/Braces When are they worn? \_\_\_\_\_

**Communication:** (please check all that apply)

Speaks fluently  Reads  Gestures/Leads/Guides  
 Non-verbal  Writes  Sign Language  
 Hearing Aids  Uses Words and/or phrases  Communication Board/Book

**Environment / Safety Considerations:** (please check all that apply)

Runner  Stays with Group  Recognize Danger  Does not Recognize Danger

**Personality / Behaviors:** (please check all that apply)

Excitable  Passive  Friendly  Cooperative  
 Stubborn  Active  Sensitive  Aggressive  
 Tantrums  Depressed  Sociable  Inquisitive

**Swimming:** (please check all that apply)

Cannot Swim  Enjoys Water  Swims Independently  Must wear ear plugs in water  
 Limited Ability  Fears Water  Deep Water Swimmer

**Program Information:**

What activities **does** the participant enjoy? \_\_\_\_\_

What activities does the participant **not** enjoy? \_\_\_\_\_

Participant, Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In Person/ Phone Review: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In Person/ Phone Review: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In Person/ Phone Review: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

In Person/ Phone Review: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Participant/Parent/Guardian Program Release Form**

**Participant Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

It is the policy of Virginia Beach Department of Parks and Recreation, Therapeutic Recreation Programs that all parents/guardians sign their participant both in/out of programs to ensure their safety.

If you choose to waive this policy, you will need to initial each level of permission you grant and sign below. By not initialing an area, you aren't granting permission for it to occur. This form will be reviewed on an annual basis or as needed with the participant/parent/guardian to ensure no changes are necessary.

**Please choose one of the following options:**

**Initials (Initial all that apply)**

\_\_\_\_\_ 1) I hereby give my permission for my son/daughter/ward to sign him/her self in and out of program and to:

\_\_\_\_\_ Wait in the lobby of the recreation center

\_\_\_\_\_ Use the recreation center's amenities/program areas (i.e.- pool, game-room, adult lounge)

\_\_\_\_\_ Enter/Exit the building to the parking lot of the recreation center

\_\_\_\_\_ Walk to/from the program (from home, to home)

\_\_\_\_\_ Use independent transportation (i.e- driving themselves, using Handi-Ride or Taxi)

\_\_\_\_\_ 2) I decline to release my son/daughter/ward and I will sign them in/out of programs

\_\_\_\_\_ 3) I am my own guardian and accept risk and responsibility for signing in/out of program

I do hereby assume the risks of possible accidental physical injuries that my son/daughter/ward may suffer while participating in this activity and release from any and all liability or cause of action, the City of Virginia Beach, its employees and volunteers. This release shall be null and void for injuries resulting from the sole gross negligence of the City of Virginia Beach or its employees or volunteers.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Participant/Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Recreation Therapist's Signature

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

Phone Review/In-Person Review: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Review/In-Person Review: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Review/In-Person Review: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Review/In-Person Review: \_\_\_\_\_



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**SEIZURE INFORMATION**

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

Completed By: \_\_\_\_\_

Instructions to Parent or Guardian: To better serve the participant we must be aware of their seizure activity. Please check the areas that apply to typical seizure activity.

MENTAL STATUS	(√) ALL THAT APPLY	COMMENTS
UNCHANGED	<input type="checkbox"/>	
DREAMLIKE	<input type="checkbox"/>	
VACANT	<input type="checkbox"/>	
UNCONSCIOUS	<input type="checkbox"/>	
MUSCLE TONE CHANGE		
RIGID; WHOLE BODY	<input type="checkbox"/>	
RA- RL- LA- LL (ENTER RA...)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
LIMP	<input type="checkbox"/>	
FALLS DOWN	<input type="checkbox"/>	
MOVEMENT		
JERKS; WHOLE BODY	<input type="checkbox"/>	
RA- RL- LA- LL (ENTER RA...)	<input type="checkbox"/>	
JACKKNIVES	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PURPOSEFUL MOVEMENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	
HEAD DROP	<input type="checkbox"/>	
COLOR		
FLUSHED	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PALE	<input type="checkbox"/>	
BLUISH	<input type="checkbox"/>	
MOUTH		
SALIVATES	<input type="checkbox"/>	
CHEWS	<input type="checkbox"/>	
SWALLOWS	<input type="checkbox"/>	
SMACKS LIPS	<input type="checkbox"/>	
CRIES	<input type="checkbox"/>	
TALKS	<input type="checkbox"/>	
SPHINCTER		
URINATES	<input type="checkbox"/>	
DEFECATES	<input type="checkbox"/>	

EYES		
URNS RIGHT	<input type="checkbox"/>	
URNS LEFT	<input type="checkbox"/>	
ROLLS UP	<input type="checkbox"/>	
PUPILS CHANGE SIZE	<input type="checkbox"/>	
BREATHING		
STOPS FOR: (ENTER SECONDS)	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____ SECONDS
BECOMES NOISY	<input type="checkbox"/>	
BEHAVIOR AFTER		
IRRITABLE	<input type="checkbox"/>	
CONFUSED	<input type="checkbox"/>	
DROWSY	<input type="checkbox"/>	
DEEP SLEEP	<input type="checkbox"/>	
NORMAL	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<b>USUAL DURATION</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____ SECONDS _____ MINUTES

Does 911/Emergency Medical Services need to be contacted?  Yes  No

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_

When do you wish to be notified?  Immediately  At the time of pick-up

_____	_____
Parent/Guardian Signature	Date
_____	_____
Sign	Date
_____	_____
Sign	Date
_____	_____
Sign	Date
_____	_____
Sign	Date
_____	_____
Sign	Date