

## **Challenge Course Participant Information and Release Form**

## DISCLOSURE: UTEP CHALLENGE COURSE PROGRAMS INVOLVE A VARIETY OF ACTIVITIES THAT OFTEN INCLUDE WARM-UPS, GAMES, GROUP INITIATIVE PROBLEMS, HIGH AND LOW ROPES COURSE ELEMENTS, AND OTHER PHYSICAL ACTIVITIES. THE LEVEL OF PARTICIPATION IN A CHALLENGE COURSE ACTIVITY IS AT ALL TIMES COMPLETELY VOLUNTARY AND UP TO THE INDIVIDUAL'S CHOICE. YET THERE IS A RISK, WHICH MUST BE ASSUMED BY EACH PARTICIPANT, THAT HE OR SHE MAY SUFFER AN EMOTIONAL OR PHYSICAL INJURY OR DISABILITY. PLEASE PRINT Participant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_\_Business: \_\_\_\_\_ Do you have any health problems or disability that may affect your ability to participate in the UTEP Challenge Course Program? If yes, please explain: RELEASE/WAIVER: IN CONSIDERATION OF BEING PERMITTED TO PARTICIPATE AS DESCRIBED ABOVE, I RELEASE FOR MYSELF AND MY PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES, HEIRS AND NEXT OF KIN, FOR ALL LOSS OF DAMAGE, AND FROM EVERY CLAIM, DEMAND, ACTION OR RIGHT OF ACTION, OF WHATSOEVER KIND OR NATURE EITHER IN LAW OR IN EQUITY, ON ACCOUNT OF INJURY TO PERSON OR PROPERTY, OR RESULTING IN DEATH, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF UTEP OR OTHERWISE WHILE PARTICIPATING IN THE ACTIVITY DESCRIBED ABOVE. INDEMNITY: I AGREE TO INDEMNIFY UTEP AND ALL REPRESENTATIVES OF UTEP FROM ANY LOSS, LIABILITY, DAMAGE OR COST THAT MAY INCUR DUE TO MY PARTICIPATION, WHETHER CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF UTEP OR OTHERWISE. I EXPRESSLY AGREE THAT THIS RELEASE, WAIVER AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT IS INTENDED TO BE AS BROAD AND INCLUSIVE AS PERMITTED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF TEXAS AND THAT IF ANY PORTION OF THIS AGREEMENT IS HELD INVALID, IT IS AGREED THAT THE BALANCE SHALL, NOTWITHSTANDING, CONTINUE TO FULL LEGAL FORCE AND EFFECT. THIS RELEASE CONTAINS THE ENTIRE AGREEMENT BETWEEN MYSELF AND UTEP AND THE TERMS OF THIS AGREEMENT ARE CONTRACTUAL AND NOT A MERE RECITAL. Print Name: Date: MUST BE COMPLETED BY PARENT / GUARDIAN IF PARTICIPANT IS UNDER 18 Parent / Guardian Print Name:

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