



## **DALLAS MUSTANGS COVID-19 RETURN TO THE POOL**

### **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT, WAIVER, AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK**

We have outlined the Dallas Mustangs plan to resume practices in the COVID-19 Return to the Pool document. We also refer you to the guidance of the Center for Disease Control (CDC) and Texas Health and Human Services department and urge everyone to follow the recommendations to limit the risk of spreading the virus.

The purpose of this Agreement is to make it clear that, as a condition of participating in workouts with Dallas Mustangs Swim Club during this health event, you are waiving your rights to bring a lawsuit or make a claim of any kind against Dallas Mustangs Swim Club, Inc, North Texas Swimming and USA Swimming or its coaches and personnel for anything relating to COVID-19, including any claims for liability.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in any way in the Dallas Mustangs swim program events and activities, the undersigned swimmer or undersigned parent, or representative and/or legal guardian of swimmer of minority age, completely acknowledges, accepts, and agrees as follows:

- You acknowledge that you have read the Dallas Mustangs COVID-19 policies for a return to the pool, and confirm and agree that, you and your swimmer have enough knowledge and maturity to understand all the rules, procedures and consequences of such practice activities following these policies.
- You acknowledge that you have read and are aware of the risk of the spread of the Covid-19 virus by participating in Dallas Mustangs Swim Club swimming practices at this time and that you have been referred to the CDC and Texas HHS information and guidance. The virus can spread before another person shows signs of the virus or is symptomatic. You understand and acknowledge that COVID-19 is caused by a new virus and that there is much to learn about its transmissibility, severity, and other features of the disease.
- You understand that there are certain COVID-19 dangers and risks of practicing swimming in a group at this time. These risks and dangers may be caused by the negligence of participants, other swimmers, accidents, breaches of protocols, the forces of nature or other causes, and may be from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes.
- If your non-adult swimmer, participates in a Dallas Mustangs Swim Club practice, you (and your swimmer) understand that you can become infected and agree to assume all risks and dangers and all responsibility for any losses, damages, or injuries, whether caused in whole in part by the negligence or other conduct of the owners, agents, officers, employees of Dallas Mustangs Swim Club, or by any other person.

**YOU HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE AND AGREE THAT, IN CONSIDERATION FOR THE OPPORTUNITY GIVEN TO PRACTICE WITH THE DALLAS MUSTANGS SWIM CLUB, YOU, THE UNDERSIGNED, FOR YOURSELF AND ON BEHALF OF YOUR HEIRS, EXECUTORS, SUCCESSORS, ADMINISTRATORS, ASSIGNS, PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVES AND NEXT OF KIN, HEREBY WAIVE, RELEASE, ACQUIT, AND FOREVER DISCHARGE AND HOLD HARMLESS DALLAS MUSTANGS SWIM CLUB, INC., ITS OWNERS, FAMILY MEMBERS, COACHES, PARTNERS, VOLUNTEERS, OPERATORS, MEMBERS, OFFICERS, OFFICIALS, ADMINISTRATORS, VENDORS, AGENTS AND/OR EMPLOYEES, OTHER PARTICIPANTS, SPONSORING AGENCIES (NORTH TEXAS SWIMMING, USA SWIMMING), DIRECTORS, SPONSORS AND ADVERTISERS WITH RESPECT TO ANYTHING AGAINST ANY AND ALL**

**LIABILITY CLAIMS, DAMAGES OR LAWSUITS RESULTING FROM PERSONAL OR PHYSICAL INJURY TO YOU OR YOUR SWIMMER, MEDICAL OR HOSPITAL BILLS, AND ALSO WITH RESPECT TO ANY AND ALL INJURY , ILLNESS, DISABILITY, DEATH, LOSS OR DAMAGE TO PERSON OR PROPERTY, WHETHER ARISING FROM THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES OR OTHERWISE. YOU, ALSO AGREE TO INDEMNIFY THE RELEASEES FROM ANY AND ALL LIABILITIES INCIDENTS TO YOUR MINOR CHILD'S INVOLVEMENT OR PARTICIPATION IN THESE PROGRAMS ABOVE, EVEN IF ARISING FROM THEIR NEGLIGENCE.**

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Swimmer(s) Name & Age

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Parent/Guardian printed name

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date