

Medical Letter of Clearance

Date: _____

RE: _____

Dear Dr. _____,

The Brain Injury Association of Virginia (BIAV), a non-profit organization dedicated to serving survivors of brain injuries and their families, will host the 39th year of Camp Bruce McCoy at the Triple-R Ranch in Chesapeake, Virginia. The program is designed to provide an outstanding recreational experience with the highest level of safety possible. Camp Bruce McCoy is for adults 18 years and older. To prioritize the health of campers and reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission at Camp Bruce McCoy, BIAV has developed firm requirements and preventative measures based on current state and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines. BIAV will implement all active CDC guidelines and state restrictions regarding COVID-19 during the time of camp, which all camp participants must adhere to.

The overnight camp will be conducted for two one-week sessions (May 22-28 and May 29-June 4, 2022). Campers are supervised around the clock, and will be able to participate in a wide variety of activities each day; some of the more strenuous activities include horseback riding, canoeing, swimming, archery, and a ropes challenge course. Participants must be medically stable to attend, and we do require a **current list of medications from your office.**

Camp staff will include medical and rehabilitation professionals and students, and appropriate medical personnel will be onsite at all times. Nathan Zasler, MD, a long time Camp Bruce McCoy volunteer and a specialist in brain injury medicine will serve as our Medical Advisor should medical issues arise during application review and/or if acute care issues develop during the program. Final decisions regarding the appropriateness of an applicant's participation will be made at the discretion of the Medical Advisor and Camp Manager.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 804-355-5748 or toll-free at 800-444-6443.

Sincerely,

Anne McDonnell, MPA, OTR/L
Executive Director

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As the primary care physician for _____ (camper), the following outlines my preferences regarding his/her treatment

1. In case of a medical emergency during the camp session, please contact:

Physician Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Alt. Phone #: _____

If the above physician cannot be reached, then contact _____

Is the alternate physician contact noted above aware of the camper's participation in Camp Bruce McCoy and in agreement with the same?

2. Medical and/or activity restrictions: _____

3. Date and result of last blood level drawn for seizure medications: _____

4. ATTACHMENT: List of current medications, including time of day and dosage.

I hereby certify that my patient, _____ (camper), is medically cleared for participation in Camp Bruce McCoy

Printed name

Signed name