



Transportation & Emergency Procedures

Please carefully read the information on this form and return the bottom section along with all other camper forms.

In order to insure the safety of all campers during all on-site & off-site programs, 7Summits Camp has developed specific procedures regarding transportation & medical emergencies. Parents and/or guardians are asked to carefully read the following procedures and return the detachable section of the form with their signature(s) to the 7Summits Camp office with all other forms by **June 2, 2008**.

In the Event of a Medical or Other Emergency During Camp

1. A staff member trained in CPR & First aid will supervise campers at all times. All camp staff has access to first aid supplies at all times during on-site & off-site programs. In the event of a medical emergency, 7Summits Camp will call 9-1-1 and provide appropriate care until such time that care is transferred to First Responders.
2. A 7Summits Camp staff member or the Camp Director will contact the Emergency contact listed on the Health form and notify him/her of the situation & location of injured camper (if s/he has been transported to a hospital, the Emergency contact will be told the name & location of said hospital).
3. A 7Summits camp staff member will escort any camper to the nearest hospital.
4. Non-major, non-life threatening illnesses or injuries will be treated by 7Summits Camp staff within the scope of their training during the camp day. Parents/Guardians will be notified of any minor first aid treatment when they pick up their child at the end of the day.
5. Campers who are ill during the day or who are showing signs of flu-like or other contagious diseases may be removed from other campers and kept at the health center. Parents/Guardians may be asked to pick up ill campers before the end of the day if the Camp Director believes that the illness is severe enough to warrant removal.
6. Non-medical emergencies which may include severe weather, fire, behavioral incidents, and/or any other non-medical emergency as determined by the Camp Director may warrant cancellation of camp during the day. In this event, campers will be kept at a safe location until such time that all campers can be picked up by a designated person.

Transportation During Camp

1. Campers may be transported in 15-passenger vans for off-site trips. Campers will only be transported by 7Summits Camp staff trained in safe driving skills.
2. All vehicles used by 7Summits Camp meet specific safety criteria including: proper & routine maintenance, passing a vehicle safety checklist prior to use, and presence of a first aid kit & emergency vehicle breakdown kit on board. Camper Health & Release Forms, Medication Forms, and camper medications will be with a designated staff member during transportation & while off-site for all 7Summits Camp programs.
3. All Campers will receive a safety orientation prior to transportation in any vehicle including: seat belt use, safe tone of voice, staying seated, listening to driver instructions, loading & unloading, and conduct during travel.
4. In the event of an emergency, private vehicles may be used to transport campers. Private vehicles used for emergencies must meet all criterion listed above in #2 & 3. The Camp Director's, Summit Vision President's, and one other staff vehicle will be designated as an emergency vehicle during each week of camp.

Please detach and keep the above portion of this form.

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I have read & understand all 7Summits Camp procedures for dealing with emergencies during the camp experience whether on-site or off-site. I have also read and understand that campers may be transported in 15-passenger vans by trained staff and/or in private vehicles (also by trained staff) in the event of an emergency. I give permission to 7Summits Camp staff to transport my camper(s) during the course of 7Summits Camp programs.

Child's Name(s) _____

Parent/Guardian's Printed Name _____

Parent/Guardian's Signature _____