

Form: Parental Consent for Blood Donation

Information

This form must be completed by a parent or legal guardian. Parental permission is required for all donations by 16-year-olds, and for donations by 17-year-olds as required by state law or blood drive sponsor. Please call us at **1-800-RED-CROSS (1-800-733-2767)** or visit www.redcrossblood.org if you have questions or concerns about the blood donation process.

Parental Consent

I have read and understand

- The information on the back of this form
- "A Student's Guide to Blood Donation"
- Any research-related study sheets that were provided

In giving consent for your son, daughter, or ward to donate blood, you have **two options**.

Please complete Option 1 or Option 2 to indicate what type of donation you are consenting to.

(Please use medium-point black pen.)

OPTION 1: Whole Blood Donation Only

I hereby give permission for my son, daughter, or ward to make a whole blood donation to the American Red Cross.

Donor Name: (son, daughter, or ward) _____
Print Name

Parent/Guardian Name: _____
Print Name

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____
Signature *Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy)*

Optional Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____
Where you can be reached on day of donation

OPTION 2: Apheresis or Whole Blood Donation

I hereby give permission for my son, daughter, or ward to give blood by either apheresis or whole blood donation to the American Red Cross (*see back of form for details*).

Donor Name: (son, daughter, or ward) _____
Print Name

Parent/Guardian Name: _____
Print Name

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____
Signature *Today's Date (mm/dd/yyyy)*

Optional Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____
Where you can be reached on day of donation

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