

**Teen Expeditions**  
Physical Examination Form

(Please type or print legibly)

Name of Participant \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Evening Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician must read and fill out pages 1- 4**

Physical examination data cannot be more than a year old from the starting date of the Champlain Discovery course. Tetanus shot must be current.

1. Blood Pressure: \_\_\_\_\_ Pulse: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Tetanus inoculation: \_\_\_\_\_

**TETANUS IMMUNIZATION WITHIN 10 YEARS OF THE START DATE  
OF THE PROGRAM IS REQUIRED**

2. Teen Expeditions at Lake Champlain Maritime Museum are physically demanding programs. Participants spend multiple days (8 to 10 days depending on the expedition) living outdoors and some days paddling, rowing, or sailing as many as eighteen miles over Lake Champlain. It is important for us to know if the participant has any physical or emotional condition that would hinder this experience. On the basis of this information and your examination, do you feel that this individual can participate in a teen expedition?

The Health Care Professional must check:

\_\_\_\_\_ *YES, I think this person can participate*

\_\_\_\_\_ *NO, this person should not participate at this time for the reasons explained below.*

3. General impressions and comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Health Care Professional's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Physician, FNP or PA Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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**PHYSICIAN, FNP or PA, please circle YES or NO for each item. Each question must be answered.**

**GENERAL MEDICAL HISTORY**

Does the applicant currently have or does he/she have a history of:

- |                                   |        |    |
|-----------------------------------|--------|----|
| 1. Respiratory problems? Asthma?  | 1. YES | NO |
| 2. Gastrointestinal disturbances? | 2. YES | NO |
| 3. Diabetes?                      | 3. YES | NO |

Examiner's specific comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

- |                                      |        |    |
|--------------------------------------|--------|----|
| 4. Hypertension?                     | 4. YES | NO |
| 5. Bleeding or blood disorders?      | 5. YES | NO |
| 6. Hepatitis or other liver disease? | 6. YES | NO |

Examiner's specific comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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|------------------------------------|--------|----|
| 7. Neurological problem?           | 7. YES | NO |
| 8. Seizures? Epilepsy?             | 8. YES | NO |
| 9. Dizziness or fainting episodes? | 9. YES | NO |

Examiner's specific comments \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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|-----------------------|---------|----|
| 10. Cardiac problems? | 10. YES | NO |
|-----------------------|---------|----|

Examiner's specific comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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|---|---------|----|
| 11. Treatment or medication for menstrual cramps?   | 11. YES | NO |
| 12. Disorders of the urinary or reproductive tract? | 12. YES | NO |
| 13. Any other disease?                              | 13. YES | NO |

Examiner's specific comments \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

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14. Does this person see a Medical or Physical specialist of any kind? 14. YES NO  
Name/address \_\_\_\_\_

15. Is she pregnant? 15. YES NO

Examiner's specific comments \_\_\_\_\_

**MUSCULAR/SKELETAL INJURIES**

Does the applicant currently have or does he/she have a history of:

16. Knee, hip or ankle injuries (including sprains) and/or operation? 16. YES NO  
17. Shoulder, arm or back injuries (including sprains) and/or operations? 17. YES NO  
18. Head injury? 18. YES NO  
19. Any other joint problems? 19. YES NO

Examiner's specific comments (include date of last occurrence and the effect of the problem on current activity level): \_\_\_\_\_

**PERSONAL HISTORY (COUNSELING/PSYCHIATRIC)**

20. Has he/she had treatment or counseling with a mental health professional? 20. YES NO  
21. Is he/she currently in treatment or counseling? 21. YES NO

If yes, please arrange for the release of information  
from your therapist or counselor

22. Name and address of therapist or counselor \_\_\_\_\_  
23. Does he/she have, or have a history of substance abuse problems? 22. YES NO  
24. Hospitalization within the past year? 23. YES NO  
25. Reasons for treatment or counseling?

\_\_\_\_\_ suicide gesture \_\_\_\_\_ academic/career  
\_\_\_\_\_ substance abuse/chemical dependency \_\_\_\_\_ Family issues/divorce  
\_\_\_\_\_ eating disorder (anorexia/bulimia) \_\_\_\_\_ learning disability  
\_\_\_\_\_ other

Examiner's specific comments \_\_\_\_\_

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**ALLERGIES**

26. Any allergies? \_\_\_\_\_ 26. YES NO  
27. Champlain Discovery disinfects water with iodine. Is iodine  
contraindicated for this person? 27. YES NO  
28. Is he/she allergic to any foods? Are there any dietary restrictions?  
Vegetarian? \_\_\_\_\_ 28. YES NO  
29. Allergic to insect bites or bee stings? 29. YES NO

Examiner's specific comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICATIONS**

30. Is he /she allergic to any medications? \_\_\_\_\_ 30. YES NO  
31. Is he/she currently taking any medications? Please specify dosage 31. YES NO

Medication	Dosage/Frequency	Side Effects/Restrictions
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Examiner's specific comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**COLD, HEAT, ALTITUDE**

32. History of heat stroke or other heat related illness? 32. YES NO

Examiner's specific comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Other Comments and Observations:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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