



Permission for Emergency Treatment

Please print the following form, and then fill in all the requested information. You must complete and sign this form. **You will then need to upload or copy the form into the Permission for Emergency Treatment Questionnaire. A hard copy of this form does not have to be turned in to the Study Abroad Office.** It is also advisable that you carry a copy of this signed form with you during your travels.

Applicant's Name

Last

First

Middle

On rare occasions a person participating in an overseas study program faces a health emergency requiring hospitalization and immediate treatment. To prevent dangerous delay in such an emergency, The University of Memphis strongly recommends that the student and his/her parent or guardian or that the non-student (auditor) complete and sign the following statement. Participants should carry a copy of this permission at all times while abroad:

In the event of an emergency illness or injury affecting

_____, born _____,
person's name date

the undersigned (participants below 18 years should have this form signed by their parents or guardians) hereby authorizes immediate hospitalization and treatment recommended by and carried out under the supervision of a qualified physician, including administering an anesthetic and performing necessary surgery.

Known allergies to medication: _____

Signature Date

Person to notify in case of an emergency illness or accident:

Name _____ Relationship _____

Address _____

Telephone: Home _____ Work _____

Important: The University of Memphis also wishes to inform students and others participating in our Study Abroad Programs/Courses that it is not possible to have access to the type of mental health assistance available in this country. In our admission process, we do not discriminate against individuals with disabilities. However, for your own welfare, we ask that if you have had any such problem that could affect your participation in the program you should consult with a mental health professional before you leave to discuss the potential stress or other adverse consequences of study abroad. Again, please be reminded that mental health treatment is not as widely accessible in many foreign countries as it is in the United States.