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## Parent's Medical Form - Boarding

Student's Name :	Date of birth:
Gender:	Nationality:

Student health and well-being is at the center of all that we do at Brillantmont. In order for students to reach their full academic and social/emotional potential, they must be in their best state of health both physically and mentally. Our students are all different, come from diverse backgrounds and have individual needs. Our School Nurse works closely with the Pastoral Care and Well-Being Coordinator, the Head of Boarding, and the boarding team to manage the health care needs of the students. In case of illness or injury, the school nurse will provide care or arrange care by the school doctor or nearby hospital. Essential to providing optimal and effective care is having a clear understanding of a student's medical history.

#### **Vaccinations**

Please provide an up-to-date copy of your child's vaccination booklet or record. Certain vaccinations are REQUIRED to join the Brillantmont community (Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis, Polio, Hepatitis B, Measles, Mumps and Rubella).

According to the Swiss Vaccination Plan and in consultation with our school doctor, we also recommend additional vaccines (see below). Please indicate if you would like your child to receive these vaccinations from our Health Department. By checking yes, you are agreeing that your child receives the vaccination series and you understand that vaccinations will incur an additional cost.

	Yes	No
Varicella		
HPV (human papillomavirus)		
FSME (tick borne encephalitis)		
Meningococci B/ACWY		
Hepatitis A		
dTp booster (near age 15)		

For information on vaccinations please see: <a href="https://www.bag.admin.ch/bag/en/home/gesund-leben/gesund-eitsfoerderung-und-praevention/impfungen-prophylaxe.html">https://www.bag.admin.ch/bag/en/home/gesund-leben/gesund-eitsfoerderung-und-praevention/impfungen-prophylaxe.html</a>

#### **Medicines**

For the safety and well-being of all, students are forbidden to keep medicine in their rooms unless it has been approved and agreed upon by the Health Department. On arrival, all medications need to be turned into the School Nurse for review and storage. There is no need to bring medicine from home unless your child takes a prescription medication, in which case, please provide a copy of the prescription with clear instructions. Parents are responsible for communicating any changes in treatments or medications for their child to the School Nurse (nurse@brillantmont.ch).

Our School Nurse, boarding staff, and teachers supervising trips and activities, have a selection of prescription-free, basic medicine approved by the School Doctor to treat minor illness and injury. Prescription medicine may be ordered by the doctor, or a medical facility should the need arise. By signing this form, you are agreeing to the administration of these medications by the Brillantmont Staff. Parents are responsible for communicating all known allergies to medications and the school cannot be held responsible in the instance of a reaction to an undeclared (yet known) allergen.

# Basic Health Questions to be completed by a parent or guardian: 1-Does your child have any allergies? N $\square$ Yes $\square$ Food allergies No ☐ Yes [ Environmental/seasonal allergies No ☐ Yes ☐ · Medication allergies If you have answered yes above, please specify what your child is allergic to: \*If you have indicated that your child has an allergy or intolerance to any food, we require the completion of an additional health form specifically regarding food allergies. We will send this to you on receipt of this health form. The allergy form must be filled out and signed by the child's doctor or allergist. Although we strive to maintain the health and safety of the entire community, we cannot exclude the possibility of cross-contamination for certain allergens. In addition, we cannot take responsibility if an allergy is not declared before arrival at Brillantmont. 2-Does your child require a special diet for medical, religious, or cultural reasons? No . Yes . If yes, please specify: ..... 3- Can your child fully participate in sports activities? No Yes If no, please specify: 4- Does your child wear glasses or contact lenses? No Yes 🔲 If yes, please specify whether your child has glasses, contact lenses or both. In addition, when was your child's last eye exam? ..... 5- When was your child's last dental check-up? Is your child undergoing any orthodontic treatment? If so please specify. 6- Has your child experienced, or does your child experience, difficulties with their emotional well-being? For example, do they show signs of relationship difficulties, low mood issues, eating issues, or self-harm? 7-Has your child suffered any difficult, traumatic, or psychological experiences that could influence their wellbeing? For example, dog bites, abuse, death, separation). 8- Has your child had any previous difficulties with Hearing, Speech or Language development? Please give details. 9- Is your child currently undergoing any medical treatment, physical or psychological? Please specify.

10 -Is there any other relevant medical information you would like to share with us?

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### **Duty of Care**

By signing this form, the parents give permission for health information of their child to be shared in confidence with the members of our staff who are directly responsible for the care of their child.

By signing this form, the parents release doctors, dentists, or medical institutions who are involved in the care of the child from the obligation of professional secrecy vis-à-vis the Brillantmont School Nurse, Head of Boarding, Pastoral Care and Well-Being Coordinator, and Head of School.

By signing this form, the parents acknowledge that they understand that according to Swiss medical practice, adolescents who are capable of discernment have the right to seek and receive medical care, both physical and mental, without informing their parents or guardians. Our goal is open communication but we respect the student's legal right to privacy.

Please be aware that failure to give full information about your child, as requested in the various admission documents, may result in the school no longer being able to accept him /her.				
Date :	Signature:			