



Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization (WHO). **COVID-19 is extremely contagious** and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

Marietta FUMC and Fusion Youth Ministry have put in place preventative measures, as recommended by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), to reduce the spread of COVID-19. However, Marietta FUMC and Fusion Youth Ministry **cannot guarantee** that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19 or any other illness even following CDC guidelines which can be found on the CDC website.

First Child's Information	Second Child's Information
Name (First/Last)	Name (First/Last)
Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)	Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)
Special Notes:	Special Notes:
Additional Child's Information (If more than two children, please provide their information here)	

By signing this agreement, I acknowledge the contagious nature of COVID-19 and voluntarily assume the risk that my child(ren) and I may be exposed to or infected by COVID-19 and/or other illnesses by attending Marietta FUMC or Fusion Youth Ministry and that such exposure or infection may result in personal injury, illness, permanent disability, and death. I understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 and/or other illnesses at Marietta FUMC and Fusion Youth Ministry may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of myself and others, including, but not limited to, Marietta FUMC and Fusion Youth Ministry employees, volunteers, and program participants and their families.

In consideration of my child being permitted to attend Marietta FUMC and/or Fusion Youth Ministry and participate in their programs, and intending to be legally bound by this document, I, as the lawful parent and/or guardian of the above child(ren) hereby voluntarily agree and consent to assume all of the foregoing risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that I or my child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with my child(ren)'s attendance at Marietta FUMC or Fusion Youth Ministry or participation in Marietta FUMC or Fusion Youth Ministry programming ("Claims"). On my behalf, and on behalf of my children, I hereby release, Marietta FUMC and Fusion Youth Ministry, their employees, agents, affiliates and representatives, of and from the Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto. I understand and agree that this release includes any Claims based on the actions, omissions, or negligence of Marietta FUMC or Fusion Youth Ministry, its employees, volunteers, agents, and representatives, and applies whether a COVID-19 or other infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any Marietta FUMC or Fusion Youth Ministry program.

I have fully read and understand this document and agree to its terms in consideration for Marietta FUMC's and Fusion Youth Ministry's agreement to permit my child(ren) to attend and participate in its programs.

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Print Name of Parent/Guardian

Name(s) of Participant(s)