



**Texas A&M International University  
Office of Athletics Compliance  
Prospective Tryout/Walk on Form**

**Prospective Student Athlete's Information**

Date of Tryout: \_\_\_\_\_ Sport: \_\_\_\_\_

Prospect's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ NCAA Eligibility Center ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

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

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

**Coaches**

Start Time of Tryout \_\_\_\_\_ End Time of Tryout \_\_\_\_\_

**Athletic Trainer and Athletic Compliance (requires signature before tryout out)**

Completed Physical within 6 months YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_ Sickle Cell Form YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

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Signature of Athletic Trainer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Athletic Compliance

**Tryout Regulations**

I understand that per NCAA Bylaw 13.11.2.1 (Tryouts) I am permitted one tryout per institution at the site where that program normally conducts practices and competition and only under the following conditions:

- The tryout may be conducted for prospective student-athletes only on its campus or a site at which it normally conducts practice or competition beginning June 15 immediately preceding the prospective student-athletes junior year in high school and must be done outside his or her high school's traditional season in the sport; for a two-year college student, after the conclusion of the sport season or anytime, provided the student has exhausted his or her two-year college eligibility in the sport; and for a four-year college student, after the conclusion of the sport season, provided written permission to contact the prospective student-athlete (per Bylaw 13.1.1.2) has been obtained;
- **I am required to present a physical that was administered within 6 months of the date of this tryout;**
- **I am required to present results of a prior sickle cell solubility test prior to participation in the tryout;**
- The tryout may include tests to evaluate my strength, speed, agility and sports skills;

- Except in the sport of football, competition against the member institution’s team is permissible provided such competition occurs during the academic year;
- The time of the tryout activities (other than the physical examination) shall be limited to the length of the institution’s normal practice period in that sport but in no event shall be longer than two hours; and
- The institution may provide equipment and clothing on an issuance-and-retrieval basis to a prospective student-athlete during the period of the tryout

### Release Agreement

I \_\_\_\_\_ agree that neither I nor any agents representing me will seek any claims against Texas A&M International University or any of its agents or employees in the event that I am injured or suddenly take ill during or as a result of the physical test which I am about to perform. I do hereby certify that all the information that I have provided is current and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand and meet all the regulations regarding an NCAA Division II tryout and have attached a copy of my physical examination and sickle cell solubility form. I further understand the release statement as written above and agree to the terms.

Prospective Student-Athlete’s Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

(If prospect is under 18 years of age)

I certify that the tryout of the prospective student-athlete listed above complies with the NCAA recruiting legislation.

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Head Coach Signature

Date

## Texas A&M International University Sickle Cell Screening Patient Statement Form

STUDENT-ATHLETE: \_\_\_\_\_ SPORT: \_\_\_\_\_

**PURPOSE:** to identify persons presenting for physicals that may be in a high-risk category for sickle-cell disease or trait and initiate appropriate testing.

**Definition of Sickle Cell Disease:** Sickle Cell disease is an inherited blood disorder that affects red blood cells—cells that carry oxygen in our bodies. Persons with Sickle cell disease make sickle-shaped blood cells, instead of round-shaped. This doesn't allow blood and oxygen to flow to all of the parts of our bodies as well, which can lead to serious medical problems or even death. Certain conditions can make the sickling worse. These are infection, overexertion, dehydration, cold weather, stress and high altitude.

**Definition of Sickle Cell Trait:** Sickle cell trait means that you carry enough genetic material to pass on the trait to your children. People with sickle cell trait usually do not get the disease, but under certain extreme conditions (especially dehydration and high altitude), some sickling may occur.

**Identification of high-risk category:** African-Americans, Portuguese, Spanish, French Corsicans, Sardinians, Sicilians, Mainland Italians, Greeks, Turks, Pacific Islander and Cypriots.

**SICKLE CELL TRAIT TESTING WAIVER**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, understand and acknowledge that the TAMIU Athletics mandates that all student athletes have knowledge of their sickle cell trait status. Additionally, I have read and fully understand the aforementioned facts about sickle cell trait and sickle cell trait testing.

Recognizing that my true physical condition is dependent upon an accurate medical history and a full disclosure of any symptoms, complaints, prior injuries, ailments, and/or disabilities experienced, I hereby affirm that I have fully disclosed in writing any prior medical history and/or knowledge of sickle cell trait status to TAMIU Athletic Training personnel.

I do not wish to undergo sickle cell trait testing and I voluntarily agree to release, discharge, indemnify and hold harmless the State of Texas, Texas A&M International University, and its officers, employees and agents from any and all costs, liabilities, expenses, claims, demands, or causes of action on account of any loss or personal injury that might result from my non-compliance with the mandate of the NCAA and Texas A&M International University Athletics Department

I have read and signed this document with full knowledge of its significance. I further state that I am at least 18 years of age and competent to sign this waiver.

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| Student-Athlete Signature | Date |

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| Parent/Guardian Signature <i>(if under 18 years of age)</i> | UID # |

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| Parent/Guardian Print Name | Date |

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| Witness | Date |