

BIKE MS: RIDE 2012

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Waiver & Agreement

General Waiver for participants ages 12 to 17

With respect to the 2012 Bike MS Ride event with the National Multiple Sclerosis Society ("NMSS"), Greater Northwest Chapter, for consideration of participation, I freely accept and voluntarily assume the risks of personal injury or property damage that may result from this potentially hazardous activity on behalf of my child.

I further agree to waive and release from all claims and liabilities of any kind arising out of my participation and agree to hold harmless the National MS Society, corporate sponsors, cooperating organizations and all parties connected with this event from any liability as a result of my participation. I understand that it is the Society's policy that every child must be accompanied by a responsible adult over the age of 18 at all times.

I will permit emergency treatment in the event of injury or illness while participating and give permission to use my child's image and photo taken during the event in any promotional material, publication, or on the website.

I accept responsibility to inform my child that the National Multiple Sclerosis Society withholds the right to dismiss anyone that may cause disturbance during this event. I also understand that it is my responsibility to ensure proper training has occurred and that he/she has been instructed on the event and traffic rules. I agree to accept any responsibility for disregarding these rules.

Helmet Agreement

I understand that bicycle helmets (CPSC, ANSI, ASTM or SNELL) are required to participate in this event.

\$250 Required Pledge Minimum Policy

All riders (team captains, team members and individual riders) are required to raise a minimum of \$250 in donations in addition to the registration fee regardless of attendance at the Bike MS Ride. Registered riders will not be held responsible for the \$250 required pledge minimum only if the Greater Northwest Chapter has been notified of your withdrawal in writing by August 31, 2012.

This required pledge minimum must be fulfilled prior to participation in the event. Riders who have not fulfilled their required pledge minimum will not be permitted to ride.

This required pledge minimum of \$250 must be fulfilled prior to participation in the event. Riders who have not fulfilled their required pledge minimum will not be permitted to ride. Participation in the Bike MS Ride is at the discretion of the Greater Northwest Chapter of the National MS Society. Registration fees are non-refundable, non-transferable and not applicable to the required pledge minimum amount of \$250. Riders must be at least 12 years old to participate in the Washington Ride and at least 18 years of age to participate in the Alaska and Montana Rides.

Signature is required by Parent or Legal Guardian for all participants aged 12 to 17 years old. Witness of signature provided by Notary Public is also required.

Participant Name: _____ Age of Participant: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Name: _____

Notary Public

State of _____

County of _____

On this day _____, _____ appeared before me, signed this waiver and agreement, and swore (affirmed) that s/he understood its contents and that its contents were truthful.

Notary Signature: _____

Commission Expires: _____