Guardianship for Minor Applicants Procedures

In order for an eligible international student under the age of 18 to be considered for admission to Irvine Valley College (IVC), the student's parents must appoint a guardian who lives in or within 25 miles of Irvine, California and agrees to take all responsibility for the student until they turn 18.

IMPORTANT: The minor student must live with the appointed guardian until the student turns 18 and the guardian must be physically present at the listed local residence. Should it be found that the minor student is not living with the appointed guardian OR that the appointed guardian is not physically present in the minor's home, the minor student is subject to dismissal from IVC.

Irvine Valley College cannot act in the place of the parent or guardian. In the event of a personal emergency, accident, illness or incarceration, the State of California will require the signature of a guardian before hospitalization or legal counsel can be obtained. If you are under the age of 18, you are required to have your parent submit a signed statement informing Irvine Valley College who will be your appointed guardian.

The Role of the Appointed Guardian:

The appointed guardian has complete responsibility in all issues related to the student while the student is enrolled at Irvine Valley College and/or until the student reaches the age of 18. Such issues in which the appointed guardian is responsible for include, but are not limited to, the following:

- ✓ Living with and being physically present with the student at the local residence
- ✓ Medical care for the student (physical and emotional)
- ✓ Disciplinary issues that may arise at the school
- ✓ Law enforcement/legal issues resulting from the student's conduct
- ✓ Educational concerns related to the student's study at Irvine Valley College
- Contact with the parents in the home country as needed
- ✓ Acting as a liaison between the student, parent and Irvine Valley College in matters related to the student's study at our institution and stay in the U.S.
- ✓ Submitting the "Health & Wellness Services Informed Consent" form (attached) so that required Tuberculosis (TB) screening tests can be completed.

Requirements to be a Guardian:

The appointed guardian must meet the following criteria to be considered:

- 1. The appointed guardian must be a US Citizen or Permanent Legal Resident.
- 2. The appointed guardian must be living in or within 25 miles of Irvine, California.
- 3. The appointed guardian must be <u>physically present at the residence and live with the</u> minor until such time that the student turns 18 years of age.
- 4. The appointed guardian must be over the age of 25 (copy of CA Driver's License required)
- 5. The appointed guardian and parent must be available should any problems arise with the student until such time that the student turns 18 years of age.

Process to Establish a Local Guardian:

- 1. Both the "Process to Establish a Local Guardian" and "Affidavit of Guardianship" must be completed and signed by the parent of the minor/applicant AND the appointed guardian.
 - a. The signature of the parent verifies that they have agreed to appoint a local guardian to be responsible for their child while in the US until such time that the student reaches the age of 18.
 - b. The signature of the appointed guardian indicates their understanding that they will live with the minor student, remain physically present at the residence and are responsible for all issues related to the student's life in the US until such time that the student reaches the age of 18.
- 2. The "Health & Wellness Services Informed Consent" is signed and submitted. (Required for mandatory Tuberculosis (TB) screening tests to be administered.
- 3. A copy of the legal guardian's California Driver's License or California ID card is submitted
- 4. Once these documents are received, Irvine Valley College will review the minor's application and make a decision for admission.
- 5. Submission of false information will result in the denial of the application and/or dismissal of the student from IVC.

Should you have any questions about this policy, please contact at (949) 451-5414 or iso@ivc.edu.

My signature below confirms my understanding of and agreement to my role as the appointed guardian for the minor student. My signature below confirms that the student will live in my home that is located in or within 25 miles of Irvine, California and that I will remain physically present in the home until such time that the minor turns 18 years of age. I understand that if at any time it is found that I am not physically present and living with the minor, the student is subject to dismissal from IVC. I understand that in all legal issues, I am and remain responsible for the care and guardianship of this minor student. Irvine Valley College is released from all legal responsibility for the care or well-being of the minor student.

Printed Name of Guardian		Signature of Guardian
Printed Name of Minor Student		IVC Student ID Number
Date		
To be completed by the applicant's parent:		
My signature below confirms that I appoint _	Name of Guardian	as the guardian for my child.
Printed Name of Parent	Signature of Parent	 Date Signed



AFFIDAVIT OF GUARDIANSHIP

(Official US notarization required)

I,				residing at	
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Street Number	Apartment	City	State	Zip Code	ose and say:
1. That I have agree	ed to be the legal guardian of	f			
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Email address of Ap	pointed Guardian	Ī	Date Signed		



NEW PATIENT INFORMATION FORM

Legal Name:	Student ID:	Date of Birth:
Preferred Name(s):	Pronouns:	
Sex Assigned at Birth: Male	Female Intersex	Birthplace:
Address:	Phon	e Number:
Email:	_May we leave a message on	your voice mail? Yes No
May we send you text messages?	Yes No	
If yes, who is your carrier? Verizo	n AT&T T-Mob	oile Other
Race: White Hispanic/Latinx	American Indian/Alas	skan Native Asian
Black African Native H	Hawaiian/Other Pacific Island	ler Other
Language Preference(s):		
Hearing Impaired: Yes No	Vision Impaired Y	es No
Do you have health insurance? Yes	s No If yes, name yo	ur insurance
In Case of Emergency, Please Notify:		
Name:	Relationship to Patient:	Phone:
Patient Signature		Date:
If a patient is a minor (under the age of 18	or in conservatorship)	
Parent/Guardian Name	Parent/Guardian Signature	



Health and Wellness Services Informed Consent

Legal Name:	Date of Birth:
Preferred Name/Pronouns:	Student ID#:

Thank you for choosing the Student Health and Wellness Center (HWC) at Irvine Valley College (IVC) as your service provider. The HWC provides medical, mental health, and wellness services to all enrolled IVC students regardless of their insurance coverage. This informed consent outlines how to access these services, the availability of resources, how providers address medical care and mental health concerns, and the confidentiality of records. By signing this consent, the student permits the HWC team to provide medical, wellness, and/or mental health services.

APPOINTMENTS

IVC students may schedule medical appointments online at health-appointments at (949) 451-5221. The students are advised to arrive on time to benefit from their appointment most. Late arrivals may be rescheduled. We ask that students who are unable to attend their appointment notify the HWC at least 24 hours in advance.

MEDICAL CARE SERVICES

The HWC recognizes that a variety of illnesses in the United States have preventable causes. To prevent these medical problems, healthy decisions are encouraged. The HWC offers routine/sports physicals, immunizations, medical consultations, sick illness care, and reproductive services that include but are not limited to birth control, sexually transmitted infections education, testing and treatment, pap smears, and breast exams. Other services include lab testing, medication distribution, and prescriptions.

MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

Mental health services often lead to an increase in healthy coping skills, improved relationships, and significant reductions in feelings of distress. These services are available and intended to meet the needs of the students. For therapy to be most effective the student will be encouraged to explore topics related to academic barriers, home life, and social support. The HWC therapists are mental health professionals who specialize in, but are not limited to anxiety, healthy relationships, identity exploration, depression, and trauma.

HEALTH AND WELLNESS CENTER CONSENT FORM, UPDATED 04/25/2025RV

^{*&}quot; Dependent adult" means a person regardless of whether the person lives independently, between the ages of 18 and 64 years who resides in this state and who has physical or mental limitations that restrict his or her ability to carry out normal activities or to protect his or her rights, including, but not limited to, a person who have physical or developmental disabilities, or whose physical or mental abilities have diminished because of age."



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Legal Name:	Date of Birth#:

They provide a confidential, non-judgmental environment, in a secure and private office. Students are allowed to orient themselves to the therapist and the therapy process.

Mental health services are short-term in nature to help students with problem identification followed by referring students to outside mental health resources for continuation of care as needed. After the initial session, the student and the therapist will determine if the HWC mental health services are the best fit for the student. If it is best for the student to be served by other agencies or professionals, then the therapist will refer the student to the appropriate community or campus resources.

CONFIDENTIALITY

Sessions between mental health therapists, medical healthcare providers, and students are strictly confidential. Information will not be shared with other departments on campus or outside resources without the student's written consent. All documentation taken by the mental health therapist or medical healthcare providers during therapy sessions or primary care visits shall not be disclosed to anyone without your written consent, including parent(s), spouse(s), friend(s), and /or college personnel. There are several exceptions to the rule of confidentiality, as mandated by law and proper agencies will be notified of the event/events when:

- Suspicion of abuse:
 - To a child under the age of 18 years old
 - Vulnerable/Dependent Adult*
 - Elderly people are over 60 years old
- You are in danger of harming yourself and others or causing considerable property damage.
- Experiencing food, shelter, and/or clothing insecurities.
- You use your mental health as a defense in litigation.

EMERGENCY SERVICES

The Student Health and Wellness Center <u>does not</u> provide crisis or emergency services. Should you need immediate healthcare services, please go to your nearest hospital, or dial 9-1-1 for life-threatening emergencies.

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Health and Wellness Services Informed Consent

STUDENT CONSENT

It is important for students who wish to seek services at the HWC to do the following:				
Read the Health and Wellness Services Informed Consent and fully understand the				
contents.				
Request and provide their consent to medical car	e/therapy services as describ	ed herein.		
☐ Understand the confidentiality of medical care/me	ntal health services.			
Understand their rights, limitations, and responsib	ilities as a recipient of these se	ervices.		
Know that proper conduct and behavior are expense.	cted of all who enter the HW	C, and Board Policy 5500		
Standards of Student Conduct and Discipline I	Procedures applies to all stu	dents. Any perceived or		
demonstrated student misconduct will be documer	ited and sent to the disciplinar	y officer in a written report		
detailing the incident. Additionally, the student	who showed misconduct ma	y be asked to leave the		
premises.				
MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES ONLY				
	vices at any time by informing	their therapist.		
If the therapist decides that services are not bene	, , ,	•		
continuation of care. If a student declines the suggested referral, the therapist may limit the number of future				
sessions.				
☐ Therapists can end a student-therapist relationsl	nip when it is clear the studer	nt is no longer benefiting,		
when services are no longer needed, or when therapy no longer serves the student's needs and/or				
interests.				
By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and	I fully understand the terms of	nd conditions outlined in		
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this consent document. I agree to receive medical, wellness, or mental health services from HWC, abide by the terms and conditions, and follow procedures set forth by the Irvine Valley College Student Health and				
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Patient Signature (must be over the age of 18 years old to sign)		Date:		
Parent/Legal Guardian/ Conservator Signature		Date:		

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	Head injury with unconsciousness			Headaches			Hearing problem	
	Heart disease			Heart Murmur			<u>'</u>	
	Hepatitis B disease			Hepatitis C disease				
	Low back pain			Migraine headaches			Neurologic problem(s)	
	Seizure Disorder			Sexually Transmitted Infectious Disease			Sinusitis	
	Skin Problem			Thyroid problem(s)			Vision Problem(s) Other:	
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Student ID #:
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