

Elk Grove Unified School District
CAREGIVER'S AUTHORIZATION AFFIDAVIT

Use of this affidavit is authorized by Part 1.5 (commencing with Section 6550) of Division 11 of the California Family Code.

Instructions: Completion of numbers 1– 4 and the signing of the affidavit is sufficient to authorize enrollment of a minor in school and authorize school-related medical care. Completion of numbers 5–8 is required to authorize any additional medical care. Print clearly.

The minor named below lives in my home, and I am 18 years of age or older.

1. Name of minor: _____
2. Minor's birth date: _____
3. My name (adult giving authorization): _____
4. My home address: _____

5. I am a grandparent, aunt, uncle, or other qualified* relative of the minor. _____ _____
(Check one) See back page for definition of qualified relative. yes no
6. Check one or both (if one parent was advised and the other cannot be located):
 - I have advised the parent(s) or other person(s) having legal custody of the minor of my intent to authorize medical care, and have received no objection.
 - I am unable to contact the parent(s) or other person(s) having legal custody of the minor at this time to notify them of my intended authorization.
7. My birth date: _____
8. My California driver's license* or I. D. number* : _____
*If you do not have this information, provide another form of identification, such as your social security number or Medi-Cal number.

Notices:

9. This declaration does not affect the rights of the minor's parents or legal guardian regarding the care, custody, and control of the minor, and does not mean that the *caregiver* has legal custody of the minor. _____ (initial)
10. This affidavit is not valid for more than one year after the date on which it is executed. _____ (initial)
11. If you are not a relative or currently licensed foster parent, the law requires you to obtain a foster home license in order to care for a minor. _____ (initial)

(If you have questions, please contact your local Department of Social Services.)
12. If the minor stops living with you, you are required to notify the school, health care provider, and/or health care service plan to whom you have given this affidavit. _____ (initial)

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To School Officials:

1. Section 48204 of the Education Code provides that this affidavit constitutes a sufficient basis for determination of residency of the minor, without the requirement of a guardianship or other custody order, unless the school district determines from actual facts that the minor is not living with the caregiver.
2. The school district requires proof of residence for evidence that the caregiver lives at the address provided in number four.

The caregiver must produce **ONE** of the following for enrollment:

- Property tax receipts for the current residence
- Mortgage statements in caregiver's name. If the home is under construction a title/deed or signed sales or purchase agreement in caregiver's name will be accepted. A current PG&E, SMUD bill that indicates location of service, or a mortgage payment must be presented to the school **within six months**
- Rental/Lease agreement – current or recently signed in caregiver's name. Additionally, two consecutive months of a current PG&E or SMUD bill in the caregiver's name must be presented to the school **within two months**

AND

Must also produce **ONE** of the following for enrollment:

- Caregiver's motor vehicle registration with current residence
 - Caregiver's driver's license with current residence
 - Court documents indicating caregiver's current residence
 - Payment verification (paid invoice, credit card receipt, cashed check) for **2** consecutive months of **2** of the following utilities: gas, electricity, water, or garbage for the current residence must be presented **within 2 months of enrollment**
 - Rent payment receipts for **2** consecutive months for the current residence must be presented **within 2 months of enrollment**
 - Documentation from the Department of Human Assistance with caregiver's current residence
3. Qualified relative means a spouse, parent, stepparent, brother, sister, stepbrother, stepsister, half-brother, half-sister, aunt, uncle, niece, nephew, first cousin, or any person denoted by the prefix "grand" or "great", or the spouse of any of the persons specified in this definition, even after the marriage has been terminated by death or dissolution.

To Health Care Providers and Health Care Service Plans:

1. No person, who acts in good faith reliance upon a caregiver's authorization affidavit to provide medical or dental care without actual knowledge of facts contrary to those stated on the affidavit, is subject to criminal or civil liability to any person, or subject to professional disciplinary action for such reliance if the applicable portions of the forms are completed.
2. This affidavit does not confer dependency for health care coverage purposes.

Comments:

NOTE: DO NOT SIGN THIS FORM IF ANY OF THE STATEMENTS ARE INCORRECT OR YOU WILL BE COMMITTING A CRIME PUNISHABLE BY A FINE, IMPRISONMENT, OR BOTH. (Family Code 6550-6552)

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

(Signature)

(Date)