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IMPORTANT: Legal Documents For Your College Student

To The Parents Of:

Mikaela Stevens 3468 Bronson Road Roanoke, VA 24001 Dear Parent or Guardian,

Did you know that once your student turns 18 and heads off to college, you're not entitled to get their financial, health or other sensitive information, even if you're paying their bills?

It's true, and it happens more often than you think.

That's why many parents who want to stay involved in their student's life while they're in college sign up for Student Legal Forms, a new service that furnishes you with the right forms to access your student's personal records – and makes it <u>quick</u>, easy and inexpensive to complete.

You'll get 100% legally binding documents that comply with your state's requirements and give you the authority to make decisions and take action on your student's behalf.

<u>Student Legal Forms gives you peace of mind by having all the paperwork in place</u> to support your student before an emergency, such as a Covid-related diagnosis, car accident, mental health concern, or other trauma.

By acting now, you'll be able to calmly fill out the Student Legal Forms below, instead of when you're in the middle of an actual emergency:

- **HIPAA Authorization:** Permits healthcare providers to disclose medical information to parents, especially valuable when sudden illness occurs
- **Durable Medical Power of Attorney:** Allows parents to make medical decisions and direct their student's care in case of an emergency
- **Durable Financial Power of Attorney:** Allows parents to access rental units, pay bills and student loans, and manage a student's affairs if they are unable

Get Student Legal Forms for only 49 - a savings of 50 off the regular 99 rate – and save yourself hundreds of dollars in legal fees at the same time.

Enrollment is fast and easy. **Just visit studentlegalforms.com** and complete a few basic fields so the forms include your student's information. Then complete payment and execute the forms, and you will be fully prepared.

Student Legal Forms is just like an insurance policy: You may never need them, but <u>you'll be</u> <u>prepared in case of an emergency</u>. Go to **studentlegalforms.com** now while this letter is still in your hand.

Sincerely,

Name Title Student Legal Forms

P.S. Act now to be prepared. Your reply may be the difference in smoothly handling an emergency for your student. See the reverse of this letter to see why Student Legal Forms is essential for giving you the power to act to protect your student's safety. Enroll at **studentlegalforms.com** to be fully protected.

Student Legal Forms Fills a Critical Need

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NATIONAL LAW REVIEW

Three Critical Legal Documents Every Parent of a College Student Should Get in Place As Soon As Possible

Tuesday, September 26, 2017

As a soon-to-be college freshman many years ago, I was preoccupied with selecting roommates, finding bacteria-resistant shower shoes, and dreaming about the incredible freedom my 18-year-old adult self would have. Of course, it never occurred to me that it would have been prudent to have certain legal documents in place to make sure my parents could intervene on my behalf if I were injured, ill or incapacitated while I was away at school. This never occurred to my parents either! In fact, my mother and father did not fully appreciate that when I turned 18, at least in the eyes of the law, they no longer had any dominion over me. Now that I am an estate planning attorney, I realize how lucky my parents and I were that I got through four years of undergrad and three years of law school unscathed. In hindsight, my parents and I would have enjoyed much greater peace of mind had we taken the following advice. Parents are strongly advised to get these three simple documents in place before your adult child goes to or returns to college...

THE WALL STREET JOURNAL.

Documents You Need When a Child Turns 18

Parents who want access to information on an adult child's health, finances or college grades need the child's permission in writing.

By Cheryl Winokur Munk Nov. 29, 2017 11:18 am ET

A lot of things change when a child turns 18. But one of the biggest is also one of the most surprising to a lot of parents: Once children turn 18, parents can no longer make legal decisions for them or receive information about them that is considered private, unless they have the children's permission. And not having that permission can be particularly problematic when a child is away at college. For instance, parents can't be notified of a student's grades at college or enrollment status without written permission from the student. Parents also won't necessarily know about any bills in the student's name that are outstanding. Most disturbing, without express consent from the child, parents can't get details of their child's medical condition "and they no longer have the [legal] ability to make decisions" regarding the child's health-care treatment, says Therese R. Nicklas, a certified financial planner and president of Wealth Coach Freshman Forms Fills a Critical Need for Women Inc. in Rockland, Mass...

The New York Times

Beyond a Parent's Reach: When a Child Legally Becomes an Adult

By Alina Tugend

Oct. 31, 2014

A COLLEGE freshman walked to a hospital emergency room at midnight and said she feared that she was going to harm herself. Twelve hours later, after it was determined that she was no longer in danger, she decided to call her parents — but only after a long conversation with a nurse at the hospital about whether she wanted to talk with family members about her experience. "It was initially a shock to realize that if this had happened the day before, we would have been called immediately," said her mother, who asked to be identified only by her middle name, Jo, to protect her daughter's privacy. Why the difference? The daughter turned 18 at midnight that night and by law had the right to keep the episode private — even from her own parents and even though they would ultimately pick up the bill ...



When Jennifer Morrison learned her daughter Haley had been injured at school, she called the hospital to find out what was going on. Because Haley was 18, the hospital would not give her any information. Later, when Haley needed surgery, Jennifer had to spend hours collecting IDs and documents to prove she was next of kin time she should have been spending with Haley and her doctors.

Gain peace of mind knowing that you are prepared for situations like these. Go to studentlegalforms.com



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Gives you the Authority to Act

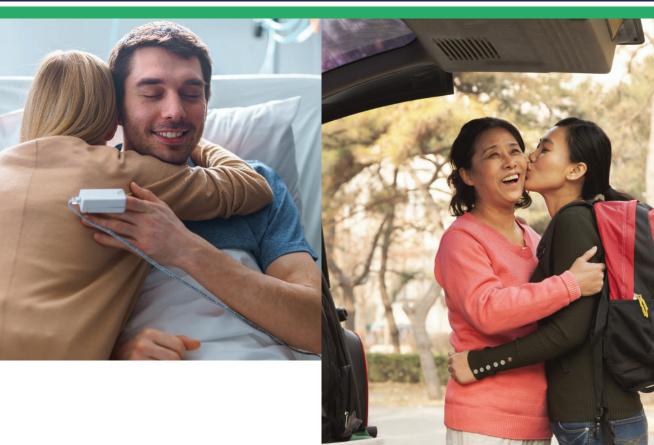
Student Legal Forms provides you with documents that guarantee your ability to be fully informed and authorized to act in your child's medical, financial, and legal emergencies. You have this authority even in common situations such as a term abroad, spring break or deployment.

Enjoy peace of mind knowing that if needed, you can:

- Obtain medical information or make medical decisions for your son or daughter
- Manage bank and investment accounts, insurance policies, taxes and benefits, student loans and financial aid
- Handle your child's issues related to Covid and other illnesses
- Represent your child in interactions with credit card companies, creditors, landlords, insurance companies, child's employer, government agencies, college administration, etc.

Don't Wait Until an Emergency Hits To Lock in Your Decision-Making Power

Be Prepared to Help Your College Student in an Emergency with Student Legal Forms



Get started right here: studentlegalforms.com



Start your child's college career right with Student Legal Forms

When your child turns 18, their health, financial and other sensitive information will no longer be accessible to you unless you have permission in writing. **Student Legal Forms** provides you with these critical documents in one place —quickly, easily and inexpensively.

Here's how...

Q: What forms will I get? Forms like HIPAA Authorization (to get

medical information), Durable Medical
 Power of Attorney (to make medical decisions for your child), and Durable
 Financial Power of Attorney (to manage financial decisions if your child can't).

Q: Why do I need these forms?

They provide you with the ability to act on your student's behalf when needed, in an emergency or anytime they are otherwise unavailable.

Q: Are these forms official and recognized?

Yes. You'll get forms that are **100%** Legally Approved. And because each state may be different, you'll get forms that comply with your state's requirements.

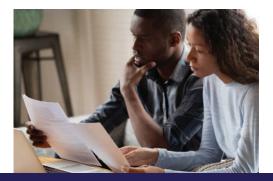
Q: Could a lawyer handle this for me instead?

Sure, but it could cost you hundreds
of dollars in legal fees to get the same

forms that Student Legal Forms provides at a fraction of the cost.

Q: How much does Student Legal Forms cost?

Regularly \$99, but you can get them at a special price of only \$49 if you act now. Our fee is much less than an attorney would charge.





Absolutely. You can do it in three simple steps:

- Go to studentlegalforms.com and answer a few short questions to record your student's data accurately.
- 2 Submit payment of only \$49 using our secure online website.
- We'll immediately email you the documents. All you have to do is sign and notarize them and you're all set. The process is quick, clear and simple.

Act now by going to studentlegalforms.com to sign up.

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