Student Benefits Waiver Form

This waiver form is to be used by students who have been enrolled in the Nova Scotia Community College student health and/or dental plan(s) administered by Gallivan & Associates Student Networks (G&A), but wish to waive the coverage for such plan(s) because he/she currently has comparable coverage. Please complete this form and submit it along with confirmation of existing coverage to the Benefits Plan Office (Institute of Technology Campus, Room B-254-A) WITHIN 30 DAYS FROM THE START DATE OF YOUR FULLTIME PROGRAM. **Please note: For students in the Adult Learning Program, the waiver is due at least 2 weeks prior to the start of your program.** This waiver period has been agreed upon by the Nova Scotia Community College. NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE MADE.

PLEASE NOTE: For the student's convenience, after the initial waiver form is processed, the benefits are automatically waived each subsequent school year as long as you remain an eligible student (please contact the Student Benefits Plan Office for the definition of "eligible student"). If you lose the comparable coverage used to waive the health and/or dental plan(s), you must notify the Student Service Co-ordinator within **30 days** to be covered by the Student Benefits Plan.

INCOMPLETE WAIVER FORMS INCLUDING THOSE SUBMITTED OR FAXED WITHOUT CONFIRMATION OF EXISTING COVERAGE WILL NOT BE PROCESSED.

Confirmation of existing coverage must show the name of the insurance company providing coverage and the policy number. The easiest way for you to provide confirmation of coverage is by presenting a copy of a benefits card or a confirmation letter from the employer/insurance company. Confirmation may also be provided by presenting other documents such as a recent statement of claim, web page print-out or other insurance company document identifying you, the insurer and the policy number.
Once we confirm coverage, we DO NOT retain any confirmation documentation that you provide to us.

STUDENT INFORMATION

Last Name ______ First Name ______ Initial ______ Gender ______ Date of Birth (D D M M Y Y)

Mailing Address ______ City/Province ______ Postal Code ______

Program Name ______ Program Start Date (D D M M Y Y) Student ID Number ______

Email Address ______

EXISTING COVERAGE INFORMATION

I have existing extended health coverage and wish to use that coverage to waive the Student Extended Health Plan coverage.

☐ Yes ☐ No ______ Insurer's Name ______ Policy No.

I have existing dental coverage and wish to use that coverage to waive the Student Dental Plan coverage.

☐ Yes ☐ No ______ Insurer's Name ______ Policy No.

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING BEFORE SIGNING THIS FORM:
I wish to decline the student health and/or dental plan(s) coverage. Comparable health and/or dental coverage is presently provided for me under another insurance plan in addition to my provincial health care. I acknowledge that as a result of this waiver, I forfeit all rights to coverage otherwise available to me under the student health and/or dental plan(s). I realize that I will not be able to rejoin the plan(s) until I enrol next year or unless I cease to be covered by my existing plan and apply within **30 days**. I **MUST** come into the Student Benefits Plan Office to reinstate coverage. I understand that I would have been able to claim under my existing insurance as well as under the student health and/or dental plan(s), thereby increasing my coverage.

I understand that the information provided above is required in order for me to waive the extended health and/or dental coverage. I hereby authorize and consent to the use, release and exchange of the above information between the educational institution, the student organization, Gallivan & Associates, third party service providers and the insurance carrier(s) to be used solely in connection with the administration of the Student Benefits Plan. I confirm that all the information provided by me herein is accurate. I understand that it is solely my responsibility to ensure that the Student Benefits Plan Office has received and approved my waiver application.

X ______ Student Signature ( ) - Phone (D D M M Y Y) Date

YOU MUST SUBMIT THIS WAIVER PRIOR TO 4:00 p.m. ON THE ASSIGNED DEADLINE DATE

If you are not delivering this waiver with your proof of coverage in person, please use the on-line opt out as you will recieve a reply email with a confirmation number.

OFFICE USE ONLY (D D M M Y Y) Processing Date ______ Processed By ______ Confirmation Number

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