

## COACH ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

### Acknowledgement of Risk and responsibilities regarding Coronavirus – COVID-19

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organisation. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result the Australian and NSW Governments have introduced Public Health Orders to control the pandemic.

Riding for the Disabled Association (NSW) has introduced risk management processes to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, cannot guarantee that you will not become infected with COVID-19. Further, attending RDA(NSW) Centres could increase your risk and your families risk of contracting COVID-19.

As an RDA(NSW) Coach or RDA(NSW) Assistant Coach I understand that my role requires me to undertake the following duties:

- ☐ Complete the Australian Health Department COVID-19 Training online
- ☐ Implement the Risk Management processes outlined in the RDA(NSW) COVIDSafe Plan
- ☐ Determine the risk assessments of individual participants in consultation with Parent / Carers and Medical Consent forms prior to their involvement in RDA(NSW) programs
- ☐ Provide all Volunteers with COVID-19 Awareness Training prior to their participation in RDA(NSW) Programs under the COVIDSafe plan
- ☐ Adhere to the requirements of each Recovery Level of the RDA(NSW) COVIDSafe Plan.
- ☐ Ensure that PPE is used as required
- ☐ Assign tasks to Volunteers according to their willingness, capability and training considering their vulnerability

Furthermore:

- ☐ I have been provided with information and training regarding RDA(NSW) COVIDSafe Plan and my responsibilities.
- ☐ I will not coerce, force or insist that Volunteers undertake tasks that they do not feel comfortable in undertaking.
- ☐ I agree that if the situation arises that I will act within my responsibility as an RDA(NSW) Coach or Assistant Coach to provide emergency assistance to the participant by either an emergency dismount or first aid procedures.

I require the additional support or PPE to help minimise risks to myself and others:

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Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_