

Dear Health Care Provider:

If the student who has provided you with this letter has been granted a medical withdrawal from the University of Virginia, he/she must receive “medical clearance” prior to his/her reenrollment. Typically students accomplish this by obtaining treatment and having their physician provide appropriate documentation to the Department of Student Health General Medicine. This documentation is reviewed for evidence that sufficient improvement has occurred and that the student’s medical condition does not pose significant risk to the student’s future academic performance.

The attached form will facilitate your providing documentation of the above. It must be received and reviewed at Student Health prior to a student’s reenrollment. If you prefer to provide a narrative report that covers the same information requested, that is also acceptable. Please keep in mind that the more detail you provide, the more we will be able to rely upon your recommendation without having to request an additional clinical assessment of the student.

Once this information is received, and if you are supportive of the student’s intent to return to the university, the student will likely be allowed to reenroll. We very much appreciate your cooperation in supplying us with the above information at the appropriate time.

Sincerely,

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