**CLARK UNIVERSITY HEALTH SERVICES**

**AUTHORIZATION TO TREAT A MINOR**

 **(Complete only if your child is under 18 years old)**

Massachusetts law requires a parent or guardian’s consent for medical treatment of a minor. If your child/dependent is a student, or attending a program, at Clark University, the following form must be completed.

 I, \_\_\_­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ am the parent/guardian of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_,

date of birth \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_, who is currently a minor.

 I authorize Clark University Health Services to provide routine medical and/or mental health care to my child/dependent, including but not limited to, diagnostic examinations, medical treatment and mental health counseling.

I understand that if an injury/illness is determined to be life-threatening, arrangements will be made to take my child/dependent to a hospital and that Clark University Health Services will make every effort to contact me.

 I understand there are certain conditions, such as pregnancy, sexually transmitted diseases and drug/alcohol addiction, for which my minor child/dependent may consent to treatment without my knowledge.

 I further understand that once my child/dependent reaches the age of 18, my consent for any treatment is no longer required.

By my signature, I acknowledge that I have read and understand this authorization, and that any questions I have prior to signing can be answered by calling Clark University Health Services at 508-793-7467.

 (Parent/guardian signature): \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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

PARENT/GUARDIAN EMERGENCY CONTACTS: Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Name:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Phone:\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_