



WAIVER for non-Acadian student riders

Date: _____

Name of EMS school/training agency: _____

Due to the ongoing need for EMS student skills training and clinical experiences during the COVID pandemic, and due to the unknown duration of the pandemic, Acadian Ambulance Service Inc (AASI) has determined it will once again allow non-Acadian EMS students to do clinical ride outs on Acadian ambulances. Until further notice, ride-outs will only be allowed for students attending an EMS school or academy that has a training agreement with AASI, or who have obtained special permission from the Operations Manager of the area and Medical Director.

I attest that I have reviewed the following with the named student prior to his/her ride out with an AASI crew:

- 1) Student must self-monitor him/herself for any signs of COVID. If a student has any signs of COVID or a fever over 99.0°F, he/she shall not ride on an AASI ambulance and should report this to the school/academy supervisor immediately. Further ride-outs will only be allowed after proof of a negative COVID exam or, in the case of a positive COVID exam, that he/she has met CDC criteria for return to work in the healthcare field.
- 2) Student shall wear appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE), to be supplied by his/her EMS school/academy, at all times during patient care. This includes gloves, N95 or higher mask, and eye protection for every patient encounter, and a gown for cardiac arrest patients or patients requiring aerosol-generating procedures.
- 3) Student shall wear a face-covering at all times while on his or her ride out and not performing patient care, including in stations, in public, and in the ambulance.
- 4) Student shall not be involved in patient care for any patients who are confirmed or suspected to have COVID-19. In this instance, the student shall remain in the cab of the ambulance for the duration of that call.

Name of AASI employee reviewing requirements

Name of student

Signature of AASI employee

Signature of student