

Assumption of the Risk and Waiver of Liability Relating to Coronavirus/COVID-19

The novel coronavirus, COVID-19, has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization. COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to spread mainly from person-to-person contact. As a result, federal, state, and local governments and federal and state health agencies recommend social distancing and have, in many locations, prohibited the congregation of groups of people.

Dance Et Cetera (“the Studio”) has put preventative measures in place to reduce the spread of COVID-19; however, the **Studio** cannot guarantee that you or your child(ren) will not become infected with COVID-19. All **Studio** instructors, employees, agents and representatives will act within the safe distancing guidelines which are currently in place as set out by state and local government officials. You and your child(ren) are responsible for maintaining a safe distance from other **Studio** participants and their families.

Further, attending the Studio could increase your and your child(ren)’s risk of contracting COVID-19.

By signing this agreement, you acknowledge that your child(ren) attending or participating in any **Studio** classes or activities is strictly optional and not required, and that attending **Studio** classes or activities could increase your and your child(ren)’s risk of contracting COVID-19. Due to the contagious nature of COVID-19 you assume the risks and accept sole responsibility for any injury to your child(ren) or yourself (including, but not limited to, personal injury, disability, and death), illness, damage, loss, claim, liability, or expense, of any kind, that you or your child(ren) may experience or incur in connection with your child(ren)’s attendance at the **Studio** or participation in **Studio** programming (“Claims”). Further, you understand that the risk of becoming exposed to or infected by COVID-19 at the **Studio** may result from the actions, omissions, or negligence of including, but not limited to, **Studio** owner(s), employees, volunteers, other participants and their families whether a COVID-19 infection occurs before, during, or after participation in any **Studio** program. On behalf of yourself and your child(ren), you hereby release, covenant not to sue, discharge, and hold harmless the **Studio**, its employees, agents, representatives and other participants, from all Claims, including all liabilities, claims, actions, damages, costs or expenses of any kind arising out of or relating thereto.

Should the Studio need to close due to COVID-19 affecting the local community, tuition will still be due as usual. Virtual classes will be made available daily. Should you decide to drop or quit your commitment to classes and tuition, you must follow the proper drop protocol, as listed in the registration packet or you will continue to be billed for your child(ren)’s tuition.

Further, by signing this agreement you give authorization to **Studio** representatives to obtain medical assistance for your child(ren) if there is a medical emergency or medical attention is required in the event you are not available. You assume all financial responsibility for any medical treatment or injuries sustained by your child(ren) while attending and/or participating in **Studio** activities or classes.

Signature of parent or guardian

Date

Print name of parent or guardian

Name(s) of Studio participant(s)
