

APPENDIX A
INSURANCE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Instructions:

Please read the statement below. After reading the statement, please sign and date the form acknowledging that you have read and understood the content of the paragraph. This form must be returned to the university supervisor before an intern can begin her/his internship.

Winthrop University assumes no responsibility for the student's personal liability. An intern working for an outside agency is legally and financially liable, if another person is injured as a result of an intern's action or omission of duty to act. Public agencies, city, county, state and federal, provide liability coverage to the intern. Private or commercial agencies may or may not. Paid interns are considered employees of the agency and are entitled to liability and insurance coverage. Unpaid interns may be covered for liability but not for insurance. While most full-time undergraduate students have health and liability insurance coverage through their parent's homeowner policy, it is recommended that the issue of insurance be completely understood to all parties prior to undertaking the internship. Internship agencies vary greatly in terms of benefits and provisions for their interns. Student may also want to consider private short-term liability insurance plans. Such policies are available through professional organizations.

Print Name: _____

Intern's Signature: _____

Date: _____