# 2024-2025 NORTH DAKOTA DECA CODE OF CONDUCT PARENT OR GUARDIAN PERMISSION FORM



Each member of North Dakota DECA must complete this form with all appropriate signatures. No member shall represent or participate in a DECA activity until this form is completed. North Dakota DECA is co-curricular with marketing education which is supported by the North Dakota Department of Career and Technical Education. A copy of this form must be submitted to North Dakota DECA with the chapter membership.

## For more information contact the state advisor at 701-328-3182.

- The term "delegate" shall mean any DECA member attending conferences.
- There shall be no defacing of public property. Any damage to any property or furnishing in the hotel rooms or building must be paid for by the individual or chapter responsible.
- Delegates must wear identification badges and wristbands at all times when provided at each conference.
- Delegates shall refrain from using inappropriate or profane language at all times.
- Delegates shall refrain from verbal, physical or sexual harassment, hazing or name-calling.
- Delegates shall respect the rights and safety of other hotel guests.
- Delegates shall not possess alcoholic beverages, narcotics or weapons in any form at any time under any circumstances.
- Delegates shall refrain from gambling—playing cards, dice or games of chance for money or other things of value unless it is a sanctioned activity of the conference.
- Use of tobacco products, E-cigarettes or any tobacco product substitute by delegates, is prohibited at all DECA functions.
- Delegates must adhere to the dress code at all times. (See dress code provided for each DECA Conference) Tasteful casual wear will be accepted during
  specific social functions as designated during orientation. See the dress code for acceptable attire at specific functions.
- Delegates must not dress or behave in a manner than can be interpreted as sexually explicit.
- Students shall keep their adult advisors and chaperones informed of their activities and whereabouts at all times. No delegate shall leave the hotel (except for authorized events) unless permission has been received from their chapter or/and state advisor.
- Delegates should be prompt and prepared for all activities.
- Delegates should be financially prepared for all activities.
- Delegates are required to attend all sessions and activities assigned including workshops, competitive events, committee meetings, etc. for which they are
  registered unless engaged in some specific assignment scheduled at the same time.
- Delegates will spend nights at their <u>assigned</u> hotel and in their <u>assigned</u> room. DECA members from the host chapter(s) are not allowed to stay in the hotel and must be out of the hotel at curfew without special permission from the state advisor.
- Delegates may not have a member of the opposite sex/gender in a room without an adult present. The common areas of the hotel (lobby, conference center, pool area) are appropriate for visitation.
- Delegates will be quiet at curfew. Curfew will be enforced. Curfew means the delegate will be in his/her <u>assigned</u> room. Local advisors MUST do physical room checks of each room at curfew at each conference. Chapter meetings are encouraged at the end of each day at each conference.
- Chapter associations will be responsible for delegates' conduct.
- Delegates ignoring or violating any of the above rules will subject their entire delegation to being unseated and their candidates or competitive events
  participants to being disqualified. Individual delegates may be sent home immediately at their own expense.
- DECA members must follow all rules of the North Dakota High School Activities Association. School policies will also be enforced.

## Page 2 must be completed and signed, then submitted with membership.

#### NORTH DAKOTA DECA 2024-2025 CODE OF CONDUCT/MEDICAL RELEASE PARENT OR GUARDIAN PERMISSION FORM





Name of DECA Member	
Address	City/State/Zip
Name of School Chapter	Date of Birth
Name of Insurance Company	Policy Number
Known drug allergies	Cell Phone Number
History of: (check if applicable)	Asthma Epilepsy Rheumatic Fever
Dietary (explain)	Other (explain)
Medication currently being taken:	
Any physical restrictions or other conditions?	
In the event we are unable to reach you, please list name and telephone number of either nearest relative and/or family physician.	

#### MEMBER OBLIGATION

I have read the Code of Conduct for North Dakota DECA. While attending any DECA Function, I will make sure that my attitude, conduct and appearance will be such as to reflect credit to my chapter, school, community and our State Association. I will follow policies of the conference, school, and the North Dakota High School Activities Association.

Name of Student

Phone Number

Signature of Student \_\_\_\_\_

#### PARENT or GUARDIAN OBLIGATION

I, the parent/guardian of the above-named student have read the Code of Conduct and agree to the policy of the organization. I permit the adult advisors/chaperones to routinely check member's room to insure that students adhere to policies established by DECA and the local school district. In the event of an emergency, I do voluntarily authorize medical services to be administered and/or obtained for the above-named person as deemed necessary in medical judgment and in accordance with the above confidential information. I agree to indemnify and hold harmless, DECA, the Career and Technical Student Organizations and/or assistants and designees for any and all claims, demands, actions, rights of action, or judgments by or on behalf of the above named person arising from or on account of said procedures or treatment rendered in good faith and according to accepted medical standards. We agree to pay all costs incurred due to not following the Code of Conduct.

Name of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent/Guardian

### MEDIA PERMISSION

We authorize Career and Technical Student Organizations and DECA to distribute for publication the above member's name and/or picture and any results (examples would include: printed publications, web pages, social media, radio, etc. of leadership activities or competition, etc.).

Signature of Student Signature of Parent/Guardian