

**Acknowledgment of Spring Into Health – 5K Run Participant Responsibility,  
Express Assumption of Risk, and Release of Liability**

I understand that I may be exposed to a variety of hazards and risks, foreseen and unforeseen, during my participation in the Spring Into Health – 5K Run in Townshend, VT on Saturday, May 14, 2011. These risks are inherent in any 5K run, and cannot be eliminated without destroying the unique character of such an event. These inherent risks include, but are not limited to, the dangers of serious personal injury, property damage, and death from exposure to the hazards of running on paved and dirt roads. I know that injury and damage can occur by natural causes or activities of other persons, animals, participants or organizers, either as a result of negligence or because of other reasons. The undersigned hereby consents to receive medical treatment which may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident or illness during the Spring Into Health – 5K Run.

To the fullest extent allowed by law, I agree to Waive, Discharge Claims, and Release from Liability Grace Cottage Hospital, its officers, directors, employees, agents and race volunteers from any and all liability on account of, in any way resulting from injuries and damages, even if caused by negligence of Grace Cottage Hospital, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and race volunteers. I further agree to Hold Harmless Grace Cottage Hospital, its officers, directors, employees, agents and volunteers from any claims, damages, injuries or losses caused by my own negligence while a participant in the Spring Into Health – 5K Run. I understand that this assumption of risk and release is binding upon my heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, and includes any minors accompanying me on the Spring Into Health – 5K Run.

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

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

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If you are under age 18, your parent or legal guardian must sign this agreement on your behalf.

*I hereby agree and consent to the above Agreement on behalf of:*

Name of Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Age of Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent or Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_