Oregon School Boards Association Selected Sample Policy Code: GCBDA/GDBDA-AR(3)(D) Revised/Reviewed:

# **Military Family Leave**

Certification for Serious Injury or Illness of Covered Servicemember for Military Family Leave

# Notice and instructions to the district:

The Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) provides that a district may require an employee seeking FMLA leave due to a serious injury or illness of a covered servicemember to submit a certification providing sufficient facts to support the request for leave. Employees may not be asked to provide more information than allowed under the FMLA regulations. The district will maintain records and documents relating to medical certification, recertifications or medical histories of employees or employees' family member, created for FMLA purposes, as confidential medical records in separate files from personnel files and in accordance with 29 C.F.R. § 1630.14(c)(1), if the Americans with Disabilities Act applies.

## Section 1

## Part A: Employee information

Complete the employee and covered servicemember information below before giving this form to your family member or his/her medical provider.

District name and address

Name of employee requesting leave to care for covered servicemember:

First		Middle	Last					
Name	e of covered ser	vicemember fo	or whom employee is requesting	leave to care:				
First		Middle	Last					
Relati	ionship of emp	loyee to covere	ed servicemember requesting lea	ve to care:				
□ Spouse □ Parent		□ Son □ Daughter	□ Next of kin					
Part	B: Covered se	rvicemember	information					
1.	veteran? $\square$ Y	a current servicemember, please provide the covered servicemember's military branch, rank and unit currently						
	If a veteran y	when was the d	ate of discharge?					

Is the covered servicemember assigned to a military medical treatment facility as an outpatient or to a unit established for the purpose of providing command and control of members of the Armed Forces receiving medical care as outpatients (such as medical hold or warrior transition unit)?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No

If yes, provide the name of the medical facility or unit:

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Ζ.	is the covered	servicemember	on the remp	Jorary Disability	/ Retifed List (	IDKL)		□ No

## Part C: Care to be provided to the covered servicemember

Describe the care to be provided to the covered servicemember and an estimate of the leave needed to provide the care:

#### Section 2:

# To be completed by United States Department of Defense (DOD) health care provider or a health care provider who is either: 1) A United States Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) health care provider; 2) A DOD TRICARE network authorized private health care provider; or 3) A DOD non-network TRICARE authorized private health care provider.

If you are unable to make certain of the military-related determinations contained below in Part B, you are permitted to rely upon determinations from an authorized DOD representative (such as a DOD recovery care coordinator). Please ensure that Section 1 above has been completed before completing this section. Please be sure to sign the form on the last page.

#### Part A: Health care provider information

Health care provider's name and business address:

Type of practice/Medical speciality:
Please state whether you are either: 1) DD health care provider; 2) A VA health care provider; 3) A DOD TRICARE networ authorized private health care provider; 4) A DOD non-network TRICARE authorized private care provider:

 Telephone (\_\_\_\_\_)
 Fax (\_\_\_\_)
 Email \_\_\_\_\_

# Part B: Medical status

- 1. Covered servicemember's medical condition is classified as (check one of the appropriate boxes):
  - (VSI) Very Seriously Ill/Injured Illness/Injury is of such a severity that life is imminently endangered. Family members are requested at the bedside immediately. (Please note this is an internal DOD casualty assistance designation used by DOD healthcare providers.)
  - (SI) Seriously Ill/Injured Illness/Injury is of such severity that there is cause for immediate concern, but there is no imminent danger to life. Family members are requested at bedside. (Please note this is an internal DOD casualty assistance designation used by DOD healthcare providers.)
  - □ Other Ill/Injured A serious injury or illness that may render the servicemember medically unfit to perform the duties of the member's office, grade, rank or rating.
  - □ None of the above. (Note to employee: If this box is checked, you may still be eligible to take leave to care for a covered family member with a "serious health condition". If such leave is requested, you may be required to complete the form *Certification of Health Care Provider for Family Member's Serious Health Condition*.)

2. Was the condition for which the covered servicemember is being treated incurred in the line of duty on active duty in the armed force? 
□ Yes □ No

If no, did the condition exist before the beginning of active duty and aggravated by service in the line of duty while on active duty?  $\Box$  Yes $\Box$  No

- 3. Appropriate date condition commenced:
- 4. Probable duration of condition and/or need for care:
- 5. Is the covered servicemember undergoing medical treatment, recuperation or therapy? 
  Query Yes No If yes, please describe medical treatment, recuperation or therapy:

#### Part C: Covered servicemember's need for care by family member

- Will the covered servicemember need care for a single continuous period of time, including any time for treatment and recovery? □ Yes □ No
   If yes, estimate the beginning and ending dates for this period of time: \_\_\_\_\_\_
- 2. Will the covered servicemember require periodic follow-up treatment appointments? □ Yes □ No If yes, estimate the treatment schedule:
- 3. Is there a medical necessity for the servicemember to have periodic care for these follow-up treatment appointment? □ Yes □ No
- Is there a medical necessity for the covered servicemember to have periodic care for other than scheduled follow-up treatment appointments (e.g., episodic flare-ups of medical conditions)?□ Yes □ No
   If yes, estimate the frequency and duration of the periodic care.

Signature of health care provider

Date

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