

**Simulation and Laboratory Immersion
Agreement and Consent for Allied Health Students
Allied Health Department | Mineral Area College**

The Allied Health Department at Mineral Area College is collaborating with the Theater Department to provide full immersion simulation and laboratory experiences with standardized patient and participant actors. The purpose of this partnership is to provide realistic patient scenarios for Allied Health students while simultaneously providing Theater students a combination of scripted and ab libitum playacting experiences.

Simulation is an attempt to replicate reality. A simulation laboratory experience allows Allied Health students to participate in life-like situations and Theater students to participate in real life acting assignments. Theater students will approach simulation situations, scenarios and simulations as if they involve actual patient and medical staff interactions.

Allied Health instructors will create simulation scenarios in cooperation with course theory and content. Simulation immersion actors will receive a pre-briefing setting the stage for a simulation experience. Actors may participate as patients, family members or in other capacities as seen fit by the instructor for educational purposes.

As an Allied Health Department student, I hereby acknowledge that participants outside of the Allied Health Department faculty and program students may be present and active participants during both practice and graded simulation and laboratory experiences.

Allied Health Department student performance is strictly confidential, as is simulation scenario details and outcomes. I am aware that simulation immersion actors must consent to a confidentiality agreement by signature before being allowed to participate. Likewise, Allied Health students may not discuss or disclose the personal or academic performance of simulation immersion actors outside of peer educational context lead by an instructor.

Allied Health Department students and simulation immersion actors participating in simulation scenarios must adhere to all student and laboratory guidelines and regulations as indicated in the applicable Allied Health Department student handbook, as well as the Mineral Area College guidelines and regulations.

Student Printed Name

Date

MAC Student ID

Student Signature