### girl scouts western oklahoma

### How To File a Claim



The Claim Form (Ml8979) is prepared by the Girl Scout volunteer or another authorized person, usually one who was at the scene of the accident and familiar with the circumstances.

#### **Volunteer's or Other Activity Representative's Procedures:**

When a Girl Scout, Adult Member or other participant is injured during a supervised Girl Scout activity, the volunteer should follow these directions to claim benefits.

- 1. Have Parent/Guardian of injured participant or injured adult participant complete and sign appropriate sections of claim form.
- 2. Volunteer or Activity Representative must complete and sign the front of the Claim Form as soon as reasonably possible. Be sure to provide all the information required to expedite processing and to avoid delay.
- 3. Submit an itemized bill complete with diagnosis, date(s) and procedure code(s).
- 4. Retain one copy of the completed claim form for your records.
- 5. Send the original to the Council for validation along with any available bills for covered expenses which have been incurred.

#### Claims will not be processed without Council signature.

\* NOTE: The address section on the claim form must be the Claimant's Home Address, not the Council or Resident Camp address or the address where the covered event was held.

#### **Council Procedures:**

- 1. The Council receives the completed Claim Form and reviews for: membership status or purchase of Optional Insurance, eligibility, presence of a bill and that the activity information provided is sufficient to confirm the claim is for a Girl Scout related accident or illness.
- 2. The Activity Information section shown on the Claim Form must be completed. When marking this section, exercise good judgment (i.e. *while at camp a girl falls over a log while walking across the beach*; the Aquatic section should not be marked as she was not in or on the water. The appropriate section is Slips/Falls and Other [carpet, log, stairs, etc.]).
- 3. Council Official must sign the form.
- 4. Councils should not sign blank forms and release them to Troop Leaders.

# Remember, United of Omaha relies on the Council to verify that the claim is for a Girl Scout related accident (or illness).

- 5. Mark all appropriate levels (e.g., a Girl Scout Senior is serving as a Day Camp Aide or Resident Camp Counselor, check 4. Senior and 9. Seasonal Staff).
- 6. Retain one copy of the claim form for Council records. Send the original (with any bills) to:

United of Omaha Life Insurance Company Special Risk Services P.O. Box 31156 Omaha, NE 68131

## Questions on insurance claims should be referred to the P.O. Box number above or call 1-800-524-2324.

Only the Insurance Company can interpret the coverage as it applies to a specific claim. United of Omaha cannot answer Girl Scout program questions.

### Girl Scouts of the U.S.A. Claim Form

Special Risk Services P.O. Box 31156 Omaha, Nebraska 68131 1-800-524-2324



Claimant Informati	on – All Questions Mu	st Be Answered			
Claim is made under the following Plan 1 – Basic Coverage Plan 3E – Extended Event Plan 3P – Extended Event Plan 3PI – International Exter International Inbound	-	Enrollment Request ID: (Applicable to Optional Coverages only)			
Name of claimant		Identification Number	Age	Date of Birth	
Claimant's address	Number and Street	City	State	ZIP Code	
If claimant is a minor, name of pa	rent or guardian		Phone Numbe		
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Address of parent or guardian	Number and Street	City	State	ZIP Code	
Father, Guardian or Claimant's (if Employer's Name and Address:		ur denial notice. Include itemized bills.			
Mother, Guardian or Spouse's Em Name and Address:			Phone No. () _		
			Phone No. () _		
Name of all companies providing	your insurance coverage or prepa	id health plans.			
Name	e of Company	Address	Policy or Certif	ficate No.	
If you do not have other coverage	s, sign and date the following state	rement.			
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expenses related to this claim.					
I hereby certify that all above info	•				
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Signature (Parent/Guardian)					

	LEADER STATEMENT	Lovel	0 ☐ Daisy 1 ☐ Brownie	3 ☐ Cadette 4 ☐ Senior	6 Nonmember Child	9 Seasonal Staff 51 Ambassador
Troop Number _		Level:	2  Junior	5 Adult Member	7 ☐ Nonmember Adult 8 ☐ Staff	51 Mmbassador
Name of Counci	l			Council No.	Phone Nu	mber
Council's addres	ss Number a	nd Street		City	State	ZIP Code
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Date and place of accident or sickness	Date and location			Nature and details of inj	iury or sickness	
	Type of activity (check below):  1. Autos/Vehicles 2.	Slips/Fal	s on/at/over/from	n 3. Using Tools	4. ☐ Aquatics (in/on water) ☐ Swimming/Diving	6. ☐ Skating ☐ Roller
Activity information	☐ Passenger ☐ Pedestrian	☐ Anim	•	☐ Knife ☐ Stove ☐ Kiln ☐ Other	☐ Boating/Canoeing ☐ Water Skiing  5. ☐ Poisonous Plants/Insects (poison ivy/bee stings)	☐ Ice 7. ☐ Illness/Sickness 8. ☐ Other Accident
Overnight events	Was this an overnight event? Name of event: Indicate dates of attendance f		No If "Yes," num	ber of nightsto	_	
		ured person	s a currently registicipating in an au	stered Girl Scout or that the	e required premium for insurance v as described above.	coverage has been paid for
Troop validation or authorized activity	Activity Representative's Signature/Troop Leader's Signature			. Date		Date
representa- tive's validation	Street Address Did injury occur during course Claims covered by the Counci	, ,			State	ZIP Code
	•			<u> </u>	onsored and supervised by the Gir	l Scouts.
COUNCIL USE ONLY						
——————————————————————————————————————	Council Official's Signature				Date	
Author	ization for Release of	Informa	tion			
	ne Mutual of Omaha Insur to Girl Scouts U.S.A. for p				es to disclose my or my chil	dren's personal
	l information may include escription drug records, a				n, including diagnosis, men	tal and physical
	that I may refuse to sign to obtain payment, but m				affect my enrollment, my e	igibility for benefits
	or entity to whom inform the information may be re				er or health plan subject to ral privacy regulations.	federal privacy
this authoriz					he date I sign it. I understa npany, ATTN: Special Risk C	
I understand	that I am entitled to rece	ive a copy	of the signed	authorization.		
Signature				Date		
Relationship to	Insured					

## Claim Fraud Statements



The following fraud language is attached to, and made part of this claim form. Please read and do not remove these pages from this claim form.

- \*\* **Alabama:** Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to restitution fines or confinement in prison, or any combination thereof.
- \*\* Alaska: A person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive an insurance company files a claim containing false, incomplete, or misleading information may be prosecuted under state law.
- \*\* Arizona: For your protection Arizona law requires the following statement to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss is subject to criminal and civil penalties.
- \*\* Arkansas, Louisiana and Rhode Island: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or knowingly presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
- \*\* California: For your protection California law requires the following to appear on this form. Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.
- \*\* Colorado: It is unlawful to knowingly provide false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines, denial of insurance and civil damages. Any insurance company or agent of an insurance company who knowingly provides false, incomplete, or misleading facts or information to a policyholder or claimant for the purpose of defrauding or attempting to defraud the policyholder or claimant with regard to a settlement or award payable from insurance proceeds shall be reported to the Colorado division of insurance within the department of regulatory agencies.
- \*\* **Delaware:** Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.
- \*\* **District of Columbia:** WARNING: It is a crime to provide false or misleading information to an insurer or any other person. Penalties include imprisonment and/or fines. In addition, an insurer may deny insurance benefits if false information materially related to a claim was provided by the applicant.
- \*\* **Florida:** Any person who knowingly and with intent to injure, defraud, or deceive any insurer files a statement of claim or an application containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony of the third degree.
- \*\* **Idaho:** Any person who knowingly, and with intent to defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information is guilty of a felony.
- \*\* Indiana: A person who knowingly and with intent to defraud an insurer files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete, or misleading information commits a felony.
- \*\* **Kentucky:** Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance containing any materially false information or conceals, for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime.

- \*\* Maine: It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties may include imprisonment, fines or a denial of insurance benefits.
- \*\* Maryland: Any person who knowingly or willfully presents a false or fraudulent claim for payment of a loss or benefit or who knowingly or willfully presents false information in an application for insurance is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in prison.
- \*\* **Minnesota:** A person who files a claim with intent to defraud or helps commit a fraud against an insurer is guilty of a crime.
- \*\* New Hampshire: Any person who, with a purpose to injure, defraud or deceive any insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is subject to prosecution and punishment of insurance fraud, as provided in RSA 638:20.
- \*\* New Jersey: Any person who knowingly files a statement of claim containing any false or misleading information is subject to criminal and civil penalties.
- \*\* New Mexico: ANY PERSON WHO KNOWINGLY PRESENTS A FALSE OR FRAUDULENT CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF A LOSS OR BENEFIT OR KNOWINGLY PRESENTS FALSE INFORMATION IN APPLICATION FOR INSURANCE IS GUILTY OF A CRIME AND MAY BE SUBJECT TO CIVIL FINES AND CRIMINAL PENALTIES.
- \*\* Ohio: Any person who, with intent to defraud or knowing that he is facilitating a fraud against an insurer, submits an application or files a claim containing a false or deceptive statement is guilty of insurance fraud.
- \*\* Oklahoma: WARNING: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer, makes any claim for the proceeds of an insurance policy containing any false, incomplete or misleading information is guilty of a felony.
- \*\* **Pennsylvania:** Any person who knowingly and with intent to defraud any insurance company or other person files an application for insurance or statement of claim containing any materially false information or conceals for the purpose of misleading, information concerning any fact material thereto commits a fraudulent insurance act, which is a crime and subjects such person to criminal and civil penalties.
- \*\* Puerto Rico: Any person who knowingly and with the intention of defrauding presents false information in an insurance application, or presents, helps, or causes the presentation of a fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss or any other benefit, or presents more than one claim for the same damage or loss, shall incur a felony and, upon conviction, shall be sanctioned for each violation with the penalty of a fine of not less than five thousand dollars (\$5,000) and not more than ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), or a fixed term of imprisonment for three (3) years, or both penalties. Should aggravating circumstances [be] present, the penalty thus established may be increased to a maximum of five (5) years, if extenuating circumstances are present, it may be reduced to a minimum of two (2) years.
- \*\* **Tennessee, Virginia, and Washington:** It is a crime to knowingly provide false, incomplete or misleading information to an insurance company for the purpose of defrauding the company. Penalties include imprisonment, fines and denial of insurance benefits.
- \*\* Texas: Any person who knowingly presents a false or fraudulent claim for the payment of a loss is guilty of a crime and may be subject to fines and confinement in state prison.
- \*\* If you live in a state other than mentioned above, the following statement applies to you: Any person who knowingly, and with intent to injure, defraud or deceive any insurer or insurance company, files a statement of claim containing any materially false, incomplete, or misleading information or conceals any fact material thereto, may be guilty of a fraudulent act, may be prosecuted under state law and may be subject to civil and criminal penalties. In addition, any insurer or insurance company may deny benefits if false information is related to a claim by the claimant.