**COURSE PARTICIPANT’S WAIVER AND RELEASE AGREEMENT**

Smith & Nephew welcomes you and is glad you are able to participate in our workshop. We want you to be safe at all times during your workshop. Please help us by reading this document, observing the procedures, and returning a signed copy of this document to a Smith & Nephew staff member prior to participating in the course.

1. In the workshop, **please use personal protective equipment**. We reserve the right to refuse admission to any person not wearing the appropriate protective clothing. If you have an allergy to any of the materials commonly used (e.g., latex), please ask a staff member for alternative options.
2. Please **take suitable precautions when working with any cadaveric material** or specimen in the workshop. We cannot guarantee that such material is free from infection even if it has been tested. By attending our course and signing this document, you acknowledge that it is impossible for Smith & Nephew to guarantee that you will not have contact with cadaveric material from a person who was infected with Hepatitis B, Hepatitis C, HIV, tuberculosis, prion disease, viruses, syphilis or other bacterium.
3. **Sharp instruments should be used with special care**. We have provided a container for these instruments at your training station and instruments must be placed in these containers after use. Please use the clinical waste containers provided to dispose of soiled swabs and dressings and any removed tissue. Please leave all equipment at your training station when you have finished.
4. **Lead aprons** must be worn in the laboratory when **X-ray equipment** is in use.
5. If you **cut yourself**, accidentally **ingest or inhale any fluid**, please **inform a staff** **member** immediately. Any wound that may have been in contact with cadaveric material must be immediately disinfected and protected.
6. **Removal of any kind of specimen, tissue, instrument, or product** from the workshop is **strictly prohibited**.
7. **Photography and video photography,** **including social media**, is not permitted without the **express permission** of an authorized representative of Smith & Nephew in writing. During this course, Smith & Nephew staff may be taking photographs, audio recordings, or visual video footage. By attending our course and signing this document, you have acknowledged and consented to Smith & Nephew’s use of such images / recordings on its website and in its communications, promotional and educational materials.
8. In consideration for receiving permission to participate in the Smith & Nephew course, I hereby **RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE, AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE** Smith & Nephew, its directors, officers, agents, employees, and their respective successors and assigns (hereinafter referred to as RELEASEES) from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by me, or to any property belonging to me, while participating in such activity, while in, on or upon the premises where the activities are being conducted, **REGARDLESS OF WHETHER SUCH LOSS IS CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF THE RELEASEES**, or otherwise and regardless of whether such liability arises in tort, contract, strict liability, or otherwise, to the fullest extent allowed by law.
9. I agree to **follow the instructions of Smith & Nephew staff members** and understand that any permission granted to me to have access to the workshop may be withdrawn at any time without explanation or warning.

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With my signature below, I declare my agreement with the above statements.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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