



Club & Organization Clinical Supervision Policy

There are four main levels of supervision for Club & Organization volunteer activities. Regardless of what level the event may fall under the club advisor should approve of any and all activities a club executes. Approval should be documented by email and available upon request. The various levels of required club supervision are listed below:

1. Volunteering Non-Medical – Any activity, service, or experience performed by the student that poses no reasonably foreseeable risk to the benefiting party
 - Example: Biddeford Soup Kitchen
 - Supervision: Advisor supervision suggested, clinical supervision not required, on site clinical supervision not required
 - Malpractice: N/A
 - Indemnification, Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Release from Liability Form: Participating students required, benefiting party not required
 - AFFILIATION AGREEMENT – NOT REQUIRED
2. Volunteering Non-Medical Interventional - An activity, service, or experience that involves the student providing some type of intervention to the benefiting party.
 - Example: Maine Adaptive Skiing, Flu Vaccine Talk @ BIS, Nutrition Presentation w/ Biddeford Fire Dept.
 - Supervision: Supervision by host institution
 - Malpractice: Not Applicable.
 - Indemnification, Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Release from Liability: Participating students required, benefiting party not required
 - AFFILIATION AGREEMENT – NOT REQUIRED
3. Volunteering Clinical Activities (UNE SPONSORED) - An activity, service, or experience SPONSORED BY UNE that involves the student exercising some type of clinical skill on the benefiting party.
 - Example: Beach to Beacon OMT
 - Supervision: Advisor supervision suggested, clinical supervision required, on-site clinical supervision required by UNE faculty at the level of function the students are performing (e.g. RN for vaccines, social worker for care management).
 - Malpractice: student and supervisor malpractice covered by UNE
 - Indemnification, Assumption of Risk, Waiver, and Release from Liability: Participating students required, benefiting party not required
 - AFFILIATION AGREEMENT – NOT REQUIRED
4. Volunteering Clinical Activities (NOT SPONSORED BY UNE) - An activity, service, or experience NOT SPONSORED BY UNE that involves the student exercising some type of clinical skill on the benefiting party.
 - Example: Club leaders join an existing flu vaccine clinic organized by Rite Aid
 - Malpractice: STUDENT IS NOT COVERED BY UNE LIABILITY/MALPRACTICE



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Clubs and Organizations will not be permitted to participate in Clinical Activities NOT SPONSORED BY UNE. Individuals who participate independent of their club/organization are not covered by UNE's Malpractice and Liability insurance.

For resources about club and organization planning, policy and procedure please refer to the Navigator or the UNE COM Student Engagement SharePoint Site.

Direct questions can be addressed to the Office of Recruitment, Student and Alumni Services.

**For any IPE related activity the same base general content listed above applies and should be included in the Event Plan by all involved colleges; each college to account for its own students.*