



# The Mico University College

## PRACTICUM UNIT

### INDEMNITY FORM

Student teachers on fieldwork in any phase of the Reflective Practicum will not be barred by The Mico from participation in the Reflective Practicum on the basis of pregnancy. Note, however, that some Cooperating Schools will not assume the associated risk and will not accommodate pregnant student teachers. Pregnant student teachers may apply to the Registrar for a leave of absence from Practicum, without prejudice. Should a student teacher choose to pursue the practicum while pregnant, The Mico cannot be held responsible for any adverse outcome, howsoever incurred. In accordance with the Practicum Policy, the pregnant student teacher is required to i) receive permission from the cooperating school and ii) sign this form before proceeding with the Practicum fieldwork. A copy of the signed form will be provided to the cooperating school.

**STUDENT'S NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I.D. NO.:** \_\_\_\_\_

**COOPERATING SCHOOL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**NAME OF  
OBSTETRICIAN/CLINIC:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PRACTICUM PHASE:**

- Focused Observation
- In-School Immersion Part A
- In-School Immersion Part B

By affixing my signature below, I assert that I voluntarily undertake my own responsibility to pursue fieldwork on Reflective Practicum, acknowledging that there may be risks attendant to this pregnancy. I have discussed the matter with the University College Counsellor and my healthcare provider and believe I am making a well-informed decision. I understand that The Mico University college takes out no insurance for this purpose on my behalf or for my benefit.

I further undertake not to institute a claim of any nature against The Mico, the Cooperating School, nor any employee of either institution and not to hold The Mico, the Cooperating School, not an employee of either institution responsible for any damage or loss whatsoever that I sustain and which directly or indirectly follows from any of the following:

- my participation in activities as required or related to my studies or training, or in sport or recreation of any nature whatsoever,
- my utilization of any premises, building, equipment or facility of the University College or the Cooperating School of any nature whatsoever,
- my residence in or visiting of University College or the Cooperating School accommodation; and that such participation, utilization, residence or visiting will be undertaken on my own responsibility and that I freely accept the risks involved therein.

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*Student's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

**WITNESS #1:**

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*University College Counsellor*

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*Date*

**WITNESS #2:**

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*University College Practicum Coordinator*

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*Date*