

DEAR COACH,

This note is to inform you that _____ has been diagnosed with a tick-borne illness that may affect their ability to perform in athletics at this time. Specific information about possible symptoms related to this infection - including mood swings, cognitive problems, or exhaustion - are noted at the bottom of this letter. Be aware that symptoms may 'flare up' and change daily, depending on the state of the infection. Some behavioral problems may be attributable to illness.

The student is currently receiving treatment, and they will need your support. Please communicate with the student's parents or caregivers about any athletic program or school concerns, and with any questions you may have.

Sincerely

SYMPTOMS OR CONCERNS:

SUGGESTIONS: