



Emergency contact/health info form for Shoals Marine Laboratory on Appledore Island, Maine

Please complete and bring this form with you to Appledore Island for our Island Coordinator – thanks!

Thank you for taking the time to provide us with your emergency contact, health, and special needs information. This information provided below is intended for your safety and will be used by staff from Shoals Marine Laboratory (SML), Cornell University, and University of New Hampshire only. This information will not be released outside of SML without your written permission. Please print your responses—thank you!

Your full name: _____

Mailing address: _____

Email address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Emergency contact:

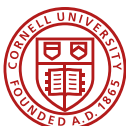
Emergency contact name: _____

Emergency contact cell phone: _____

Emergency contact alternate phone: _____

Food allergies / Dietary restrictions: In this space, please indicate vegetarian, vegan, dairy-free, gluten-free, etc. For food allergies, please be specific (If seafood, what type? If nuts, what kind? If gluten-free, is this an allergy or a preference?). This information will help our kitchen staff best serve your needs!

General health and medical information: Please indicate below any existing or previous medical conditions (physical and / or mental) that may require special attention (e.g. allergies to medications, recent surgery, epilepsy, asthma, handicap, anxiety, depression, etc.). Appledore Island is a remote location, and this information will help our staff best serve your needs and keep you safe.



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**Parental indemnification form for Shoals Marine Laboratory on Appledore Island, Maine
(for participants under 18 years of age)**

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I Hereby Acknowledge and Agree that my child's participation in Shoals Marine Laboratory programs, and their time at, Shoals Marine Laboratory on Appledore Island is voluntary and includes inherent risks. I understand that the risks involved may include the use of passenger vehicles. I understand that the risk of traveling to and from the island via water vessel is present. I understand that the island surface is composed mainly of rock of which there may be no set path for walking, and which can be slippery. In addition, I agree that the island, by its nature, is surrounded by water, and as such the chance of injury associated with immersion in water or the hazards of the shoreline are present. I am also aware that there are other risks that may exist and that it is not possible to specifically list every individual risk. However, knowing the material risks and reasonably anticipating, appreciating, and knowing that injuries, illnesses and even death are a possibility, I hereby expressly assume all of the delineated risks associated with my participation in, and my time at Shoals Marine Laboratory on Appledore Island. I agree that I will discuss these risks with my child and make sure they understand the risk involved with this activity. I certify that my child is in good health and has no physical limitations that would preclude their safe participation.

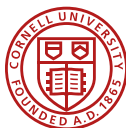
Indemnification/Hold Harmless - In consideration of my child's participation in Shoals Marine Laboratory programs on Appledore Island, I, the undersigned, on behalf of my child, myself, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators and assigns, do hereby agree to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless Cornell University and The University of New Hampshire, their Trustees, officers, agents, and employees (collectively Shoals Marine Lab) from any cause of action, claims, or demands of any nature whatsoever, which I, my child, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators and assigns may now have, or have in the future against Shoals Marine Lab on account of personal injury, property damage, death or accident of any kind, arising out of or in any way related to my child's participation Shoals Marine Laboratory programs and my time at Appledore Island, whether that participation is supervised or unsupervised, howsoever the injury or damage is caused, other than those injuries resulting from the sole negligence of Shoals Marine Laboratory. I understand that the terms of this agreement are legally binding and I certify that I am carefully signing this agreement, after having carefully read same, of my own free will.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this instrument is duly executed, _____.
Date

Print participant name, and email

Print Parent/Guardian name, and email

Parent/Guardian signature (date)



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Multimedia agreement and release form for Shoals Marine Laboratory on Appledore Island, Maine

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1. I, _____ have been informed and subsequently understand that the Shoals Marine Laboratory (hereinafter referred to as SML), which is a joint partnership between Cornell University and the University of New Hampshire, continuously updates its multimedia products, including, but not limited to: web content, broadcast television, educational productions, and printed promotional materials in which my name, likeness, image, and/or voice may be included.
2. I hereby grant SML and its employees and agents, the right to make, use and publish in whole, or in part, any recorded footage in which my name, likeness, image and/or voice may be included (hereinafter "Recordings") whether recorded on or transferred to videotape, film, slides, photographs, audio tape, digital format, print media or other media now known or hereafter developed. This includes, without limitation, the right to edit, mix, duplicate, use or reuse Recordings as desired without restriction as to changes or alterations.
3. I also grant SML the right to distribute, display, broadcast, exhibit, and market any of said recordings, either alone or as part of its finished productions; for commercial or non-commercial purposes as SML or its employees and agents may determine. This includes the right to use said recordings for promotion or publicizing any of these uses.
4. I understand that I will not be named in the credits of the work, but may be named elsewhere in the work if interviewed directly.
5. I hereby waive any and all rights that I may have to inspect or approve the finished product or printed matter that may be used in connection therewith.
6. I expressly release SML, and all persons acting under its permission or authority, from any claim or liability arising out of or in any way connected with the above uses and representations including any and all claims for defamation or copyright infringement.
7. I am over the age of eighteen, and have read the above release, and fully understand its contents. (Parent/Guardian Signature required if participant/student is under 18 years of age.)

Participant signature (date)

Print participant name, and email

Parent/Guardian signature (required if participant is a minor/under 18) (date)

Print Parent/Guardian name, and email (required if participant is a minor/under 18)



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Packing list for the Shoals Marine Laboratory on Appledore Island, Maine

The Shoals Marine Laboratory (SML) is located on an isolated island. Everyone and everything arrives and departs by boat. Our island community is responsible for handling and recycling all forms of waste and trash, and we ask all participants to “pack it in, pack it out.” You are required to depart SML with all of the personal items that you brought with you; including, but not limited to, footwear, clothing, all toiletries, and all containers of any kind, even if empty. If you are flying, check: <http://www.tsa.gov/> for air travel instructions and restrictions.

GENERAL PACKING INSTRUCTIONS:

- Buildings on Appledore Island are not heated; pack warm clothes for inside and outside.
- Laundry facilities (washer/dryer) are not provided for participants.
- Your luggage and gear will be going from a dock on the mainland to a Shoals vessel, off the vessel and up a hill to a truck, then to your dorm. Luggage and gear will be handled by you, your fellow participants, and Shoals staff several times. Please pack your belongings carefully. If you are, for any reason, unable to participate in the movement of luggage and gear during the trip, please let a staff member know upon arrival (don't worry, there will be other tasks that you can help with).
- ORGANIZE your gear in advance. Packing a few smaller, lighter bags rather than one heavy trunk or giant duffel bag is suggested. Extra-large rolling suitcases are not recommended.
- WATERPROOF your gear for transit on our vessel. Any items that absolutely cannot get wet should be placed in plastic bags (Ziploc, etc.). SML cannot guarantee that your gear will remain dry in transit.
- LABEL each of your bags/luggage clearly on the outside with your NAME (first & last).
- Bring a DAY BACKPACK or small bag to keep with you during the trip to the island. All other gear will be stowed below deck on the vessel and will be inaccessible during the trip. Be prepared for sudden weather changes by packing appropriate clothing (e.g., a rain jacket, hat), sunglasses, sunscreen. Also keep delicate items such as laptops, cameras, and binoculars in your day backpack.
- If you are prone to MOTION SICKNESS, take non-drowsy, anti-sea sickness medication (e.g. Bonine) about 1 hour prior to the trip.

WHAT TO BRING:

- **Linens**
 - A set of sheets (flat & fitted) for a twin bed + a pillowcase, towels and a washcloth
 - SML provides 1 pillow and 2 blankets for all participants.
 - You may wish to bring a sleeping bag or additional blanket(s), especially in May and June.
- **Foul weather gear**
 - Sturdy, waterproof jacket with hood
 - Rain pants or any type of waterproof pants
- **Footwear**
 - Sneakers or light hiking boots for general use
 - Waterproof boots, water shoes or extra sneakers for wading in the intertidal (these will get wet), e.g. Chacos, Keens
 - Flip-flops/sandals for the dorm or bathroom (these are not appropriate on boats or island walks)

SHOALS PACKING LIST CONTINUED...

- **Clothing** (plan to dress casually, comfortably, and in layers)
 - Fleece jackets, hoodies, sweaters (May & early June are typically colder than late June-August)
 - Long pants and shorts, including sweats and/or pajamas for dorms
 - T-shirts, socks, and undergarments
 - Bathing suit and a beach towel (for late June, July and August programs)
 - Ball cap or any type of hat for sun protection, and sunglasses
- **General**
 - Toiletries (tooth brush, tooth paste, shampoo, soap, etc.)
 - Please try to bring and use biodegradable shampoos and soaps, *not* antibacterial.
 - Prescription medication(s), epi-pen, etc.
 - Flashlight or headlamp with batteries
 - Reusable water bottle
 - Sunscreen
- **Suggested extra items for May and early June programs**
 - Fleece or wool hat, and gloves or mittens
 - Sleeping bag

RECOMMENDED PACKING LIST:

- Cables, chargers, adapters for laptops, tablets, and phone
- Digital camera (with all adapters, memory cards and chargers)
- Binoculars
- Mask, fins, snorkel, wetsuit if you own them. SML has a limited number of snorkel sets to borrow.
- Insect repellent
- Alarm clock equivalent
- Shower caddy (shower facilities are located in Kiggins Commons, not in the dorms)
 - In an effort to conserve water, we ask that participants limit their showers while on-island! Students in SML courses are asked to shower no more than 2 times per week. If you are participating in a 3-day program, that amounts to 1 shower (or none, if you can!).

Items available for sale at The Appledore Store (MC, Visa, American Express accepted)

- 10X hand lens
- Ear-plugs
- Various field guides for birds, marine mammals, and invertebrates
- Waterproof field notebooks (Rite-in-the-Rain®)

Regarding mail and packages

- For USPS mail (letters): Your Name, PO Box 88, Portsmouth, NH 03802
- For UPS or FedEx mail (packages): Your Name, Shoals Marine Lab, Judd Gregg Marine Research Complex, 29 Wentworth Road, New Castle, NH 03854

QUESTIONS? shoals.lab@unh.edu or (603) 862-5346



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