

PADI Discover Scuba® Diving Participant Statement

Read the following paragraphs carefully.

This statement, which includes a Medical Questionnaire, a Liability Release and Assumption of Risk Agreement (Statement of Risks and Liability) and Non-Agency Disclosure and Acknowledgment, informs you of some potential risks involved in scuba diving and of the conduct required of you during the PADI Discover Scuba Diving program and/or Try Diving program. If you are a minor, your parent or guardian must read this Guide and sign on the back panel.

You will also need to learn important safety rules regarding breathing and equalization while scuba diving from the PADI Professional. Scuba diving and the use of scuba equipment without proper supervision or instruction can result in serious injury or death. You must be instructed in its use under the direct supervision of a qualified instructor.

Participant Information (please print clearly)

First name: _____ MI _____ Last name: _____

Date of birth: _____ Age: _____ Gender: male ☐ , female ☐

Home Address: _____

City: _____ Postal code: _____

Country: _____ Email: _____

Hotel: _____ Room number: _____

Date you fly back home: _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____

Flying After Diving Recommendations

1) For single dives within the no decompression limits, a minimum pre-flight surface interval of 12 hours is suggested. 2) For repetitive dives and/or multi-day dives within the no decompression limits, a minimum preflight surface interval of 18 hours is suggested. 3) For dives requiring decompression stops, a minimum preflight surface interval greater than 18 hours is suggested.

PADI Medical Questionnaire

Scuba diving is an exciting and demanding activity. To scuba dive you must not be extremely overweight or out of condition. Diving can be strenuous under certain conditions. Your respiratory and circulatory systems must be in good health. All body air spaces must be normal and healthy. A person with heart trouble, a current cold or congestion, epilepsy, asthma, a severe medical problem, or who is under the influence of alcohol or drugs, should not dive.

If taking medication, consult your doctor before participating in this program.

The purpose of the Medical Questionnaire is to find out if you should be examined by a physician before participating in recreational scuba diving. A positive response to a question does not necessarily disqualify you from diving. A positive response means that there is a preexisting condition that may affect your safety while diving and you must seek the advice

of a physician. Please answer the following questions on your past and present medical history with a YES or NO. If you are not sure, answer YES. If any of these items apply to you, we must request that you consult with a physician prior to participating in scuba diving. Your PADI Professional will supply you with a PADI Medical Statement and Guidelines for Recreational Scuba Diver's Physical Examination to take to a physician.

_____ Do you currently have an ear infection?

_____ Do you have a history of ear disease, hearing loss or problems with balance?

_____ Do you have a history of ear or sinus surgery?

_____ Are you currently suffering from a cold, congestion, sinusitis or bronchitis?

_____ Do you have a history of respiratory problems, severe attacks of hayfever or allergies, or lung disease?

_____ Have you had a collapsed lung (pneumothorax) or history of chest surgery?

_____ Do you have active asthma or history of emphysema or tuberculosis?

_____ Are you currently taking medication that carries a warning about any impairment of your physical or mental abilities?

_____ Do you have behavioral health, mental or psychological problems or a nervous system disorder?

_____ Are you or could you be pregnant?

_____ Do you have a history of colostomy?

_____ Do you have a history of heart disease or heart attack, heart surgery or blood vessel surgery?

_____ Do you have a history of high blood pressure, angina, or take medication to control blood pressure?

_____ Are you over 45 and have a family history of heart attack or stroke?

_____ Do you have a history of bleeding or other blood disorders?

_____ Do you have a history of diabetes?

_____ Do you have a history of seizures, blackouts or fainting, convulsions or epilepsy or take medications to prevent them?

_____ Do you have a history of back, arm or leg problems following an injury, fracture or surgery?

_____ Do you have a history of fear of closed or open spaces or panic attacks (claustrophobia or agoraphobia)?

Non-Agency Disclosure and Acknowledgment Agreement

I understand and agree that PADI Members (“Members”), including Liamis Dive Centre, or the crew or the owner of the vessels “M/V APOLLON”, “M/V CLEO”, and/or any individual PADI Instructors and Divemasters associated with the program in which I am participating, are licensed to use various PADI Trademarks and to conduct PADI training, but are not agents, employees or franchisees of PADI EMEA Ltd., PADI Americas, Inc., or its parent, subsidiary and affiliated corporations (“PADI”). I further understand that Member business activities are independent, and are neither owned nor operated by PADI, and that while PADI establishes the standards for PADI diver training programs, it is not responsible for, nor does it have the right to control, the operation of the Members’ business activities, their offered programs and the day-to-day conduct of PADI programs and supervision of divers, snorkelers and swimmers by the Members or their associated staff.

Statement of Risk and Liability

This is a statement in which you are informed of the risks of skin diving, snorkeling, scuba diving and the hazards occurring whilst travelling to/from dive sites and participating in scuba dives, snorkelling, swimming as a novice diver under the control and supervision of a certified scuba instructor. The statement also sets out the circumstances in which you participate in the diving programme at your own risk.

Your signature on this statement is required as proof that you have received and read this statement. It is important that you read the contents of this statement before signing it. If you do not understand anything contained in this statement, then please discuss it with your instructor. If you are a minor, this form must also be signed by a parent or guardian.

Warning

Skin and scuba diving have inherent risks which may result in serious injury or death.

Diving with compressed air involves certain inherent risks; decompression sickness, embolism or other hyperbaric injury can occur that require treatment in a recompression chamber. Open water diving trips that are necessary for training for certification and for recreation, may be conducted at a site that is remote, either by time or distance or both, from such a recompression chamber. In addition, during boat travel to and from dive sites, you should follow all the safety instructions from the captain/crew members and take care while getting on or off the boat and while on board to avoid slipping, falling or drowning. Skin and scuba diving are physically strenuous activities and you will be exerting yourself during this diving programme. You must advise truthfully and fully inform the dive professionals and the facility through which this programme is offered of your medical history.

Acceptance of Risk

I understand and agree that neither the dive professionals conducting this programme, nor the facility through which this programme is conducted, Liamis Dive Centre, nor the crew or the owner of the vessels “M/V APOLLON”, “M/V CLEO”, nor PADI EMEA Ltd., nor PADI Americas, Inc., nor their affiliate or subsidiary corporations, nor any of their respective employees, officers, agents or assigns (hereinafter referred to as “Released Parties”) accept any responsibility for any death, injury or other loss suffered or caused by me or resulting from my own conduct or any matter or condition under my control that amounts to my own contributory negligence.

In the absence of any negligence or breach of duty by the dive professionals conducting this programme, the facility through which this programme is offered, Liamis Dive Centre, the crew or owner of the vessels “M/V APOLLON”, “M/V CLEO”, PADI EMEA Ltd., PADI Americas, Inc., and all related entities and released parties as defined above, my participation in this diving programme/trip is entirely at my own risk.

I HAVE FULLY INFORMED MYSELF OF THE CONTENTS OF THIS NON-AGENCY DISCLOSURE AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT AGREEMENT AND STATEMENT OF RISK AND LIABILITY BY READING BOTH BEFORE SIGNING THESE STATEMENTS.

Participant Name (Please Print)

Participant Signature Date (Day/Month/Year)

Signature of Parent/Guardian (where applicable) Date (Day/Month/Year)

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