

TRTL Volunteer Agreement & Release of Liability Form

All Toronto Right to Life (TRTL) volunteers are required to certify that they will abide by this Volunteer Agreement & Release of Liability Form for the duration of their participation in TRTL demonstrations, activism or other volunteer activities. If anyone refuses to or does not sign this agreement, that person will not be allowed to participate in said activities.

1. I understand that abortion, in surgical, chemical, or any other form, directly and intentionally kills a pre-born human being. It is therefore wrong, regardless of the circumstances under which the child came into existence or the circumstances in which that child continues to develop.
2. I condemn all forms of abortion-related violence and will not collaborate with groups or individuals who fail to condemn such violence.
3. I agree with the goals of TRTL's projects as outlined on TRTL's websites.
4. I will direct all inquiries and requests for official statements, viewpoints, and communications, whether from media, police, or others, to the designated spokesperson(s) of the event.
5. If publicly displaying TRTL material, I will never pressure passers-by to look at the signs.
6. If handing out literature in public, I may offer literature to passers-by but will never push it on them.
7. I will always treat people with respect, even if they are angry and/or verbally abusive. I will not shout at people.
8. If asked a secular question, I will give only a secular answer, not a spiritual answer. I will give spiritual answers only in response to a spiritual question or comment.
9. I will never trespass on private property or disrupt any event at which a TRTL demonstration takes place.
10. I will call for law enforcement officers in the following instances: if passers-by threaten my person with bodily harm, I am assaulted, or passersby threaten TRTL property, such as signs, postcards or banners. Forthwith after the incident, I will make and forward a report of this incident. I will not attempt to physically stop anyone who makes a threat to TRTL property or attempts to carry it out.
11. I will make reasonable efforts to remove others and myself from the presence of those making threats, but if I am unable to do that, I understand that I am allowed to take lawful steps to protect others and myself from risk of injury.
12. I understand that TRTL activities and those displaying TRTL materials have been the targets of anger, harassment, verbal abuse, verbal threats, physical threats, and physical assault.
13. If an individual or individuals appear to have committed criminal misconduct, I will request that police press criminal charges.
14. I consent to being videotaped, audiotaped, and photographed throughout my participation in TRTL activities.
15. I understand that if I disregard this Volunteer Agreement I will be required to discontinue participation in TRTL activities, at the discretion of TRTL leadership.
16. I hereby agree for myself and my heirs and personal representatives that neither the sponsoring organization, nor the Right to Life Association of Toronto & Area (TRTL), nor any employee, officer, director, servant or agent of the sponsoring organization, or of the Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform, or of the Canadian Centre for Bio-Ethical Reform, or of TRTL will be liable for any loss, damage, action, cause of action, claim, expense or other compensation of whatever kind, whether arising in law or in equity (including, without limitation, damage to property, personal injury, and death) which I may suffer, incur or cause while participating in a TRTL demonstration.

I acknowledge I have read and understand the TRTL Volunteer Agreement & Release of Liability Form, and I agree to abide by it.

Name (please print)	Signature	Date (YYYY/MM/DD)
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Street Address

City	Province	Postal Code
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E-mail Address	Telephone
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Witness' name (please print)	Witness' signature	Date (YYYY/MM/DD)
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Permission from a parent or guardian is required if you are under 18:

Parent/Guardian Name (please print)	Parent/Guardian signature	Telephone
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In case of emergency, please call:

Name	Telephone	Relationship
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