



**VISITING THE NASA INFRARED TELESCOPE FACILITY  
ON MAUNA KEA**

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**Date**

**MAUNA KEA HEALTH CAUTIONS**

Weather conditions on Mauna Kea can be severe, including high winds, freezing fog and snow. Warm clothing is essential. The air at the summit is very thin so **children under 16 and people with respiratory, heart, severe overweight conditions, and pregnant women may not go higher than the Visitor Information Station (9,300 feet above sea level). Scuba divers must wait at least 24 hours after their last dive before traveling to the summit.**

Do you have any of the following medical conditions which would prevent you from traveling to the summit of Mauna Kea?

- Asthma
- Heart
- Ear Infection
- Severely Overweight
- Respiratory Problems

(If you have cold at the time of the tour, you may not be able to participate in the tour)

I certify that I have none of the medical conditions listed above.

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Participant's Name (printed)

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Participant's Signature

Date \_\_\_\_\_

If you have any of the above medical conditions, please have your physician certify below that you have his/her medical clearance to visit the NASA Infrared Telescope Facility on Mauna Kea.

**Physician's Certification**

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Physician's Name (printed)

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Signature of Physician

Date \_\_\_\_\_