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Greetings Telluride Parents,

Global Rescue is a service in which I sincerely hope each of you will consider enrolling your skiers and boarders in before they travel either this summer or next winter. As you know, ski racing and boarding are high risk sports and despite our best efforts to mitigate the inherent risks involved, injuries are an unfortunate inevitability. The Global Rescue service has proved invaluable to many others in the skiing/boarding community when injuries occur. Essentially, in the event of a serious injury occurring further than 160 miles from home and requiring inpatient hospitalization, Global Rescue will handle all transportation, medical and consultation elements of the transport at no cost to you. Their phones are staffed 24/7 by paramedics and through their partnership with Johns Hopkins they will consult with medical specialists, and with you, to determine the best course of action. Their commitment to your child starts at the point of injury or illness and continues as you and your child choose which hospital they will be evacuated to in your home country. If your child is unable to fly immediately, Global Rescue will actually send their own paramedics to be with your son or daughter at their bedside to ensure that they receive the best care possible.

We have observed this service used by others on numerous occasions and in each situation Global Rescue's expertise, care, and professionalism have been outstanding. I'm attaching several testimonials to help you understand just what I am talking about.

Medical transports easily cost over \$30,000 domestically and over \$100,000 internationally and are not covered by your medical insurance. This is a great service that can save you a huge amount of money. I would even recommend that you consider signing your entire family up for an annual membership if you or your family are going to be traveling at other times throughout the year. (This membership is not just for skiing but works any time you are 160 miles or further from home.) Also, if you live over 160 miles from Telluride, your child is covered for the entire time that they are away from home.

To enroll with Global Rescue please call 800.381.9754. Tell them that you are Telluride Ski Club Member and you will receive a 10% discount off of the membership fee. You can also sign up on the internet by going to <http://www.globalrescue.com/>. If you do this, you must insert the CDC (discount) code, Telluride452 on the payment page. The discount also applies to traveling family members who wish to sign up individually or with a family membership. The cost for two weeks of coverage is \$159. A full year of coverage is \$329 with unlimited travel if each trip is less than 45 days long. Family memberships are \$579.

Best regards,

Justin Chandler