

AUTHORIZATION FOR THE USE OR DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION

 Date needed by: _____
 To be picked up
 To be mailed
 To be faxed to _____

Today's Date: /TODAY

Patient Identification	Name:			Date of Birth:	
	Address:			Phone:	Cell:
	City/State/Zip:				
	Maiden/Previous Names/Nickname:				
Provider <small>(Who is releasing information?)</small>	Provider/Faculty Name:				
	Address:			Phone:	
	City/State/Zip:				
Disclose Information To <small>(Where is information to be sent?)</small>	Name/Facility:				
	Address:				
	City/State/Zip:				
	Phone:		Fax:		
	To assure confidentiality, it is the policy of Orthopedic Institute to send records via first-class mail. Orthopedic Institute will transmit records via facsimile only when requested and expressly authorized by the patient.				
Information to be Disclosed	<input type="checkbox"/> All Records	<input type="checkbox"/> Lab Data	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Clinic Progress Notes	<input type="checkbox"/> Pathology Reports			
	<input type="checkbox"/> X-ray Reports				
Purpose of Disclosure <small>(Please Be Specific)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Medical Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Consult / Second Opinion	<input type="checkbox"/> Out of town move		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance Claim	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal		
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify):				
Expiration Date	This authorization will expire one year from the date of signature or on				
Revocation	I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by sending a written notice to the health care facility/provider noted above. However, the revocation is not valid if: (1) action was previously taken in reliance on this authorization; or (2) this authorization is obtained as a condition for obtaining insurance coverage; other law provides the insurer with the right to contest a claim under the policy or the policy itself.				
Authorization	I hereby authorize the above facility/provider to disclose medical information concerning the above named patient to the party identified in the section entitled "Disclose Information To". I understand that the information to be released may include information regarding mental health, alcohol and drug usage, and HIV-related information. I understand that once the information is disclosed, it may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected. I understand that this authorization is voluntary and that I may refuse to sign this authorization. Unless allowed by law, my refusal to sign will not affect my ability to obtain treatment; receive payment; or eligibility for benefits.				
	Signature of patient/representative		Signature Date		
	(Relationship to patient, if signed by representative)		Witness (optional)		
	Please supply proof of authority to act. For minors, proof only required if other than parent.				
Disposition	For office use only:				
	Date Sent:		Sent by:		
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