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AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I Hereby authorize _____ to release the following information from medical records of _____ Date of Birth _____

To: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip _____

Purpose of Release: _____

From (Date) _____ **To (Date)** _____

_____ Discharge Summary	_____ History & Physical	_____ Operative Reports
_____ Pathology Report	_____ Laboratory Results	_____ X-Ray Reports
_____ EKG/EEG Reports	_____ Emergency Room Reports	_____ Prenatal Records
_____ Outpatient Clinic Notes	_____ Psychiatric Information	_____ Therapy Notes
_____ Other (Please Specify) _____		

SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION PROTECTED BY STATE OR FEDERAL LAW

I acknowledge that information to be released may include material that is protected by Federal and/or State law applicable to substance abuse, mental health, and/or AIDS-related information.

I SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION RELATING TO:

Put "Yes" or "No" next to all spaces provided

_____ Substance Abuse (Drug or Alcohol) information from all health care providers and facilities and any other person or entity in possession of records concerning me.

_____ Mental Health Information from all health care providers and facilities and any other person or entity in possession of records concerning me.

_____ HIV or AIDS related information, diagnosis, and test results from all health care providers and facilities and any other person or entity in possession of records concerning me.

This statement of consent can be revoked at any time before disclosure of information, and expires, in any event, six months after it is signed. Date of expiration: ____/____/____

I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by notifying the providing organization in writing. If I revoke the authorization, it will not have any effect on actions taken prior to receipt of the revocation. If authorizing disclosure of mental health records, I understand that I have the right to inspect the information to be disclosed upon proper notification and under appropriate conditions established by the releasing health care provider. I understand that individual/institution that receives the information described above may not be covered by federal privacy regulations, and that the information may be redisclosed publicly and no longer be protected by those regulations.

I AUTHORIZE DISCLOSURE OF THIS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION TO THE PERSONS/ENTITY/ADDRESS LISTED ABOVE

Signature _____
Patient

Date _____

Legal Guardian or Next of Kin

Date _____