

# HIPAA AUTHORIZATION – MEDICAL INFORMATION REQUEST

**BY WHOM:**

Patient Name:

DOB:

SSN:

**OF WHAT:** I voluntarily authorize and request disclosure of all medical records in your possession including, but not limited to, ambulance, physical therapy, physical and vocational rehabilitation, office and narrative reports, operations, nursing, health questionnaires, diagnostic testing, group and individual mental health and psychotherapy, pharmacy, hospital, private physician office notes, radiology or other imagery records and films, educational testing, and evaluations. This authorization includes records generated by other health care providers which you possess. I understand that health records may include information relating to communicable and sexually transmitted diseases, human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS), sickle cell anemia, gene-related impairments, mental/behavioral health services, and treatment for drug and alcohol abuse.

**FROM WHOM:****FROM WHEN:**

continuing.

and

**TO WHOM:** The information identified above may be used by or disclose to the following individuals, representatives (staff members), and organization (the law firm) for legal representation:

**EXPIRES/GENERAL:** This authorization expires 12 months from the date signed. I understand that my right to healthcare treatment is not conditioned on this authorization, and I may cancel or revoke it at any time by submitting a written request to your facility. I may obtain a copy of this authorization. I understand that any action already taken on this authorization cannot be reversed, and my revocation of the same will not affect such prior action. A photocopy of this authorization is the same as an original. I understand that once the above referenced information is disclosed, it may be redisclosed by the recipient, and the information may not then be protected by privacy laws and regulations.

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Signature of Patient

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Date

This authorization was written to comply with the provisions under P.L. 104-91, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (i.e. "HIPAA"), together with implementing regulations; the Drug Abuse Prevention; the Treatment and Rehabilitations Act (See generally, 42 C.F.R. Part 2, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160 and 164); U.S. Code section 290dd-2; 42 C.F.R. part 2; 38 U.S. Code section 7332; 38 C.F.R. 1.475; 20 U.S. Code section 1232g ("FERPA"); 34 C.F.R. parts 99 and 300; and state law.