

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_  
Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_  
Medical Record Number \_\_\_\_\_



## AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF PATIENT HEALTH INFORMATION

I hereby authorize that the protected health information regarding the above-named person be forwarded:

**FROM:** Person/Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

**TO:** Person/Institution \_\_\_\_\_  
**(Recipient)** Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose or need for information: \_\_\_\_\_

Disclosure will include: (*check all that apply*)

- Face Sheet       History & Physical       Laboratory Report       Operative Report       Itemized Bill  
 Discharge Summary       Progress/Physician Notes       X-ray/Radiology Report       Pathology Report       Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Emergency Report       Nurses Notes       EKG/EMG/EEG Report       Consultation Report

Records for the period (dates) from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

**I must check one or more of the following types of health information that I do not want released to the above named Recipient. I understand that if I do not check any of the three (3) following boxes, the health information released to the named Recipient may include any of the following:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Diagnosis, Evaluation and/or treatment for alcohol and/or drug abuse

\_\_\_\_\_ Records of HTLV-III or HIV testing (AIDS test) result, diagnosis and/or treatment

\_\_\_\_\_ Psychiatric, psychological records or evaluation and/or treatment for mental, physical and/or emotional illness including narrative summary, tests, social work assessment, medication, psychiatric examination, progress notes, consultations, treatment plans, and/or evaluation.

I also understand that this Authorization is subject to revocation/withdrawal by me at any time in writing to the medical record contact person at this site of care except to the extent that action has already been taken to release this information. This Authorization shall remain valid unless revoked but will expire in 1 year after signing. I have a right to inspect a copy of the health information to be released and if I do not sign this Authorization, the institution named above will not release my health information. The above named person/institution will not refuse to treat me based on whether I agree to allow my health information to be used and disclosed to others.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian/Personal Representative  
(Required if Patient is not legally authorized to sign Authorization)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to Patient

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

**REDISCLOSURE:** Notice is hereby given to the patient or legal representative signing this Authorization that Advocate Health Care cannot guarantee that the Recipient receiving the requested health information will not redisclose any or all of it to others. Notice is hereby given to the Recipient that law prohibits the redisclosure of any health information regarding drug and/or alcohol abuse, HIV and mental health treatment.