

CONSENT FOR USE AND DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION & ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

SECTION A: PATIENT INFORMATION

Patient Name: _____

Date of Birth:

SECTION B: TO THE PATIENT-PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS

Purpose of consent: By signing this form, you will consent to our use and disclosure of your protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations.

Notice of Privacy Practices: You have the right to read our Notice of Privacy Practices before you decide to sign this Consent. Our Notice provides a description of our treatment, of payment activities and health care operations, of the uses and disclosures we may make of your protected health information, and of other important matters about your protected health information. A copy of our Notice accompanies this consent. We encourage you to read it carefully and completely before signing this consent.

We reserve the right to change our privacy practices as described in our Notices of Privacy Practices. If we change our privacy practices, we will issue a revised Notice of Privacy Practices, which will contain the changes. Those changes may apply to any of your protected health information that we maintain.

You may obtain a copy of our Notice of Privacy Practices at any time by contacting our office at: 970 484-4102

Right to Revoke: You will have the right to revoke this Consent at any time by giving us written notice of your revocation submitted to our office. Please understand that revocation of this Consent will not affect any action we took in reliance on this Consent before we received your revocation, and that we may decline to treat you or to continue treating you if you revoke this Consent.

SIGNATURE $\star\star\star\star$ You may refuse to sign this acknowledgement $\star\star\star$

I have received a copy of this office's Notice of Privacy Practices (dated September 23, 2013) to review and have had full opportunity to read and consider the contents of the Notice of Privacy Practices and this Consent form. I understand that, by signing this Consent form, I am giving my consent to your use and disclosure of my protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities, and health care operations.

Permission granted to share my protected health information with the following person(s):

Signature (Parent/Guardian if <18 yrs): _____

Date:

If this Consent is signed by a personal representative on behalf of the patient, complete the following:

Name of Personal Representative (Printed):____

Relationship to Patient (Printed):____

YOU ARE ENTITLED TO A COPY OF THIS CONSENT AFTER YOU SIGN IT.

For Office Use Only

We attempted to obtain written acknowledgement of receipt of our Notice of Privacy Practices, but acknowledgement could not be obtained because:

□ Individual refused to sign

 $\hfill\square$ Communications barriers prohibited obtaining the acknowledgement

□ An emergency situation prevented us from obtaining acknowledgement

□ Other (Please Specify) _

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