



# AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF HEALTH INFORMATION TO USMD PHYSICIAN SERVICES

## Patient Information

Patient's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Names(s) Used: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_

I authorize the following person or organization to disclose the protected health information of the above named patient to USMD Physician Services for the purpose of continuity of care.

Information is for Dr. \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

## Person/Entity Who Should Release Records

Person/Entity: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

## What Information Can Be Disclosed

Complete the following by indicating those items you want disclosed.

- All Health Information
- Discharge Summary
- Physician's Orders
- Operation Reports
- Progress Notes
- Diagnostic Reports (Lab, Radiology)
- Pathology Reports
- Consultation Reports
- History/Physical Exam
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## Your initials are required if you DO NOT want to release any of the following sensitive information:

\_\_\_\_\_ Mental Health Records (excluding psychotherapy notes)      \_\_\_\_\_ Genetic Information (including Genetic Test Results)  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Drug, Alcohol, or Substance Abuse Records      \_\_\_\_\_ HIV/AIDS Test Results/Treatment

## This authorization is given freely with the understanding that:

1. A photocopy or fax of this authorization is as valid as this original.
2. I may revoke this authorization at any time in writing, except where information has already been released.
3. Treatment, payment, enrollment, or eligibility of benefits may not be conditioned on obtaining this authorization.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Individual or Individual's Legally Authorized Representative

## Legally Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient/Legal Representative Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date of Authorization  
*unless otherwise noted, authorization expires 1 year from date of signature above*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

A minor individual's signature is required for the release of certain types of information, including for example, the release of information related to certain types of reproductive care, sexually transmitted diseases, and drug, alcohol or substance abuse, and mental health treatment (See, e.g., Tex. Fam. Code § 32.003).

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Signature of Minor Individual

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date