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**Authorization for Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information**

**I hereby authorize the transfer of my protected health information:**

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**Reason for request:**

 Personal Copy  Continuing Care  Other\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**Information to Be Disclosed:**

 Office Chart Notes  ER reports  History and Physical Exam

 Diagnostic Reports  Discharge Summary  Other: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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 Procedure Reports  Urgent Care Records \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

**By signing this authorization form, I acknowledge that:**

1. Authorizing the release of my protected health information is voluntary. Treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility for benefits may not be conditioned on whether I sign this authorization.
2. I may revoke this authorization in writing at any time except to the extent that action has already been taken to fulfill this request. Maryland law allows authorizations to remain valid for a maximum of one (1) year from date signed.
3. If the person or organization authorized to receive the information is not a health plan, healthcare clearinghouse, or healthcare provider, the information released may no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations.
4. Medical records may contain sensitive heath information such as HIV testing, treatment for drug or alcohol abuse, and behavioral or mental health information. These are specially protected by state and federal law.

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Signature of Patient or Legal Representative Date

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Printed Name of Patient’s Representative (if applicable)  Power of Attorney  Court appointed guardian

 Parent or guardian of unemancipated minor

 Executor or administrator of decedent’s estate

*\*Official documentation must be presented if not on file*

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