

**Authorization to Use or Disclose Protected Health Information**

- BayCare Alliant Hospital       Mease Countryside Hospital       Mease Dunedin Hospital
- Morton Plant Hospital       Morton Plant North Bay Hospital       St. Anthony's Hospital
- St. Joseph's Hospital       St. Joseph's Children's Hospital       St. Joseph's Women's Hospital
- South Florida Baptist Hospital       St. Joseph's Hospital – North

I hereby authorize the above hospital(s) to use or disclose the following information from the health records of the individual whose name is described below.

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Please Print)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip)

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security # \_\_\_\_\_

I authorize the above hospital(s) to release medical, mental, alcohol and/or drug abuse, HIV (human immunodeficiency virus) testing, AIDS, eating disorders or any other medical information of a sensitive nature to the following individuals or organization(s):

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(City) (State) (Zip)

• This information for which I'm authorizing disclosure will be used for the following purpose:  
Description: \_\_\_\_\_

Dates of service to be released: \_\_\_\_\_

The type of information to be used or disclosed is as follows (check the appropriate boxes and include other information where indicated). **Copy medical records to**  **Electronic medium or**  **Paper**

- Abstract       Progress Notes
- Discharge Summary       Lab results / X-Ray and Imaging
- History and Physical Reports       Emergency Room Reports
- Operative Reports       Consultation Reports
- Other: (please describe) \_\_\_\_\_


I understand that if the organization authorized to receive the information is not a health plan or healthcare provider, the release information may no longer be protected by Federal privacy regulations. I understand that I need not sign this authorization to ensure treatment. This authorization shall remain valid for six months from the date signed below.

I understand that I have a right to revoke this authorization at any time. I understand that if I revoke this authorization, I must do so in writing and present my written revocation to the department or facility listed on the authorization. I understand that the revocation will not apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization. I understand that the revocation will not apply to my insurance company when the law provides my insurer with the right to contest a claim under my policy.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Patient or Authorized Person,  Parent  Legal Guardian  Executor  Power of Attorney  
 Photo ID checked

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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