

# Authorization for Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information

Patient Identification

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

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Information to be Released – Covering the Periods of Healthcare

From (date) \_\_\_\_\_ To (date) \_\_\_\_\_

Please check type of information to be released:

Complete health record	Diagnosis & treatment codes	Discharge summary
History and physical exam	Consultation reports	Progress notes
Laboratory test results	Radiology reports/images	Cardiac imaging
Photographs, videotapes	Complete billing record	Itemized bill
Discharge Instructions	Pulmonary function results	Immunization Record

Release Of Information (ROI) Abstract – History & Physical (H&P), Discharge Summary, Labor & Delivery Note, Operative Report, Procedure Note, Consultation, Laboratory, Pathology, X-ray reports.

Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose of Request

Treatment or consultation      At the request of the patient      Billing or claims payment      Other \_\_\_\_\_

Send / Release Information

Paper      CD      Electronic Portal (E-mail notification when access is available)

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Unencrypted electronic transmissions are not secure. Although it is unlikely, there is a possibility that information in an encrypted electronic transmission can be intercepted and read by other parties besides the person to whom it is addressed. \*Please initial if you have requested your information to be sent to you in an unencrypted electronic format. \_\_\_\_\_

Release to Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Mail to Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail to Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Substance Use Disorder, and/or Psychotherapy, and/or HIV/AIDS Records Release

I understand that if my medical or billing records contain information in reference to substance use disorder and/or psychotherapy treatment I have been afforded the opportunity to sign a specific authorization. Initial One: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Applicable \_\_\_\_\_

I understand if my medical or billing records contain information in reference to HIV/AIDS (Human Immunodeficiency Virus/Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome) testing and/or treatment I have been afforded the opportunity to sign a specific authorization.

Initial One: Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Applicable \_\_\_\_\_

Time Limit & Right to Revoke Authorization

Except to the extent that action has already been taken in reliance on this authorization, at any time I can revoke this authorization by submitting a notice in writing to the facility Privacy Officer at CHRISTUS St. Frances Cabrini, 3330 Masonic Dr, Alexandria, LA 71301, or [Janelle.thoms@christushealth.org](mailto:Janelle.thoms@christushealth.org). Unless revoked, this authorization will expire on the following date or event \_\_\_\_\_ or 180 days from the date of signature.

Re-disclosure

I understand the information disclosed by this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and no longer be protected by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996. The facility, its employees, officers and physicians are hereby released from any legal responsibility or liability for disclosure of the above information to the extent indicated and authorized herein.

Signature of Patient or Personal Representative or Legally Authorized Representative Who May Request Disclosure

I understand that I do not have to sign this authorization and my treatment or payment for services will not be denied if I do not sign this form unless specified above under Purpose of Request. I can inspect or copy the protected health information to be used or disclosed.

I authorize CHRISTUS St. Frances Cabrini to release the protected health information specified above.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Authority to Sign if not Patient: \_\_\_\_\_

Identity of Requestor Verified via:      Photo ID      Matching Signature      Other, specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Verified by: \_\_\_\_\_