

# Regional Health Partners

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## AUTHORIZATION FOR MEDICAL RECORDS RELEASE

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

*I hereby authorize the release of my medical records or copies and request that*

- Regional Health Partners, LLC
- Name of Physician/Facility: \_\_\_\_\_
  - Ph. Number \_\_\_\_\_ Fax. Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Release my records to:**

- MYSELF
- Regional Health Partners, LLC
- RECIPIENT :
  - Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to Patient \_\_\_\_\_
  - Address \_\_\_\_\_
  - Ph. Number \_\_\_\_\_
  - Fax Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Method of Delivery**

- PICK UP** my records during regular business hours. I understand that there will be a \$25 charge for this if more than 5 pages are processed. Records will be ready within 3-5 business days.
- MAIL** records by certified mail. *I understand there is a \$25 charge for this, in addition to postage expenses. If I do not sign for the certified mail and it is returned to RHP, I must pick up my records during regular business hours.* Records will be mailed within 7-10 business days.
- FAX** understand that by having my records faxed, I risk another person viewing my confidential medical information. *If you choose to receive medical records at a company, be aware that some companies use digital fax software, and a copy of the fax is stored in a computer perhaps indefinitely.* I understand there is a \$25 charge for this if more than 5 pages are processed. Records will be ready to fax within 3-5 days
- EMAIL** my records during regular business hours. I understand that there will be a 3 page limit for this option. I also understand that email is NOT A SECURE METHOD OF TRANSMISSION. Emails may not be encrypted or protected.
  - o Email \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_ Records will be ready within 3-5 business days.

**Medical Records to be Released (Please choose one.):**

- COMPLETE** History of Medical Records
- ONLY** Medical Records dated from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_
- OTHER** (PLEASE BE SPECIFIC) \_\_\_\_\_
- VERBAL VERIFICATION of (circle):**      **Appointments**                      **Financial**                      **Urine Drug Screen Results**

I understand that if the person or agency that receives my information is not a healthcare provider or health plan covered by HIPAA privacy regulations, the information described above may be redisclosed, and is no longer protected by these regulations.

I understand that written notification is necessary to cancel this authorization, and can be addressed to the department listed at the bottom of this form. I am aware that my cancellation will not be effective as to disclosures already made in reference to this authorization.

I understand that RHP may not condition treatment on my decision to sign this authorization.

**I understand that this disclosure may include information regarding drug abuse, alcoholism, or alcohol abuse, psychiatric or mental illness, Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome (AIDS) or infection with HIV regulated by Federal Statute (42 CFR Part 2).**

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Signature of Patient    & PARENT/GUARDIAN IF PATIENT IS A MINOR

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Print Name of Patient    & PARENT/GUARDIAN IF PATIENT IS A MINOR

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

<b>Official Use Only</b> Staff Initials: _____ Date: _____  *Please use Medical Records Release Fax Coversheet when faxing. Notes: _____
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