

ST. ALOISIUS MEDICAL CENTER
Sisters of Mary of the Presentation Health System

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Name of Patient _____ Birthdate _____ Medical Record Number _____

I hereby authorize _____
(Name and Address of Individual or Organization)

To release to _____
(Name and Address of Individual or Organization to Receive information)

The following information from my medical record for dates of service From _____ Through _____.

_____ Clinical Resume/Discharge Summary	_____ Pathology	Internal Use by St Aloisius Staff Completed by: _____
_____ History and Physical Report	_____ Laboratory Report	
_____ Consultation Report	_____ Radiology Report	_____ Other (Please specify)
_____ Operative Report	_____ EKG	_____
_____ Emergency Room	_____ Billing Records	_____

ALL RECORDS PERTAINING TO PSYCHIATRIC/MENTAL HEALTH, ALCOHOL AND/OR DRUG DEPENDENCY, AND/OR HIV/HIV RELATED ILLNESS WILL NOT BE RELEASED UNLESS SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZED BELOW IN WRITING.

I specifically authorize the release of the following records:

Psychiatric /Psychological _____ (Initials) HIV _____ (Initials) Drug and/or Alcohol Dependency _____ (Initials)

The information is necessary for the following purpose:

_____ Diagnosis and Treatment	_____ Legal	_____ Personal: _____
_____ Insurance	_____ Military	_____ Other: _____

This authorization shall remain in effect until the following date, event or condition: _____
If no date, event, or condition is specified, this authorization will expire in one (1) year.

Of Note: Any patient s 14 years or older must authorize the release of their own sensitive information such as psychiatric, mental health, chemical dependency, contraception or STD's.

1. This authorization remains in effect until the above date, event, or condition, unless specifically revoked by written notice to the individual or organization. I understand that this authorization may be revoked at any time. I understand that if I revoke this authorization, it will not affect any actions taken prior to the revocation.
2. I understand that authorizing the disclosure of this health information is voluntary. I can refuse to sign this authorization. I need not sign this authorization in order to assure care.
3. I understand that I may inspect or request copies of any information disclosed under this authorization and that I am entitled to a copy of this authorization form once I have signed it.
4. I understand that if the individual or organization that receives the information is not a health care provider or health plan covered by federal privacy regulations the information described above may be re-disclosed and no longer protected by these federal regulations.
5. A photocopy of this authorization is as effective as the original.

(Signature of Patient or Legal Representative)

(Relationship)

(Date)

(If patient unable to sign, state reason)