

AUTHORIZATION FOR DISCLOSURE OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION

ROTHMAN ORTHOPAEDIC SPECIALTY HOSPITAL

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION EXCEPT FOR REQUIRED SIGNATURES.

PATIENT NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____
 PATIENT'S ADDRESS: _____
 CITY/STATE/ZIP: _____
 PHONE # for us to CONTACT YOU IF WE HAVE ANY QUESTIONS: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Disclosure of protected health information is made at my request for:

- Change of Insurance Referral Other _____
 Change of Physician Personal health records Legal or Attorney Use

DESCRIBE WHAT SPECIFIC RECORDS MAY BE DISCLOSED/CHECK ALL THAT APPLY:

All Records* Records from (date) _____ to (date) _____
 Billing Records/Statements for Services Labs and Diagnostic test results only
 Discharge Summary ONLY Physician's Progress Notes, History & Physical and Operative Report/Procedure Notes
 Other/please provide specific information: _____

* "All records" means all protected health information in a designated record set, which includes but is not limited to patient family histories, genetic information, inpatient/outpatient records, medical, dental, psychiatric, alcohol/chemical/substance abuse, HIV/AIDS, pharmaceutical, hospital or physician records, office notes, narrative summaries, correspondence to/from/about me, diagnostic testing results, bills, statements & invoices and information from all other health care providers used for our care and treatment in the hospital/facility. Some records have Federal Privacy Protections. This does not include psychotherapy notes, which require separate "authorization to disclose".

Persons, facility, or class of persons who are authorized to disclose (provide) the records/information:

ROTHMAN ORTHOPAEDIC SPECIALTY HOSPITAL
 Other: _____

Persons, facility, or class of persons who are authorized to receive the records/information:

Physician/Hospital/Other/Self: _____
Attorney/Law Firm: _____ N/A
Address _____
City/State Zip _____
Phone # _____

Please complete more than one form if multiple disclosures to multiple providers are requested.

I hereby authorize the disclosure of the information described. I understand that if the person or entity that receives the described records/information is not a health care provider or health plan covered by federal privacy regulations, the records/information may be redisclosed and no longer protected by those regulations. I also understand that certain records may be protected by federal or state law, and I am requesting that any and all such protected records be released under this authorization. If I revoke this authorization, it will have no effect on actions taken or information already sent as authorized by his form. I also understand that the hospital/facility will not condition treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility on whether I sign the authorization. I also understand that I may have a copy of this form after I sign it. I also permit disclosure of information upon presentation of a photocopy of this authorization. I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization. I may do so by delivering or mailing a written revocation to this facility/hospital, any other healthcare provider or attorney or law firm if named above. Unless otherwise revoked, the authorization will expire on the following date, event or condition _____. ***If a specific expiration date, event or condition is not indicated, this authorization will expire 1 (one) year from date signed.***

I have read and understand this form. I am the patient listed or am authorized to act on behalf of the patient as the patient's personal representative (if personal representative has Power of Attorney, please be prepared to provide documentation of such form)

Signature of Patient (or Patient's Personal Representative, if applicable) _____
Date of Signature

Personal Representative's Relationship/Capacity to Patient: _____

Printed Name of Personal Representative: _____

Printed address & telephone number of Personal Representative: _____