Cascade Pediatrics LLP

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Authorization for Use or Disclosure of Protected Health Information

Patient Name:____ Date of Birth: ____________________

- ◻ Furnish a copy of the following medical records
- ◻ Verbal disclosure of the following medical records

Receiving Party: ________________________________ Time Period from ___________ to __________

- ◻ Laboratory Data
- ◻ Radiology Reports
- ◻ Progress/Doctor's Notes
- ◻ Operative Reports, Findings & Complications
- ◻ Hospital Notes
- ◻ ER Notes
- ◻ Pathology Reports
- ◻ Entire Chart
- ◻ Other Documents (please specify) ____

Physician/Practice releasing records:
Name: __________________________
Address: _______________________________
City/State/Zip :____________________________
Phone: (____) ___________________________
Fax: (____) _____________________________

Name/Organization to receive records:
Name: _________________________________
Address: _______________________________
City/State/Zip: __________________________
Phone: (____) ____________________________
Fax: (____) ____________________________

I authorize the release of these medical records *from* Cascade Pediatrics to all physicians, relevant healthcare facilities and diagnostic centers involved in the course of my treatment. I agree that the information may be faxed for expediency.

I specifically consent to the disclosure as indicated above that may contain the following information:

- ◻ Alcohol/drug/substance abuse information _________ (initials)
- ◻ HIV test results or diagnosis of AIDs and AIDs related conditions _________ (initials)
- ◻ Mental health information _________ (initials)
- ◻ Pregnancy information _________ (initials)
- ◻ Sexually transmitted diseases (STD) information _________ (initials)

If not previously revoked, this authorization to use or disclose protected health information will expire TWELVE (12) months from the date of my signature or as otherwise specified by date, event or conditions(s) as follows:

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In the event substance use disorder (SUD) records are included in my medical records, I authorize Cascade Pediatrics to disclose those records for the purpose of treatment, payment and health care operations (TPO). This release of SUD records for TPO purposes is not subject to the expiration date noted above and will remain in effect unless it is revoked in writing following the procedure below. _____________ (initials)

I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization, in writing, at any time by sending such written notification to: Cascade Pediatrics Attn: Privacy Contact, 5150 Cascade Rd SE, Grand Rapids, MI 49546. I understand that a revocation is not effective to the extent that my physician has relied on the use or disclosure of the protected health information or if my authorization was obtained as a condition of obtaining insurance coverage and the insurer has a legal right to contest a claim.

I understand that information used or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be disclosed by the recipient and may no longer be protected by federal or state law.

My physician will not condition my treatment, payment, enrollment in a health plan or eligibility for benefits (if applicable) on whether I provide authorization for the requested use or disclosure except (1) if my treatment is related to research, or (2) health care services are provided to me solely for the purpose of creating protected health information for disclosure to a third party.

The use or disclosure requested under this authorization will result in direct or indirect remuneration to my physician from a third party**.** [If applicable because the authorization is obtained for marketing purposes.] I have the right to inspect and obtain a copy of the information disclosed. A true and exact photocopy/faxed copy of this authorization shall have the same effect as the original.

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Signature of Patient or Personal Representative

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Print Name of Patient or Personal Representative

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Date

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Description of Personal Representative's Authority