

Consent to Release Information

I, _____, authorize
(Client Name, [if a minor, also include Parent/Guardian Name])

Lori Zoucha, LMHP, CPC, NCC to disclose to and _____ to receive information from:
____ Attorney

____ Probation or Other Government Entity:

____ Treatment Provider

____ Insurance or Medicaid

____ Name and Phone Number of One Friend

____ Name and Phone Number of One Relative

INFORMATION and PURPOSE for RELEASE

Authorization is hereby given to exchange information in written, verbal, or electronic form regarding the above named individual between the above listed agencies and individual(s) to be used for the purpose(s) of:

Assessment Coordination of Services Continuity of Care Insurance Legal Collateral

The specific information to be exchanged is as follows:

____ Aftercare/Discharge Plan	____ Medical/Social History
____ Current Medications	____ Progress Reports/Summary of Treatment
____ Discharge Summary	____ Psychiatric History and Diagnosis
____ Drugs/Alcohol Information/Evaluation	____ Psychological Testing Information
____ Financial Resource and Eligibility	____ Treatment/Service Plan
____ Individual Education Plan	____ Other: _____

This authorization specifically includes:

Mental Health Drug/Alcohol Other: _____

If requested records include drug and alcohol information, I understand that my alcohol and drug treatment records are protected under the federal regulations governing Confidentiality of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Patient Records, 42 C.F.R. Part 2, and cannot be disclosed without my written consent unless otherwise provided for in the regulations.

I understand this Release of Information may be revoked at any time, except to the extent that action has already been taken and reliance on this Release of Information. I understand if I wish to revoke this Release of Information, I must do so in writing and present my written revocation to Lori Zoucha, LMHP, CPC, NCC.

Unless otherwise revoked, this Release of Information will expire on the following date, event, or condition: _____. (90 days for one time request/180 days for ongoing services). If I fail to specify an expiration date, event, or condition, this Release of Information will expire one hundred eighty (180) days from the date below.

I understand this Release of Information is voluntary. I can refuse to sign this Release of Information. I need not sign this Release of Information in order to receive treatment. I understand that I may inspect or copy the information to be used or disclosed, as provided for in, and subject to the limitations of, 45 C.F.R. §164.524. I understand that any disclosure of information carries with it the potential for an unauthorized redisclosure and the information may no longer be protected by federal and state confidentiality laws.

By signing this form, I consent to the service provider identified above disclosing my protected health information:

Client Signature

Date

Parent/Legal Guardian Signature

Date

Therapist Signature

Date