

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGMENT

I understand that under the health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPPA), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I understand that the information can be used to, but are not excluded to:

- Conduct plan and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly.
- Obtain payment from third-party payers.
- Conduct normal healthcare operations such as quality assessments and physician certifications

I have received, read and understand your Notice of Privacy Practices containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my health information. I understand that this organization has the right to change the Notice of Privacy Practices from time to time and that I may contact this organization at any time at the address above to obtain a current copy of Notice of Privacy Practices.

I understand that I may request in writing that you restrict how my privacy information is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. I also understand you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

Patients Name _____

Name of Parent of responsible party _____

Relationship to Patient _____

Signature _____

Date _____

Office use only

I attempted to obtain patient's signature in acknowledgment of this Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgment, but was unable to do so as documented below.

Date _____ Initials _____ Reason _____