

NORTHEAST FLORIDA INTERNAL MEDICINE
Elyssa Blissenbach, MD, PA
2065 Herschel Street
Jacksonville, Florida 32204
904-387-4050

PATIENT INFORMATION SHEET

Name: _____ SSN: _____
 First M.I. Last

Date of Birth: _____ Male: _____ Female: _____

Single: _____ Married: _____ Widowed: _____ Divorced: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Employer: _____ Address: _____

Spouse's Name: _____ Work Phone: _____

Referred By: _____ Address: _____

Primary Insurance: _____ Policy Number: _____

Secondary Insurance: _____ Policy Number: _____

In case of emergency notify: Name: _____ Phone Number: _____

Email: _____ Referred By: _____

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING AUTHORIZATION AND SIGN:

I hereby authorize my insurance benefit to be paid directly to Elyssa A. Blissenbach, M.D., P.A. for any services furnished to me I acknowledge financial responsibility for non-covered service. I also authorize the physician to release any information required to process this claim.

Patient's Signature _____ Date: _____

REVIEW OF SYSTEMS

Patient Generated

Patient Name: _____

Date: _____

Check either yes or no for each item except where applies to only male or female.

		Conditions		Yes	No			Conditions		Yes	No			Conditions		Yes	No	
GENERAL		Fever				NECK		Stiffness				PSYCHOLOGICAL		Is your life:				
		Chills						Swelling							Satisfactory			
		Bruise Easily						Lumps							Boring			
		Swollen Glands						Other							Demanding			
		Loss of Memory						Appetite Poor							Unsatisfactory			
ENT		General Weakness				GASTROINTESTINAL		Indigestion/Heartburn					Is there worry over					
		Aches/Pains						Nausea						Home Life				
		Double Vision						Vomiting Blood						Marriage				
		Light Flashes						Abdominal Pain/Cramps						Job				
		Blurred Vision w/o Glasses						Abdominal Tension						Children				
		Halos Around Lights						Diarrhea						Money				
		Eye Pains						Constipation						Do you:				
		Ear Pains						Bowel Changes						Often Feel Depressed				
		Buzzing/Ringing in Ears						Rectum Blood						Have Irrational Fears				
		Nose Bleeds						Black Tar-Type Movements						Feeling things go wrong often				
		Sinus Problems						Other*						Feel Upset				
		Swallowing Problems						Up Nights to Urinate						Feel Shy				
		Deafness						Blood in Urine						Cry Easily				
	SKIN		Mouth/Tooth/Tongue Problems					KIDNEY		Burning or Pain while Urinating					Feel Inferior			
			Persistent Hoarseness							Problem Urinating						Have you:		
		Severe Headaches					Trouble Controlling Urine							Attempted Suicide				
		Other*					Other*							Seriously Considered Suicide				
		Rash					Leg/Arm Weakness							Lump in Testicles				
		Changing Moles					Balance Problems							Penis Discharge				
		Pigmentation					Dizziness							Breast Lump				
		Other Skin Problems					Fainting Spells							Sore on Penis				
		Irregular Heart Beat					Speech Problems							Erection Difficulties				
		Shortness of Breath					Other*							Other*				
CHEST/HEART / LUNGS		Low Exercise Tolerance				MUSC		Joint Pains					MALE GENITALIA		Breast Lump			
		Heart Flutters						Joint Swelling							Nipple Discharge			
		Chest Pains						Muscle Strength Loss							Vaginal Discharge			
		Frequent Cough						Muscle Lump/Swelling							Non-Period Bleeding/Spotting			
		Cough up Blood						Lump on Bone							Hot Flashes			
		Wheezing						Pains in Back							Pain with Intercourse			
		Night Sweats						Other*							Possibly Pregnant			
		Swollen Ankles						Constant Thirst							Change in Periods			
		Cramps in Legs						Most Always Cold							Pain Other than with Periods			
		Other*						Too Warm Most Times							Other*			
ENDOCRINE						BONE / JOINTS		Very Sluggish or Tired					FEMALE GENITALIA					
								Jumpy/Nervous										

Explain Other*:

Patients Name: _____

DOB: _____

PHYSICAL ACTIVITY:

1. How many **times per week** do you accumulate 30 minutes of daily activity such as walking, climbing stairs, raking leaves, or vacuuming/sweeping?

Circle Number of days: None 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

2. How many **times per week** do you engage in cardiovascular (aerobic) exercise of at least 20-30 minutes duration such as brisk walking, cycling, jogging, swimming, active sports, etc.?

Circle Number of Days None 1 2 3 4 5 6 7

PERSONAL HEALTH HISTORY:

Check each of the health conditions you have now or have had in the past. Please enter the approximate date of onset under each

Cardiovascular

- Heart Attack
- Angina
- Bypass Surgery
- Angioplasty
- Heart Valve Disease
- Heart Valve Surgery
- Pacemaker
- Defibrillator Implant
- Atrial Fibrillation
- Arrhythmias
- Mitral Valve Prolapse
- Stroke
- TIA or "Mini-stroke"
- Carotid Blockage
- Leg Artery Blockage
- Angioplasty to Legs
- Abdominal Aneurysm
- Bypass Surgery to Legs
- Stent Placement in Heart
- Stent Placement in Legs

Pulmonary

- Asthma
- Emphysema
- COPD
- Recurrent Pneumonia
- Pulm Hypertension
- Restrictive Disease
- Lung Cancer
- Tuberculosis
- Chronic Bronchitis

Psychosocial

- Depression
- Stress
- Anxiety
- Nervous Disorder

Musculoskeletal

- Arthritis
- Low Back Pain
- Back Surgery
- Hip Replacement
- Knee Replacement
- Other Joint Surgery
- Fibromyalgia
- Myofascial Palm
- Rotator Cuff Disorder
- Scailes
- Chronic Fatigue

Other Conditions

- Thyroid Disease
- Pancreatitis
- High Blood Pressure
- Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome
- Seizures
- Breast Cancer
- Prostate Cancer
- Colon Cancer
- Other Cancer _____
- Bowel Polyps
- Inflammatory Bowel Disease
- Irritable Bowel Disease
- Reflux (GERD)
- Stomach Ulcer
- Hepatitis
- Cirrhosis/Liver Disease
- Weight Loss or Gain
- Kidney Disease
- Protein in Urine
- High Cholesterol
- Retinopathy
- Neuropathy
- Recurrent Infections

Other: _____

Patient Name: _____ DOB: _____

SURGICAL HISTORY: (Please list all surgeries with approximate date):

1. _____ 2. _____
3. _____ 4. _____
5. _____ 6. _____

Describe your current state of health: Excellent Very Good Good Fair Poor

FAMILY HISTORY:

	<u>Father</u>	<u>Mother</u>	<u>Brother</u>	<u>Sister</u>	<u>Grandparent</u>
Living? Check if "yes"	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
History Unknown	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Heart Attack, bypass surgery, angioplasty before age 55	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Heart Attack, bypass surgery, angioplasty After age 55	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Diabetes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
High Blood Pressure	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Elevated cholesterol or triglycerides or low HDL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Stroke	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Colon Cancer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Breast Cancer	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Cancer / Malignancy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Arthritis, any type	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Thyroid Disease	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Alcoholism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

SOCIAL HISTORY: Martial Status: Single Married Separated Divorced Widow(er)

Occupation: _____ **Current Employer:** _____

How much caffeine (coffee, tea, sodas, etc.) do you drink? Number of servings per day? ____ Per week? ____

How much alcohol do you drink? Number of drinks per day? ____ Per Week? ____ Per Month? ____ for ____ years

Do you use tobacco? No Yes Cigarettes Cigar Snuff/Chew When did you quit? _____

Number of packs per day? _____ Number of years you smoked? _____

Have you ever used marijuana, cocaine, or other drugs? No Yes

Patient Name: _____ DOB: _____

MEDICAL / VITAMINS / SUPPLEMENTS / BIRTH CONTROL

Name of Pharmacy: _____ Phone # _____

Do you send your prescriptions in to mail order? (Circle One) Yes No

If requesting refills, please indicate quantity needed (Circle One) 30 Days 90 Days

Please list all PRESCRIPTION MEDICATIONS:

NAME OF DRUG	DOSE	TIMES PER DAY

Name of Glucometer (Sugar Machine): _____

How often do you forget to take or miss your diabetes medication? _____

If you inject insulin, do you use insulin pens or vials? _____

Brand and size of syringes? _____

Please list the name and dose of all over-the-counter medications you currently take:

Vitamins / Minerals: _____

Dietary Supplements: _____

Aspirin: _____

Herbal Products: _____

Pain Relief Products: _____

ALLERGIES (Medications, Latex)? Please list type of reaction next to each allergy:

ELYSSA BLISSENBACH M.D., P.A.

AUTHORIZATION TO LEAVE DETAILED VOICEMAIL

By signing this form, you authorize Dr. Blissenbach and her staff to leave a detailed message regarding your lab and/or test results on your answering machine or voicemail. It is your responsibility to provide us with your updated phone number and/or any changes to this policy.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Patient Name: _____

Patient Signature: _____

Best phone number(s) to call: _____

**NORTHEAST FLORIDA INTERNAL MEDICINE
ELYSSA BLISSENBACH, M.D., P.A.**

APPOINTMENT CANCELLATIONS

As a courtesy to your Doctor, Nurse Practitioner, and other patients, please give a 24 hour notice if cancelling or rescheduling your appointment. If you fail to give this notice, you will be charged a \$25.00 late cancellation fee.

In the event you are charged this fee, you will be required to pay the amount before a future appointment(s) can be made.

By signing this, you are in agreement of this policy.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

PROCEDURE CANCELLATIONS

There will be a \$50.00 cancellation fee per procedure of any procedures not cancelled within a 24 hour period. This also applies to no-shows.

By signing this, you are in agreement of this policy.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

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The charges listed below are not covered by any insurance plan and are the patient's responsibility:

- Office visit no-show fee \$25.00
- Procedure no-show fee \$50.00
- Letters written \$25.00 (unless requested at time of a scheduled visit)
- Medical records \$ 1.00 per page
- Disability/FMLA paperwork requires an office visit regardless of how recently seen

If a patient is in collections, they cannot be seen unless it is an emergency visit, until their account is brought current.

Please be advised if you come in for a non-scheduled visit which results in discussing any medical condition with a provider or medical personnel, you will be billed for an office visit.

PRINT NAME: _____

SIGN NAME: _____ DATE: _____

FINANCIAL POLICY

As your family practitioner, we are committed to providing you with the best possible medical care. In order to achieve this goal, we need your assistance and your understanding of our payment policy.

- **PAYMENT FOR SERVICES IS DUE AT THE TIME SERVICES ARE RENDERED:** We accept cash, personal checks, debit cards and credit cards. Returned checks are subject to a \$35.00 service fee and you will lose your privilege to write checks.
- **PPO INSURANCE COVERAGE:** CO-PAYMENT and DEDUCTIBLE MUST VBE PAID AT THE TIME OF SERVICE. Because we are under contract with these insurance companies, we will file your insurance.
- **MEDICARE:** Your deductible and 20% of the allowable charges are due at the time of service, however, since we are a Medicare provider, we will file your Medicare. If we do not know the allowable charge for a specific service or deductible, you will be billed after payment is received from Medicare.
- **AUTOMOTIVE ACCIDENTS:** We will file your insurance claim when you are involved in an automobile accident, however, it is your responsibility to provide us with your insurance information so that we can verify your coverage. You will be responsible for payment of your portion at the time you receive medical treatment.
- **LABORATORY BILLING PROCEDURE:** I have been informed that all laboratory procedures done outside of the office (blood work, cultures, PAP smears, etc.) will not be included in the charges for Elyssa Blissenbach, M.D., P.A. All lab tests performed by an outside laboratory are billed separately to either my insurance company or myself. I understand that all charges not covered by my insurance are my responsibility. I will direct any questions regarding a bill or statement from an outside laboratory to the lab. Elyssa Blissenbach, M.D., P.A., will send my lab specimens to a laboratory that accepts my insurance.
- **NO SHOW POLICY:** Failure to show for a scheduled appointment will result in a \$25.00 charge. It is your responsibility to notify the office 24 hours in advance if you are unable to keep your appointment.
- **CONSENT FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT:** I am the patient or the patient's duly authorized representative and do hereby voluntarily consent to and authorize care encompassing all diagnostic and therapeutic treatments considered necessary in the judgment of my physician of his/her designee for myself, my minor child or other. I am aware that the practice of medicine is not an exact science and I acknowledge that no guarantees have been made to me as a result of treatment or examinations performed. This form has been fully explained to me and I certify that I understand and accept its contents as noted.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

ELYSSA BLISSENBACH M.D., P.A.

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE HEALTH INFORMATION AND TO RELEASE SCRIPTS/MEDS

This form authorizes us to discuss your health with someone other than you. This form also authorizes us to release medications or prescriptions to other than you. Please provide us with their name, phone number, and relationship to you. It is your responsibility to provide us with their updated phone number and/or any changes to this policy.

_____ It is o.k. to discuss my health/release medications/Scripts
_____ I do not want Dr. Blissenbach's staff to discuss my health nor release any meds or scripts to anyone.

Who can we talk to regarding your health?

Name	Phone Number	Relationship

Patient Name (PRINT): _____ Date of birth _____

Patient Signature: _____ Date: _____

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**Authorization for
Release of Medical Information**

Patient Name: _____	Birth Date: _____
Social Security # (Last 4 digits only): _____	Telephone # _____

Address: _____

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE: _____ and its affiliates and agents.
(Facility Name)

RELEASE THE FOLLOWING MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT ME TO:

Organization/Person Name: _____
 Address: _____ Telephone # _____
 City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

FOR THE FOLLOWING PURPOSE:

<input type="checkbox"/> Continued Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Security Disability	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Legal Reasons	<input type="checkbox"/> DCF	
<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Life	

MEDICAL INFORMATION TO BE RELEASED:

Psychotherapy Notes. (If you are requesting Psychotherapy Notes, then you may not release any other information with this authorization and you may not check any of the other boxes in this section. To release your other records, you must submit a separate authorization.)

<input type="checkbox"/> History & Physical	<input type="checkbox"/> Laboratory Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Department Record
<input type="checkbox"/> Discharge Summary	<input type="checkbox"/> Radiology Reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Other Medical Information: _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Consultation	<input type="checkbox"/> Pathology Reports	
<input type="checkbox"/> Operative/Procedure Report	<input type="checkbox"/> Anesthesia Reports	
<input type="checkbox"/> Complete Record (excluding Psychotherapy Notes, if any)		

DATES OF SERVICE NEEDED: From _____ To _____
 All dates of service

FEE SCHEDULE: \$1.00 per page — paper records up to 25 pages
 \$0.25 per page — paper records after 25 pages

NOTE: Fee will be waived if released to treating Doctor/Treatment Facility.

- I understand that the released information may include information relating to the diagnosis, treatment, and/or examination for **ALCOHOL**, and **DRUG USE; MENTAL HEALTH (psychiatry/psychology/psychotherapy); and HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus) and AIDS (Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome)**.
- I acknowledge that I am signing this authorization voluntarily.
- I understand that I may revoke this authorization in writing at anytime, except to the extent already relied upon and except as stated in Dr. Blissenbach's Notice of Privacy Practices. Also, patients who believe information in their medical record is incorrect or incomplete may request an amendment of patient information. To revoke this authorization or request an amendment, contact Dr. Blissenbach's office.
- The law prohibits recipients of this information without the specific written consent of the patient. However, I understand that Dr. Blissenbach cannot guarantee that recipients of the information will not use or re-disclose it contrary to such legal prohibitions, and the information may no longer be protected by privacy laws once it has been so used or re-disclosed.
- The law prohibits the disclosure of mental health records to certain individuals in some circumstances, which may include patients and their family members.
- This authorization expires twelve months from the date listed below and covers only dates of service for the dates specified above.

I have read and understood this authorization. I hereby authorize the release of the above-requested medical information about me.

_____ Signature of Patient	_____ Signature of Patient's Authorized Representative
_____ Date	_____ Description of Representative's Authority to act for Patient
_____ Witness	

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

If you have any questions about this notice, please contact the office.

OUR PLEDGE REGARDING MEDICAL INFORMATION

We understand that medical information about you and your health is personal and we are committed to maintaining the confidentiality of your medical information. We create and maintain a record of the care and services that you receive in our practice, whether made by your personal doctor or by personnel within our practice.

This notice advises you about the ways in which we may use and disclose medical information about you. It also describes your rights to access and control your medical information. Medical information is about you. Including demographics, that may identify you and relate to your past, present, and/or future physical or mental health condition. This notice also describes your rights and explains obligations we have regarding the use and disclosure of medical information.

WE ARE REQUIRED BY LAW TO:

- Make sure that medical information that identifies you is kept private.
- Provide you with this notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to medical information about you.
- Follow the terms described in this notice.

We may change the terms of this notice at any time. The new notice will be effective for all protected health information that we maintain at the time. Upon your request, we will provide you with any revised **NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES**.

MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU

The following categories describe different ways that we may use and disclose medical information. For each category of uses or disclosures we will explain what we mean and provide an example. Not every use or disclosure in a category will be listed below. However, all of the ways which we are permitted to use and disclose information will be included within one of the following categories.

TREATMENT: We may use medical information about you to provide you with medical treatment or services. We may disclose medical information about you to doctors, nurses, tech, medical students, or other practice personnel who are involved in your medical care treatment. For example, a doctor treating you for a fracture would need to know if you have diabetes because diabetes may slow down the healing process. If you have other physicians, we may request tests and/or labs performed for coordination of care.

PAYMENT: We may need to disclose medical information about services rendered in order to receive reimbursement from the insurance company.

TREATMENT ALTERNATIVES: We may disclose information about you or recommend possible treatment options or alternatives that may interest you. For example, we may use your information to see if you qualify for patient assistance for medications.

INDIVIDUAL INVOLVED IN YOUR CARE OR PAYMENT FOR YOUR CARE: We may release medical information about you to a friend or family member who is involved in your medical care. We may also give information to someone who helps pay for your care. We may also advise your friend or family member if you are in the hospital. We may disclose information about you to an entity assisting in a relief disaster so that your family may be notified about your condition, status, and location.

EMERGENCIES: WE MAY ALSO DISCLOSE INFORMATION IN AN EMERGENCY TREATMENT SITUATION. THE DOCTOR SHALL TRY TO OBTAIN YOUR CONSENT AS SOON AS REASONABLY POSSIBLE, AFTER THE DELIVERY OF TREATMENT.

WE MAY RELEASE INFORMATION TO A CORONOR, MEDICAL EXAMINER, OR FUNERAL DIRECTOR. THIS MAY BE NECESSARY TO IDENTIFY A DECEASED PERSON OR TO DETERMINE A CAUSE OF DEATH.

SOMETIMES WE WILL DISCLOSE YOUR MEDICAL INFORMATION WHEN REQUIRED TO DO SO BY FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL LAW. THE USE AND DISCLOSURE WILL BE MADE IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE LAW AND WILL BE LIMITED TO THE RELEVANT REQUIREMENTS OF THE LAW.

LEGAL PROCEEDINGS: If you are involved in a lawsuit or dispute, we may disclose information in response to a court order.

PUBLIC HEALTH: We may disclose medical information about you for public health activities. These activities generally include the following:

- To prevent or control disease, injury, or disability
- To report births or deaths
- To report child abuse or neglect
- To report reactions to medications or problems with products
- To notify recalls of products they may be using
- To notify a person who may be exposed to a disease or may be at risk for contracting or spreading a disease or condition
- To notify the appropriate government authority if we believe a patient has been a victim of abuse or neglect or domestic violence. In this case the disclosures' will be made consistent with requirements of applicable state and federal laws.

TO AVERT A SERIOUS THREAT TO HEALTH OR SAFETY: We may use and disclose information about you when necessary to prevent a serious threat to your health and safety or the health and safety of the public or another person.

CRIMINAL ACTIVITY: Consistent with applicable state and federal laws, we may disclose your medical information if we believe that the use of disclosure is necessary to prevent or lessen a serious or imminent threat to the health and safety of a person of the public.

MILITARY & VETERANS: If you are a member of the armed forces, we may release medical information about you as requested by military command. We may also disclose information about you to the Department of Veteran Affairs upon your separation or discharge from military services.

WORKER'S COMP: We may release medical information about you to comply with Worker's Comp laws or similar programs. These programs provide benefits for work-related injuries or illnesses.

YOUR RIGHTS REGARDING MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU.

You have the following rights regarding medical information we retain about you.

RIGHT TO INSPECT & COPY: You have the right to inspect and copy information that may be used to make decisions about your care. Usually this includes medical and billing records and any other records that your doctor and the practice use for making decisions about you. We may deny your request to inspect and copy to certain limited circumstances. Under federal law, you may not inspect or copy 1) Psychotherapy notes; 2) Information compiled in reasonable anticipation of or use in a civil, criminal, or administrative action, or proceeding; 3) Medical information that is subject to law that prohibits access to medical information. If you are denied access to medical information, you may request that the denial be reviewed. Another licensed health care professional chosen by the practice will review your request and the denial. The person conducting the review will not be the person who denied your request.

To inspect and copy information that may be used to make decisions about you, you must submit your request in writing to our OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR. If you request a copy of the information, we will charge you a fee as PERMITTED by the state law for the costs of copying, mailing, or other supplies associated with your request.

If for any reason you find that medical information we have about you is incorrect or incomplete, you have the right to request an amendment for as long as the information is maintained by this practice. Your request must be made in writing to our OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR. You must provide a valid reason that supports your request. In addition, we may deny your request if you ask us to amend information that:

- Was not created by us, unless the person or entity that created the information is no longer available to make the amendment
- Is not a part of the medical information obtained by this practice
- Is not a part of the information that you would be permitted to inspect and copy
- Is accurate and complete

RIGHT TO REQUEST CONFIDENTIAL COMMUNICATIONS: You have the right to request that we communicate with you about medical matters in an alternative way or at an alternative location.

THE PRACTICE IS NOT REQUIRED TO AGREE TO YOUR REQUEST: If your doctor believes that it is in your best interest to permit the use and disclosure of your medical information then your medical information will **not** be restricted. If we do agree, we will comply with your request unless the information is needed to provide you with emergency treatment. With this in mind PLEASE DISCUSS ANY RESTRICTIONS YOU WISH TO REQUEST WITH THE DOCTOR.

YOU HAVE A RIGHT TO REQUEST A PAPER COPY OF THIS NOTICE.

COMPLAINTS: If you believe your privacy rights have been violated, you may file a complaint with the Practice Administrator or secretary of Health and Human Services. All complaints must be made in writing. **You will not be penalized for filing a complaint.**

OTHER USES OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

Other uses and disclosures of medical information not covered by this notice or the laws that apply, will be made only with your written permission. If you provide us permission to use or disclose medical information about you, you may revoke that permission, in writing, at any time. If you revoke your permission, we will no longer use or disclose medical information about you for the reasons covered by your written authorization. You understand that we are unable to take back any disclosure we have already made with your permission, and that we are required to retain our records of the care that we provide you.

PLEASE COMPLETE BY SIGNING AND DATING THE PATIENTS ACKNOWLEDGEMENT SECTION ON THE FOLLOWING PAGE.

PATIENT'S ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I hereby acknowledge that I have been provided with the practice's **NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES** and that I have read and fully understand the notice. I have been provided the opportunity to ask questions about the notice and my questions have been answered to my satisfaction.

Patient Name: _____

Patient Signature: _____ Date: _____

Witness Name: _____

Witness Signature: _____ Date: _____

Patient Pain Information

Patient Name: _____

➤ Do you have any pain or discomfort in any of these areas? (Please check all that apply)

- Back
- Knee
- Wrist
- Neck
- Ankle
- No pain

➤ Have you received a brace, compound treatment, tens unit, or any other product for pain in the last 12 months?

- Yes
- No

If yes, what did you receive? _____

➤ What level of pain are you experiencing? 1-10 (10 being the highest)?

➤ Are you currently taking any form of pain medications or anti-inflammatories?

- Yes
- No