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HIPAA COMPLIANT AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

1. _____ _____ _____
PATIENT'S NAME **SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER** **DATE OF BIRTH**

2. I, the undersigned, authorize the following specific entity to release any and all information requested by the accompanying subpoena or letter, or as noted in paragraph 4 below, to **Legal Copy Services, Inc.,** an agent of the receiving party(ies): _____

Provider: _____

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3. I understand that unless I expressly direct otherwise:
a) the custodian will make the medical information reasonably available for inspection and copying, or,
b) the custodian will deliver to the requesting party the original information or a true exact copy of the original information accompanied by a signed copy of the provided verification statement.
c) this authorization permits oral communication between the custodian and Legal Copy Services, Inc. and/or the requesting party

I understand that medical information may include records, if any, on serious communicable diseases and infections, alcohol and drug abuse, psychology, social work, and information about HIV, AIDS, and/or ARC.

4. A description of the health information I authorize for use and disclosure is:

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5. This authorization is valid for twelve months after being signed, or until the conclusion of the following:

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6. I understand that the entity identified in paragraph 2 above will not condition treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility for benefits on whether or not I sign this authorization

7. This authorization is signed to make my health information available to the other party (ies) to the lawsuit for use in any stage of the law suit. This may include medical information prior to and/or following the date of this authorization, up until the expiration date of the authorization. The medical information covered by this authorization may be relevant as my mental or physical condition is in controversy in the lawsuit. A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as valid as the original.

8. I understand that I may revoke this authorization, except to the extent action has already been taken in reliance upon this authorization, at any time by sending a written revocation to the doctor, hospital, or other custodian of medical information.

9. The recipient of this information identified in paragraph 2 may make further disclosure of this information that may not be subject to the protections set forth in 45 CFR Parts 160 through 164.

_____ _____
PATIENT SIGNATURE DATE OF SIGNATURE

_____ _____
PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE DATE OF SIGNATURE

_____ _____
PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE (DECEASED PATIENT) DATE OF SIGNATURE

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN BEFORE ME

THIS _____ DAY_____20_____

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NOTARY PUBLIC, _____COUNTY

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES:_____