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**AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby authorize Emerald Coast OB/GYN to use and/or disclose the following protected health information:

Records requested from (Facility/Phone/Fax): \_\_\_\_\_

Records requested to be sent to (Facility/Phone/Fax): \_\_\_\_\_

For the purpose of (circle one): (1) Continuance of care (2) Insurance (3) Legal (4) Self

**Information to be released:**

- ( ) Office Notes ( ) Obstetrical Records ( ) Mammography Images on a disc and paper report
( ) Lab Results ( ) Operative Reports ( ) Breast Imaging
( ) Radiology Results ( ) Cytology ( ) Other: \_\_\_\_\_
( ) Pathology Results ( ) Entire Record

This authorization shall be valid for one year from the date signed, at which time this authorization to use or disclose protected health information expires. I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization, in writing, at any time by sending such written notification to the Privacy Officer at the Facility address. I understand that a revocation is not effective to the extent that the facility has taken action in reliance on this authorization. I understand that information used or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected by federal or state law. The Facility 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.

I understand that I have the right to:

- Inspect or copy the protected health information to be used or disclosed as permitted under federal law (or State Law if it provides greater access rights).
Refuse to sign this authorization.

Definition: Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) as defined by law, RCW 70.24 et seq., includes herpes, herpes simplex, human papilloma virus, wart, genital war, condyloma, Chlamydia, non-specific urethritis, syphilis, VDRL, chancroid, lymphogranuloma venereuem; HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus), AIDS (Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome), and gonorrhea.

\*\*\*\*\* PLEASE INITIAL BELOW FOR LABS\*\*\*\*\*

PLEASE INITIAL \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No I authorize the release of my STD results, HIV/AIDS testing, whether negative or positive, to the person(s) listed above.

PLEASE INITIAL \_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_ No I authorize the release of any records regarding drug, alcohol, or mental health treatment to the person(s) listed above.

Signature of Patient or Personal Representative

Date

Patient's Date of Birth

Printed Name of Patient or Personal Representative

Patient's Social Security Number