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# AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE AND/OR OBTAIN COPIES OF A CLINICAL MEDICAL RECORD

I legally authorize KaraLee & Associates, P.C. to release protected health information about me/my child to the recipient listed below.

PATIENT:		RECIPIENT:	☐ IHA Office
Patient's Name		Self or Name of Physician	, Institution, Clinic, Company, etc.
Patient's Address		Address/Suite Number	
City, State, Zip Code		City, State, Zip Code	
Patient's Date of Birth	Phone Number	Phone Number	Fax Number
INFORMATION TO BE I	DISCLOSED:	PURPOSE(S) FOR WHICH TH	E INFORMATION MAY BE DISCLOSED:
☐ Initial Clinical Assessm ☐ Quarterly Review(s) ☐ Psychiatric Evaluation ☐ Medication Log ☐ Discharge ☐ Other: ☐ TO OBTAIN PATIENT I ☐ I authorize release of in	NFORMATION FROM ANOTH	☐ At the Request of the ☐ Continuation of Care. ☐ Attorney/Legal ☐ Social Security/Disab. ☐ Insurance Company ☐ Worker's Compensat. ☐ Other: ☐ VIEW ONLY: (Documents)	Patient /Transfer of Care pility Certification ion ments will not be printed or sent)
Address/Suite Number		City, State, Zip Code	
EXPIRATION: (may be a	specific date or a condition; if left b	plank expires 6 months from date	below):
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REVOCATION (cancelling) & REDISCLOSURE:			
writing. After it is revoked, I authorization.	g): I may revoke (cancel) this author KaraLee & Associates, P.C. will mal formation has been disclosed, it may	ke no further disclosures to the ab	ove persons without a new
SIGNATURE: (Patient, Paren	Print, Legal Representative)	t:	Date:

AUTHORIZATIONS SIGNED BY A LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE MUST INCLUDE A COPY OF THE GUARDIANSHIP PAPERS OR A POWER OF ATTORNEY.

<sup>\*</sup>Payment: There will be fees associated with most record requests. The fees are outlined on attached page.

#### HOW TO OBTAIN COPIES OF MEDICAL RECORDS

Records can be released to anyone that the patient authorizes (in writing) to receive such information.

# REQUESTING MEDICAL INFORMATION ON BEHALF OF SOMEONE OTHER THAN YOURSELF:

If you are requesting medical records for someone other than yourself, you will be required to provide additional documentation to show that you have a legal right to request the record set. Examples of these documents may include Letters of Representation, Guardianship Papers, Affidavits of Heir at Law, etc.

Requests for medical records of deceased patients require a letter of authority in addition to your signed request. The letter of authority is given to the executor of a person's estate by the Probate Court upon their death.

### **FEES:**

For continuation of care, medical records sent from KaraLee and Associates, P.C. to another medical office are free of charge.

Some records requested for legal, insurance, or personal use may require a prepayment. If your request requires prepayment, a fee notice will be given to you. Actual postage will be added to the fees outlined below (if applicable). Records fees will be billed as follows:

#### Patients:

Pages 1-20: \$1.18 per page Pages 21-50: \$0.59 per page Pages 51 and up: \$0.24 per page

## **Attorneys & Insurance Companies:**

Initial Fee: \$23.62 Pages 1-20: \$1.18 per page

Pages 21-50: \$0.59 per page

Pages 51 and up: \$0.24 per page + Actual postage

KaraLee & Associates, P.C. accepts cash, checks, Visa, Mastercard and Discover. Please make checks payable to KaraLee & Associates, P.C.