

MRN #: _____

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION (PHI)

PATIENT NAME _____ D.O.B. ____/____/____

ADDRESS _____ City _____ State _____

ZIP CODE _____ PHONE _____

- *I hereby authorize Gothenburg Health to use and/or disclose my health information as follows:*

DISCLOSE TO / OBTAIN FROM: _____

Recipient Name	Address	Phone/Fax Number

PURPOSE(S) OF DISCLOSURE: _____

INFORMATION TO BE DISCLOSED/OBTAINED FROM:

<input type="checkbox"/> History and physical examination	<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency room record
<input type="checkbox"/> Progress notes	<input type="checkbox"/> Discharge report
<input type="checkbox"/> Lab reports	<input type="checkbox"/> After care plan
<input type="checkbox"/> X-ray reports	<input type="checkbox"/> Financial record
<input type="checkbox"/> Consultation report	<input type="checkbox"/> Complete record

I specifically authorize the release of information relating to:

<input type="checkbox"/> Substance abuse (including alcohol/drug abuse)
<input type="checkbox"/> Mental health
<input type="checkbox"/> HIV/AIDS related information (including test results)

DATES OF SERVICE TO BE DISCLOSED/OBTAINED FROM: (Time period or "All") _____

PREFERRED METHOD OF DELIVERY: USPS Pick Up at hospital Email CD Other _____

I understand and acknowledge that:

1. My refusal to sign this authorization will not affect my ability to obtain treatment at Gothenburg Health.
2. Medical information to be disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and no longer protected by State or federal law.
3. This authorization is effective for 12 months after the date it was signed unless otherwise stipulated. I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by giving written notice to Health Information Management (HIM) or the HIPAA Privacy Officer at the hospital. My revocation will not be effective to the extent action has already been taken in reliance on my authorization.
4. I have read (or had read to me) and have received a copy of this document. A photocopy or exact reproduction of this signed authorization shall have the same force and effect as the original.

Signature of patient or patient's personal representative

Date

Relationship to patient if signed by personal representative