

LAKESHORE

BONE & JOINT INSTITUTE

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Authorization for Release of Medical Information

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ Acct #: _____
Address: _____ City/State/Zip Code: _____
Best Contact Number: _____ Date of Request: _____ Date Needed: _____

I hereby authorize _____ (print name or provider) to release information from my medical record as indicated below to:

Name: _____
Address: _____ City/State/Zip Code: _____
Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Information to be released: MRI image X-Ray image Copy of entire medical record as allowed by law
Date(s) of Treatment: _____

Specific Information (select all that apply):
 Procedure note History & physical Lab results MRI report X-ray report
 Physical/occupational therapy note Other: _____

I SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF INFORMATION RELATING TO:

- SUBSTANCE ABUSE (including alcohol/drug abuse)
- MENTAL HEALTH (including psychotherapy notes)
- HIV RELATED INFORMATION (AIDS related testing)

X _____
(Signature of Patient or Legal Guardian)

RECORDS WILL BE PLACED ON: (check one) CD Paper

The purpose of this disclosure: (check one)
 Continuation of care Personal Legal Transfer of care Other

AUTHORIZATION: I understand that this authorization will expire on _____

**If I do NOT specify expiration, this authorization will expire one year from the date signed.*

I understand that:

- My right to healthcare treatment is not conditioned on this authorization.
- I may cancel this authorization at any time by submitting a **written** request to 601 Gateway Boulevard, Chesterton, IN 46304, except where a disclosure has already been made in reliance to my prior authorization.
- Revocation will not apply to my insurance company when the law provides my insurer with the right to contest a claim under my policy.
- If the person or facility receiving this information is not a healthcare or medical insurance provider covered by privacy regulations, the information stated above could be redisclosed.
- There may be a charge for the requested records

Signature of Patient or Representative: _____ **Date:** _____

Relationship to Patient (if the requestor is not the patient): _____

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