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## Acknowledgement of Privacy Practices

This notice summarizes how health data about you may be used and shared and how you can get access to this data.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** This does not include all of the details about our privacy policy. For more details, please read the NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES that your practitioner has provided you.

### I. How we may use and share health data about you:

- a) Treatment - To give you medical treatment or other types of health services.
- b) Payment - To bill you or a third party for payment for services provided to you.
- c) Health Care Operations - For our own operations such as quality control, compliance monitoring, audit, etc.

### II. Disclosures where we do not have to give you a chance to agree or object:

- a) To you
- b) As required by federal, state, or local law
- c) If child abuse or neglect is suspected
- d) Public health risks (for public health activities to prevent and control spread of disease)
- e) Lawsuits and disputes (in response to a court or administrative order)
- f) Law enforcement (to help law enforcement officials respond to criminal activities)
- g) Coroners, medical examiners and funeral directors
- h) Organ or tissue donation facilities if you are an organ donor
- i) To avert a threat to an individual or to public health safety

### III. Disclosures where we have to give you a chance to agree or object:

- a) Patient directories - You can decide what health data, if any, you want to be listed in patient directories.
- b) Persons involved in your care or payment for your care - We may share your health data with a family member, a close friend, or other person that you have named as being involved with your health care.

**IV. Other uses of health data: Other uses not covered by this notice or the laws that apply to us will be made only with your written consent.**

### V. You have the following rights relating to the health data we keep about you:

- a) Right to inspect your health record and to receive a copy of your health record upon request
- b) Right to amend information in your health record you believe is inaccurate or incomplete
- c) Right to know to whom we have disclosed your health information
- d) Right to ask for limits on the health information data we give out about you
- e) Right to receive communication from us about your health information in alternate ways
- f) Right to a paper copy of the complete Notice of Privacy Practices

I acknowledge that I have received the NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES of this practice.

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent / Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Parent / Guardian Name:** \_\_\_\_\_