



General Consent For Treatment

As the patient, you have the right to be informed about your conditions and the recommended surgical, medical, or diagnostic procedure to be used so that you may make the decision whether or not to undergo any suggested treatment or procedure after knowing the risks and hazards involved. At this point in your care, no specific treatment plan has been recommended. This consent form is simply an effort to obtain your permission to perform the evaluation necessary to identify appropriate treatment and/or procedure for any identified condition(s).

I request and authorize medical care as my provider, his assistant, or designees (collectively called "the providers") may deem necessary or advisable. This care may include, but not limited to, routine diagnostics, radiology and laboratory procedures, administration of routine drugs, biological and other therapeutics, and routine medical and nursing care. I authorize my provider(s) to perform other additional or extended services in emergency situations if it may be necessary or advisable to preserve my life or health. I understand that my (the patient) care is directed by my provider(s) and that other personnel render care and services to me (the patient) according to the provider(s) instructions.

I understand that I have the right and the opportunity to discuss alternative plans of treatment with my provider and to ask and have answered to my satisfaction any questions or concerns.

In the event that a healthcare worker is exposed to my blood or bodily fluid in a way which may transmit HIV (Human Immunodeficiency Virus), hepatitis B or hepatitis C virus, I consent to the testing of my blood and/or bodily fluids for these infections. The results of such testing will remain in my confidential medical record but must be disclosed to the exposed healthcare worker if the results are positive. _____ (initials)

I consent to photographs which may be obtained during evaluation and treatment which will be the property of VCC and which may be used for publication while maintaining my anonymity. I consent to collection of clinical data for the purpose of education or research. My identity will not be shared outside this practice for education or research.

I HAVE READ OR HAD READ TO ME AND FULLY UNDERSTAND THIS CONSENT; I HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO ASK QUESTIONS AND HAD THESE QUESTIONS ADDRESSED.

Name of Patient: _____

Signature of Patient: _____ Date: _____

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- Consent of Legal Guardian, Patient Advocate or Nearest Relative if patient is unable to sign
 Consent Caregiver if patient is unable to sign

Name of Legal Guardian, Patient Advocate, Nearest Relative or Other: _____

Relationship: _____ Telephone: _____

Address: _____

Signature of the above: _____ Date: _____ Time: _____

Signature of Witness: _____ Date: _____



Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement

I understand that under the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (“HIPPA”), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information (PHI). I understand that this information can and will be used to:

- Conduct, plan, and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in the treatment directly and indirectly
- Obtain payment from third-party payers
- Conduct normal healthcare operations such as quality assessments and physician certifications

I received, read, and understand your Notice of Privacy Practices containing a more complete descriptions of the uses and disclosures of my PHI. I understand that this organization has the right to change its Notice of Privacy Practices from time to time and that I may contact this organization at any time to obtain a current copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices.

Patient Name or Legal Guardian: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

PRACTICE USE ONLY

I attempted to obtain the patient’s signature in acknowledgement of the Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement but was unable to do so as documented below:

Date: _____ Initials: _____

Reason:

