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**AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION**
**IMPORTANT: FAILURE TO FULLY COMPLETE MAY INVALIDATE THIS AUTHORIZATION.**

Patient Information: I give permission to release the health information of:

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Patient Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP Code \_\_\_\_\_

Last 4 digits of Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone #: \_\_\_\_\_

(Although MUSC will use reasonable means to protect the security and confidentiality of emails sent and received, we cannot guarantee the security and confidentiality of all email communications.)

<b>Release Records From:</b> Name of Facility/Location of Office: _____ Name of Provider: _____ Address: _____ _____	<b>Release Records To: (Identified Person or Company or Facility)</b> Name: _____ Address: _____ _____ Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____ Email Address: _____
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**Types of Medical Records to be released (check all that apply)**

Entire Record (Radiology Images are NOT included)

Abstract (Contains: History & Physical, consults, lab & radiology reports, discharge summary, operative/procedure reports, Emergency Department reports and Occupational/Physical Therapy reports)

Radiology Images/DVD  Immunization Records  Medication List  Physician progress notes/visit notes

Final Bill  Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**FOR MUSC Dental RECORDS ONLY:**

Entire Dental Record  Orthodontic Treatment Notes/photos/x-rays  Periodontic charting  Treatment Progress/Visit Notes

Billing/Financial Statements  Radiology Images

**Substance Use Disorder (SUD) records protected under 42 C.F.R. Part 2 and 45 C.F.R. pts 160 & 164:**

All of my SUD records  Only the following SUD records (be as specific as possible. i.e. discharge summary only, labs only, etc.: \_\_\_\_\_)

<p><b>Purpose of the Release:</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Continuing Care <input type="checkbox"/> Legal <input type="checkbox"/> Patient/Guardian/Legal Rep</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Military <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance <input type="checkbox"/> Disability <input type="checkbox"/> School</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____</p> <p><b>Information that can be released:</b></p> <p>Treatment dates from _____ to _____ (Please be specific) <b>OR</b> <input type="checkbox"/> All Treatment Dates</p>	<p><b>Release Method: (Check One)</b></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Mail <input type="checkbox"/> Mychart (Rad Images &amp; Dental excluded) <input type="checkbox"/> Fax</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Encrypted E-mail <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____</p> <p><small>Encrypted email (Important: I understand that unencrypted e-mail is not secure – that means it could be intercepted and seen by others. By choosing to receive My Health Information on an unencrypted e-mail, I am acknowledging and accepting these risks.)</small></p> <p><b>(If a method is not selected, the information will be mailed.)</b></p>
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**I authorize the release of the records as indicated above and understand that the release may include sensitive information (mental and behavioral health, genetic testing, HIV/AIDS, communicable/infectious diseases, substance use disorder(s), and sexual assault)**

I understand that I have a right to cancel / revoke this authorization at any time. I understand that if I cancel / revoke this authorization I must do so in writing and present my written cancellation / revocation to the Health Information Services Department (Medical Records) or Dental Health Information Services (Dental Records). I understand that the cancellation / revocation will not apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization, as stated in the Notice of Privacy Practice. Unless otherwise canceled / revoked, this authorization will expire / end one year from the date below.

I understand that authorizing the disclosure of protected health information is voluntary. I can refuse to sign this authorization. I do not need to sign this form to receive treatment.

I understand I may review and / or copy the information to be disclosed, as provided in 45 CFR §164.524.

I understand that any disclosure of information carries with it the possibility of unauthorized disclosure by the person / organization receiving the information.

I understand that only records available as of this date will be provided in response to this request. Should I need additional records in the future; a new request will be required

I understand I will be given a copy of this authorization.

I understand there may be fees for copies of medical records/images and postage fees may be charged as provided by S.C. Law.

**Attach a copy of the patient/legal guardian/representative identification to this authorization.**

**(NOTE: HIPAA LAW ALLOWS 30 DAYS from receipt for processing.)**

Printed Name of Patient or Legal Guardian / Representative \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Patient or Legal Guardian/Representative \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Patient, if signed by Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Witness Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**Document(s) (Court Orders, Certificate of Appointments, Power of Attorneys) of patient representative's authority must be attached if patient is not signing.**

## Facility Location Information:

To contact **MUSC Health Charleston** - Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is: 3 South Park Circle / Bldg. 3 / Suite 103 / Attn: Release of Information / Charleston, SC 29407. The phone number is (843) 792-3881; Fax number is (843) 792-5460 or (843) 876-8055. Email: [ROIAuthrequest@MUSC.edu](mailto:ROIAuthrequest@MUSC.edu)

To contact **MUSC College of Dental Medicine** - Health Information Services (Dental Records) in writing, the address is: 29 Bee St./DC606/MSC507 / Charleston SC 29425. The phone number is (843) 792-2101, Option 7, Fax number is (843) 792-7009. Email: [cdmimages@musc.edu](mailto:cdmimages@musc.edu).

To contact **MUSC Health Columbia Downtown/Northeast/Clinics** -- Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is 2435 Forest Drive, Columbia, SC 29204. The phone number is (803) 256-5722, Fax number is (803) 400-5065. Email: [COLROI-authrequest@musc.edu](mailto:COLROI-authrequest@musc.edu)

To contact **MUSC Health Chester** -- Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is 1 Medical Park Drive Chester, SC 29706. The phone number is (803) 581-3151, Ext. 5214; Fax number is (843) 985-9624. Email: [ches-roiauthrequest@musc.edu](mailto:ches-roiauthrequest@musc.edu)

To contact **MUSC Health Florence** - Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is 805 Pamplico Hwy. / Florence, SC 29505. The phone number is (843) 674-2160; Fax number is (843) 674-2197. Email: [flor-roi-request@musc.edu](mailto:flor-roi-request@musc.edu)

To contact **MUSC Health Kershaw** -- Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is 1315 Roberts Street, Camden SC 29020. The phone number is (803) 713-6232; Fax number is (803)713-6600 or (803) 713-6327. Email: [KMCROI-authrequest@musc.edu](mailto:KMCROI-authrequest@musc.edu)

To contact **MUSC Health Lancaster** - Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is 800 West Meeting Street / Lancaster, SC 29720. The phone number is (803) 313-3146 or (803) 313-3147, Fax number is (803) 286-1871. Email: [lanc-roi-requests@musc.edu](mailto:lanc-roi-requests@musc.edu)

To contact **MUSC Health Marion** - Health Information Services (Medical Records) in writing, the address is 2829 East Highway 76 / Mullins, SC 29574. The phone number is (843) 431-2428, Fax number is (843) 431-2432. Email: [mari-roi-auth@musc.edu](mailto:mari-roi-auth@musc.edu)