



1969 W. Hart Rd.  
Beloit, WI 53511-2230

# INFORMED CONSENT FOR DISCLOSURE OF PATIENT HEALTH CARE INFORMATION

## PATIENT INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
LAST NAME FIRST MIDDLE DATE OF BIRTH / /

\_\_\_\_\_  
STREET ADDRESS CITY,STATE,ZIP PHONE NUMBER

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE AND REQUEST:

Counseling Care Center \_\_\_\_\_ TO RELEASE TO \_\_\_\_\_ ORGANIZATION/INDIVIDUAL  
1969 W. Hart Road \_\_\_\_\_ TO RECEIVE FROM \_\_\_\_\_ STREET ADDRESS  
Beloit, WI 53511 \_\_\_\_\_ TO RELEASE TO AND \_\_\_\_\_ CITY,STATE,ZIP  
RECEIVE FROM \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: 608-364-5686 \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ FAX  
Fax: 608-363-5756 \_\_\_\_\_

In compliance with Wisconsin Statutes, which require special permission to release otherwise privileged information, please release records pertaining to: \_\_\_\_\_ Mental Health \_\_\_\_\_ HIV Status \_\_\_\_\_ Alcohol and/or Drug Abuse

Specific Information Requested:

- |   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychosocial History     | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Evaluation        | <input type="checkbox"/> Appt./Confirmation/Referral |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Examination     | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Treatment Notes   | <input type="checkbox"/> Discharge Summary           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Treatment Plan           | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychotherapy Treatment Notes | <input type="checkbox"/> School Records              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physician's Orders       | <input type="checkbox"/> AODA Assessment               | <input type="checkbox"/> Lab Data                    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Evaluation | <input type="checkbox"/> AODA Treatment Notes          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                 |

Service dates to be released: From \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

Purpose for need of disclosure: (please check all that apply)

- |   |   |                                    |
|---|---|------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Further Medical Care | <input type="checkbox"/> Coordinating Care for Dependent/Spouse | <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Claims Resolution    | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                            |                                    |

I understand that I have the right to copy and inspect the information that is to be released. I further understand that the records contain information regarding the patient's medical condition and treatment and possibly could include information pertaining to drug and/or alcohol usage and/or mental health status and/or AIDS or HIV related illness.

It is further understood that I have the right to withdraw this authorization at any time. I understand that if I withdraw this authorization I must do so in writing. I understand that the withdraw will not apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization, and that the withdrawal will not apply to my insurance company when the law provides my insurer with the right to contest a claim under my policy. Unless otherwise withdrawn, this authorization will expire on the following day or event:

\_\_\_\_\_. If I fail to specify an expiration date, this authorization will expire in six months.

I understand that any disclosure of information carries with it the potential for an unauthorized re-disclosure and may not be protected by federal confidentiality rules.

I understand that authorizing the disclosure of this health information is voluntary. I can refuse to sign the authorization. I do not need to sign this form in order to assure treatment. I may experience consequences for not signing this authorization if referred from a mandatory agency. (i.e. employer, courts).

I understand that I have the right to have a copy of this signed consent.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient (Includes minors 14 years of age and over)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent/Guardian/Personal Representative (Relationship)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date Signed

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION REGARDING RELEASE OF PATIENT INFORMATION**

Beloit Health Systems recognizes the patient's right to confidentiality of medical records as in the Illinois and Wisconsin Statutes. Therefore, you should be aware of the following guidelines when requesting medical records.

Both Illinois and Wisconsin Statutes recognize the need for informed consent. The patient may request multiple releases of the information stated on the authorization form. However, all releases based on this form are limited to records dated up to and including the date of the patient's signature. A new authorization is necessary for release of information on care provided after the date of your signature, UNLESS it is the authorization to release "future records of a specific test, specified clinic appointment and/or admission with the month and year identified."

All patients 18 years of age and over must sign for release of their own medical records unless the following conditions apply:

- \* The patient is incompetent.
- \* The patient is disabled and cannot sign the form.
- \* The patient is deceased. (The surviving spouse or legal representative must sign authorization releasing records of the deceased person.)

Patients less than 18 years of age must sign for release of the medical records when:

- \* The patient is 14 years of age or older and the records involve treatment for mental illness, alcoholism, or drug dependency.
- \* The patient's records for release include abortion.

All persons signing for release of records, instead of the patient, must state their relationship to the patient and have available proof of legal authority to release the records.

For continuation of care, pertinent portions of your medical information will be sent to your physician/medical facility free of charge. All other requests are subject to fees. Some record requests may require pre-payment. If your request requires pre-payment an invoice will be sent to you with instructions on how to submit payments. If payment is required, the records will be sent after the payment is received.

**If you have any questions regarding the above information, please do not hesitate to ask us.**