

Authorization for Release of Health Information

Student/Patient Full Name _____

Address _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ Phone Number _____

WHO

I hereby authorize the JHU Student Health and Well-Being Clinical Services to take the following action.

ACTION REQUESTED (check one)

- Provide a copy of **My Health Information** to me Let me look at **My Health Information** (I am not requesting a copy)
- Release **My Health Information** to: Discuss **My Health Information** with: Obtain copies of **My Health Information** from:

(name of other person or entity)_____
(street address)_____
(city)_____
(state)_____
(zip code)**WHAT**For this Authorization, "**My Health Information**" means (check one or more):

- All of my medical records and information
- All Primary Care records
- Immunization information
- Billing records
- Reproductive health, including information about contraception
- Sexually transmitted infections, including HIV and AIDS
- All Mental Health records
- Substance abuse records/information
- Dates of appointments/confirmation of attendance
- Recommendation for Medical Leave of Absence and/or reinstatement process
- Other (*please specify*) _____

For the date(s) of service from: _____ to _____ (records will be provided for past 5 years unless otherwise specified)
insert date(s) of service requested (**Note:** Information from recent visits may not yet appear in the record.)**WHY**

- At my request For my healthcare / treatment For legal purposes
- For payment / insurance purposes For a medical leave of absence and/or reinstatement process

Other: _____

FORMAT: I request that the copy be provided (where possible/available):

- on paper
- by fax to (clinic unable to verify number before faxing): _____
- by unencrypted e-mail to this email address: _____
- to my MyHealth portal: _____
- by other electronic means (if agreed upon by JH records department): _____

Important:

- I understand that unencrypted e-mail is not secure. There is a possibility that information included in an email can be intercepted and/or misaddressed/misdirected and read by other parties besides the person to whom it is addressed. By choosing to receive **My Health Information** by unencrypted e-mail, I am acknowledging and accepting these risks.
- I understand there may be a fee for a copy of **My Health Information**. I understand that all fees will be in compliance with applicable law. I agree to pay this fee.

I understand that:

- This Authorization is voluntary. My treatment will not be impacted, no matter if I sign this Authorization or not.
- This Authorization is valid until _____ (not to exceed 1 year in Maryland), unless I revoke/withdraw this Authorization. If no date is included in the blank, this Authorization will expire one year after the date it is signed. I may revoke/withdraw this Authorization, except to the extent that action has been taken prior to receipt of the revocation/withdrawal, by mailing or faxing my written request along with a copy of the original Authorization to the department or office where my Authorization was made or given.
- Once My Health Information is disclosed as requested, it may no longer be protected by federal and state privacy laws, and could be re-disclosed by the person(s) receiving it.
- The medical information released may contain information related to HIV status, AIDS, sexually transmitted diseases, behavioral health, drug and alcohol abuse, etc.

Signature of Student/Patient Only: _____ **Date:** ____/____/____
(Required)

If you are NOT the patient but are signing on behalf of the patient, please complete below.

I, _____, am the (check which applies)
(print your name)

- Parent with Parental Rights** (*applies only to minors*) (*not sufficient for substance abuse records*)
- Informal Kinship Care Relative** (*applies only to minors*) (*Maryland only*) (*not sufficient for substance abuse records*)
- Legal Guardian**
- Patient/Plan Member Appointed Decision Maker** (*e.g., power of attorney*) (*not sufficient for substance abuse records*)
- Default Substitute Decision Maker** (*e.g., surrogate, proxy*) (*not sufficient for behavioral health/substance abuse records*)
- Court Appointed Personal Representative of Deceased, Executor or Administrator**

Representative's Signature: _____ **Date:** ____/____/____
(Required)

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

You MUST attach proof of your authority to act on behalf of the patient/plan member as checked above (other than parent of a minor with parental rights as noted above).