

# AUTHORIZATION FOR DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION/PATIENT REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO PATIENT HEALTH INFORMATION

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Patient Name (Last, first, middle initial) Social Security #

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Street Address City State Zip

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date of Birth Day Phone # Evening Phone #

INFORMATION RELEASED FROM	INFORMATION RELEASED TO/EXCHANGED WITH
(Name of Staff Member or Department)	Name (Hospital, clinic, attorney, insurance company, individual)
(Facility name and address)	Street Address
	City <span style="margin-left: 100px;">State</span> <span style="margin-left: 100px;">Zip</span>
	Date Information Needed

**AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE MEDICAL/BILLING INFORMATION IS LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING:**

Medical Condition/Specify Injury \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Approximate Visit Dates  View Record  Receive Copy

**PLEASE INDICATE THE INFORMATION TO BE DISCLOSED:**

- Discharge Summary   
  Operative Report   
  Laboratory Report(s)   
  Emergency Record(s)   
  Clinic Visit Notes  
 Radiology Reports   
  Consultation(s)   
  Chemical Dependency/Drug or Alcohol Abuse Treatment Records  
 Radiology Films   
  History and Physical   
  Pathology Report   
  Billing Records/Statements (date) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Secondary Records (specify film/video/monitor tracings) \_\_\_\_\_   
  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 -OR-  
 Any and all medical records (including billing records and secondary, chemical dependency/drug or alcohol abuse treatment records)

ALL RECORDS PERTAINING TO PSYCHIATRIC/MENTAL HEALTH AND/OR HIV/HIV RELATED ILLNESSES WILL BE RELEASED UNLESS INDICATED HERE:

**DO NOT RELEASE RECORDS RELATED TO MENTAL HEALTH AND/OR HIV**

**THIS INFORMATION IS TO BE RELEASED FOR THE PURPOSE OF:**

- Patient Access   
  Insurance Application   
  Social Security Documentation   
  Social Security Disability Appeal  
 Litigation   
  Continuing Care   
  Insurance Payment  
 Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Authorization expiration date or event: \_\_\_\_\_ (If left blank, will expire one year from date of signature)

NOTE: A FEE MAY BE CHARGED IN ACCORDANCE WITH MN STATUTE 144.335 AND FEDERAL RULE 164.524

I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time with written notification, but that the revocation will not have any effect on the information released prior to notification of revocation. Please see your Notice of Privacy Practices for information on how to revoke this authorization. **UFM will not refuse or restrict my treatment if I choose not to sign this authorization.** A photocopy of this authorization will be treated in the same manner as the original.

Further, I realize that UFM cannot prevent the redisclosure of records released as a result of this request and that the records may not be subject to privacy rule protections, therefore UFM is released from any and all liability resulting from disclosure. I have read and understand my rights as described on the back of this form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Patient/Legal Representative Signature Date Authority to Act on Behalf of Patient (attach document)  
 Information released by Nursing Station/Other/Verbally  No  Yes By \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION  
**PATIENT REQUEST FOR ACCESS TO HEALTH INFORMATION**

You have the right to inspect and obtain a copy of your protected health information in designated records that we or our business associates maintain, with some exceptions. To exercise your right of access, you need to complete the front side of this form. You may view these records or you may have a copy of the records. Please indicate your preference on the front side of this form.

Minnesota and Federal laws permit facilities to charge a reasonable fee for copies of medical records. UFM follows the fee schedule set by Minnesota Department of Health. You or those authorized to receive copies of records may be charged a fee for photocopies of records or copies of radiology films, videos, monitor tracings or other images (secondary records).

If you are the patient's legal representative, please **attach a copy** of the document that gives you the authority to act as the legal representative.

Your signature authorizing disclosure of medical information (on the front side) indicates your review and understanding of the information described above.

You are entitled a copy of this document.

**PLEASE NOTE: An incomplete form cannot be accepted. If you have questions about completing this form, please contact the Health Information Department of the facility from which you intend to seek information. Records should be requested a reasonable time before they are needed and will be only released upon payment of the appropriate fee.**