

SPECIFICALLY AUTHORIZED RELEASE OF INFORMATION (Initial, If Applicable):

I understand that my health information may contain the following types of sensitive information and I expressly and voluntarily give permission to release the following:

To the extent that my medical record contains information concerning HIV antibody and antigen testing that is protected by MGL c. 111 70F, an HIV/AIDS diagnosis or treatment. I specifically authorize disclosure of this information.

To the extent that my medical record contains information concerning alcohol or drug treatment that is protected by Federal Regulation 42 CFR, Part 2. I specifically authorize disclosure of such information.

Release Psychiatric & Mental Health/Behavioral Health Records. Psychotherapy Records will NOT be released. Release of Psychotherapy Records requires a separate release form.

Release Sexually Transmitted Diseases

I UNDERSTAND THAT:

- I may refuse to sign this authorization.
- The original or a copy of this authorization shall be included with my original records.
- Unless otherwise revoked, this Authorization expires / / (insert applicable date or event). If no date is indicated, the Authorization will expire 30 days after the date of signature.
- I understand that this authorization will remain in effect until the term of this authorization expires, or I provide a written notice of revocation. The revocation will go into effect immediately upon receipt, except that it will not apply to any action taken by the hospital before receipt of the written notice of revocation.
- I understand that the person receiving my Protected Health Information may not be required to comply with federal and state privacy laws, and my Protected Health Information may no longer be protected by the applicable state and federal law once it is disclosed by Monte Nido.
- I have read and understand the terms of this authorization, and I have had an opportunity to ask questions about the use and disclosure of my health information. By my signature below, I hereby knowingly and voluntarily, authorize disclosure of the above protected health information to the persons or agencies listed above.
- Additionally, I understand that treatment or payment cannot be conditioned on my signing this authorization.

Signature of Patient or Legal Guardian / / *Date*

Printed Name of Patient or Legal Guardian

OFFICE USE ONLY			
Date Records Copied:	/	/	Copied By:
Medical Copies sent via:	Mail	Email	Fax to: