



Date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

**Patient Information Form**  
Please answer the following questions

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work/Message Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Gender Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Age \_\_\_\_\_

Race/Ethnicity White \_\_\_\_\_ Black \_\_\_\_\_ Hispanic \_\_\_\_\_ Asian \_\_\_\_\_ Marshallese \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status Single \_\_\_\_\_ Married \_\_\_\_\_ Separated \_\_\_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Number in household Adults \_\_\_\_\_ Children under 18 \_\_\_\_\_

**Financial Information**

Are You Employed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Employer Name \_\_\_\_\_

Are any other members of your household employed? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a Commercial Medical Insurance? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Commercial Dental Insurance? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have Arkansas Medicaid? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**Monthly Household Income: \*\*\* Please fill out all information fields \*\*\***

Your salary \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Spouse's salary \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

If minor, parents' salary \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Disability \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Child support; alimony \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SSI (Supplemental Security Income) \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Other income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Unemployment \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Total Household Income \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Have any other members of your household had an appointment with Samaritan Dental Clinic before? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Have you been through our Market (food pantry) before? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Have you visited our Cafe Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Does your family utilize our Backpacks for kids program? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

Have you met with the Samaritan Care Team before? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Would you like a member of our Care Team to contact you for community resources and referrals? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

## Dental Questionnaire/ Medical History

Patient's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Medical doctor's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Pharmacy: \_\_\_\_\_

Any pre-medication/antibiotic required: \_\_\_\_\_ Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

### Current Medications, including over the counter:

Medication	Dosage	Frequency	How long	Condition Being Treated

Please check if you CURRENTLY HAVE and/or HAVE HAD in the past, any of the following conditions or treatments:

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies-Type: _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Anemia<br><input type="checkbox"/> Anxiety/Depression<br><input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis<br><input type="checkbox"/> Artificial Heart Valve<br><input type="checkbox"/> Artificial Joint<br><input type="checkbox"/> Asthma<br><input type="checkbox"/> AIDS/HIV Positive<br><input type="checkbox"/> Auto Immune Disorder or taking an Immunosuppressant<br><input type="checkbox"/> Back Problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Bisphosphonate Therapy (for osteoporosis)<br>-Oral _____ or - IV _____<br>Date(s) Taken _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Blood Disease<br><input type="checkbox"/> Blood Transfusion/Problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Cancer/Type _____<br>Date _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Chemotherapy<br><input type="checkbox"/> Circulation Problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Congenital Heart Defect<br><input type="checkbox"/> Cough, Chronic<br><input type="checkbox"/> Dementia or Alzheimer's<br><input type="checkbox"/> Drug or Alcohol Addiction | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes Type 1 or 2 (circle which Type)<br>Recent HGB A1C _____<br>Date _____<br>Recent Blood Glucose _____<br>Date _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Emphysema/Shortness of breath<br><input type="checkbox"/> COPD<br><input type="checkbox"/> Epilepsy/Seizure Disorder<br><input type="checkbox"/> Fainting<br><input type="checkbox"/> Food Allergies<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hay Fever/Sinus Trouble<br><input type="checkbox"/> Headaches/Frequent<br><input type="checkbox"/> Headaches/Migraines<br><input type="checkbox"/> Heart Attack/Heart Surgery<br>Date: _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Heart Problems<br>Describe: _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Heart Murmur<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hemophilia<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis (A, B, or C) (circle which type). Date of Diagnosis _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Herpes A-oral/fever blisters/cold sores<br><input type="checkbox"/> High Blood Pressure<br><input type="checkbox"/> History of Infected Endocarditis<br><input type="checkbox"/> Kidney Disease/Problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Liver Disease<br><input type="checkbox"/> Mitral Valve Prolapse<br><input type="checkbox"/> Nervous Problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker<br><input type="checkbox"/> Pain Management Program<br><input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Care<br><input type="checkbox"/> Radiation Treatment<br><input type="checkbox"/> Respiratory Disease<br><input type="checkbox"/> Rheumatic Fever<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sexually (Venereal) Transmitted Disease<br><input type="checkbox"/> Stroke<br>Date: _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid Problems<br><input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis<br><input type="checkbox"/> Ulcer<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other: Please list: _____<br>_____<br>_____ |
|---|---|---|

Please list all Previous Surgeries or Hospitalizations and Dates: \_\_\_\_\_

### Known Allergies:

- |  |  |   |
|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Any Metals<br><input type="checkbox"/> Silver<br><input type="checkbox"/> Aspirin<br><input type="checkbox"/> Codeine<br><input type="checkbox"/> Hydrocodone | <input type="checkbox"/> Iodine<br><input type="checkbox"/> Latex<br><input type="checkbox"/> Local Anesthetics<br><input type="checkbox"/> Penicillin<br><input type="checkbox"/> Sulfa | <input type="checkbox"/> Other Antibiotics: _____<br><input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____<br>_____ |
|--|--|---|

What happens: \_\_\_\_\_

Check if you have had any problems with the following:

- |   |  |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Bleeding/Sensitive Gums  | <input type="checkbox"/> Sensitivity to: Cold/Hot/Sweets |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clicking/Popping Jaw     | <input type="checkbox"/> Sensitivity to Biting           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grinding/Clenching Teeth | <input type="checkbox"/> Swelling                        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lost or Broken Fillings  | <input type="checkbox"/> Sores in Mouth                  |

For Women Only:

- Pregnant
- Breast-Feeding
- Taking Birth Control Pills

How long has it been since you have been to the dentist: \_\_\_\_\_ 0-2Years \_\_\_\_\_ 2-5 YRS \_\_\_\_\_ 5-10YRS \_\_\_\_\_ 10+ YRS....

Have you been in recent contact with someone who has COVID-19 or who is being evaluated for COVID-19? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_  
 Have you been out of the country in the past 14 days yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

Have you ever had a bad dental experience? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_  
 If yes, please explain:

Do you use tobacco products? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, what form, how much, and for how long?

Have you used any recreational drugs such as Marijuana or Methamphetamine within the past 24 hours?

What is the reason for today's visit?

**Authorization:**

I have reviewed the information and answered all questions to the best of my knowledge. I understand this information will be used to determine the dental treatment I receive at this office and may be shared with other medical offices only as necessary. I will notify the office should any information change in the future.

Signature of Patient, or Parent if minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Date _____	No change* _____	Changes noted on form* _____	Patient Initials _____
Date _____	No change* _____	Changes noted on form* _____	Patient Initials _____
Date _____	No change* _____	Changes noted on form* _____	Patient Initials _____

\*to be initialed by the assistant, hygienist or dentist reviewing the health history with patient

Reviewed by: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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Notice to Patients with Regards to Medical History

Having a complete medical history is a key factor in helping us provide the necessary standard of care. All patients must provide an accurate and up to date medical history for the doctor to review. In the event that there is a medical condition that is complex, we may be unable to perform certain dental procedures, as certain conditions fall outside the scope of services we are able to provide. If this is the case, information on other possible medical resources in the area will be provided.

Your signature acknowledges your receipt and understanding of this requirement.

Patient Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

### Samaritan Dental Clinic Patient Compliance Agreement Form

The mission of the Samaritan Dental Clinic is to provide high quality dental services to low-income, uninsured adults. While the clinic is a charitable clinic and does not charge patients for services provided, there are costs associated with providing those services including salaries, supplies, utilities, and insurance.

Our clinic expenses are funded by organizations that set specific goals for us to serve a certain number of patients each year. If patients continually cancel or fail to show up for dental appointments or scheduled meetings with our dental care advocate, and we cannot fill those appointment slots, then we cannot meet our goals, and our clinic will no longer be eligible for this funding. Patient compliance with excellent oral hygiene home care is also of the utmost importance for the patient's overall health and prognosis and longevity for the dental treatment provided.

Due to the volume of patients that need our services it is imperative that a patient comply with the appointment policies and recommended treatment plan or protocol, suggested by the dental clinic staff, dentist(s), and hygienist(s), including oral hygiene home care in order to continue treatment. The Dental Clinic reserves the right to dismiss a patient for non-compliance with any policies.

**Please Read and Initial Each Line of the Compliance Agreement and Sign Below Stating You Agree to Comply.**

I understand that if I do not verbally confirm my appointment 48 hours in advance, my appointment will be canceled, and it will be considered as a broken appointment, a strike in my record, and could be grounds for dismissal. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that if I cannot make my appointment that I must call to cancel no less than 48 hours prior to the scheduled appointment time. If I cancel less than 48 hours before the scheduled appointment time, it will be considered a broken appointment, a strike in my record, and could be grounds for dismissal. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that if I am later than 10 minutes to my scheduled appointment time, I will not be seen that day for my dental appointment it will be considered a broken appointment and be a strike on my record and could be grounds for termination from the program. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I agree that I will maintain excellent home oral hygiene health care as instructed by the dental staff. I understand that if I do not comply, the dental staff has the right to mark it as a strike in my record and could be grounds for dismissal. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to meeting with the dental care advocate periodically and any time the dental staff deems necessary. I understand that if I do not comply, the dental staff has the right to mark it as a strike in my record and could be grounds for dismissal. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to watch or read any dental educational information that the dental staff deems necessary. I understand that if I do not comply, the dental staff has the right to mark it as a strike in my record and could be grounds for dismissal. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that the Samaritan Dental Clinic reserves the right to dismiss a patient for non-compliance at any time if the patient is disrespectful and/or inappropriate to the dental staff and/or other patients. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that after 2 strikes in my record, I will need to meet with the dental care advocate, and I might have to waiting period before being rescheduled for treatment. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that after 3 strikes in my record, that I will be terminated from the Samaritan Dental Clinic. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

I understand that if I no show any outside referral appointment I will be terminated from Samaritan Dental Clinic. Initial \_\_\_\_\_

**I understand that this is a 2-year program to get me to state of oral health. At the end of 2 years, I will graduate from the program, and be given resources and possible dental insurance options.** Initial \_\_\_\_\_

**I have read these statements, agree to comply, and understand that it is my responsibility to follow all instructions given to me by Samaritan Dental staff.**

**Patient Signature** \_\_\_\_\_

**Witness Signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

## Patient Disclosure and Consent for Dental Treatment

### Patient Disclosure:

Samaritan Dental Clinic (SDC) is a group of staff and volunteers providing dental care to low-income patients. The staff and volunteer dentists, oral surgeons and other licensed health care professionals are exempt from malpractice suits under the Volunteer Licensed Health Care Professionals Immunity Act / Act 276 of 1997 and the Retired Physician Immunity Act/ Act 844 of 1995.

Patients are also referred to other service providers within the community. SDC is not equipped to handle certain serious needs that may require hospitalization, outpatient surgery or emergency room treatment. Additionally, a patient may be referred to the private office of the volunteer licensed dentist or oral surgeon or to other area clinics. All referral service providers are also exempt from malpractice suits under the Immunity Act listed above.

\_\_\_\_\_ Initial

### Consent for Dental Treatment

I hereby authorize and direct the provider and whomever he/she may designate as his/her assistants to administer such treatment as necessary. If unforeseen occurrences arise, the dentist will use his/her judgment to manage the treatment in the most appropriate manner. This may include additional procedures.

I also certify that no guarantee or assurance has been made as to the results that may be obtained. I recognize the possibility of post-operative/treatment problems, most of which involve minor discomfort, but may also include more significant risks or damage. I understand that it is the policy of the Samaritan Dental Clinic to evaluate me in person before I am prescribed additional medication.

For the purpose of dental assistant education, I consent to the admittance of observers in the treatment rooms (patient has the right to decline observers during the visit).

\_\_\_\_\_ Initial

**I have read these statements, consent to treatment and understand that it is my responsibility to follow all instructions given to me by Samaritan Dental staff.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



**P.O. Box 939 Rogers, AR 72757 Phone – 479-636-4198**

## Release Form for Media Recording



I, the undersigned, do hereby consent and agree that Samaritan Community Center/Samaritan Shop have the right to take photographs, videotape, or digital recordings of \_\_\_\_\_ and to use these in any and all media, now or hereafter. I further consent that my name and identity may be revealed therein or by descriptive text or commentary.

I do hereby release to Samaritan Community Center/Samaritan Shop all rights to exhibit this work in print and electronic form publicly or privately and to market and sell copies. I waive any rights, claims, or interest I may have to control the use of my identity or likeness in whatever media used.

I understand that there will be no financial or other remuneration for recording me, either for initial or subsequent transmission or playback.

I also understand that Samaritan Community Center is not responsible for any expense or liability incurred as a result of my participation in this recording, including medical expenses due to any sickness or injury incurred as a result.

I represent that I am at least 18 years of age, have read and understand the foregoing statement, and am competent to execute this agreement. If under the age of 18 a parent or guardian must sign.

Patient Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: Accepts Media Release \_\_\_\_\_ Declines Media Release \_\_\_\_\_







**Authorization to Release Personal Protected Health Information to an Individual**

Patient Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

I do not authorize the release of any dental information to any individual except for treatment and health care operations as specified in Samaritan Dental Clinic’s Notice of Privacy Practices.

I hereby authorize the release and disclosure of my dental information to the following individuals. My authorization extends to all protected health information for general information purposes. The information that may be discussed includes but is not limited to: records of all visits, records of visits for any and all dates, copies of records or reports provided to specialists, progress notes and consultation reports. I understand this authorization does not expire unless otherwise noted below

(Please list the name of the individuals with whom we may discuss your protected dental information.)

Name	Relationship to patient

This authorization is given freely with the understanding that:

1. All records, whether written or oral or in electronic format, are confidential and cannot be disclosed without my prior written authorization, except as otherwise provided by law.
2. A photocopy of fax of this authorization is as valid as the original.
3. I may revoke this authorization at any time, except where information has already been released. The revocation must be in writing. A revocation form is available from the receptionist.
4. This authorization will expire 1 year from the date of the signature.
5. Samaritan Dental Clinic, its employees, officers, and dentist are hereby released from any legal responsibility or liability for disclosure of the above information to the extent of indicated and authorized herein.
6. Treatment, enrollment or eligibility for benefits may not be conditioned upon obtaining this authorization.
7. Information used or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and is no longer protected.

Patient’s Printed Name \_\_\_\_\_

Patient’s Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_



***Acknowledgement of Receipt of Privacy Notice***

By signing this form, you are agreeing that you have received a copy of the Samaritan Dental Clinic Notice of Privacy Practices.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**STAFF USE ONLY**

We provided the Notice of Privacy Practices to the individual above /patient. Written acknowledgement could not be obtained because:

- An Emergency prevented us from obtaining acknowledgement
- A Communication barrier prevented us from obtaining acknowledgement
- Patient or representative declined to sign the Acknowledgement of Receipt
- Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name of SDC Staff Member or Volunteer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of SDC Staff Member or Volunteer

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## **NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES**

**THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.**

**This Notice is provided on behalf of the Samaritan Health Clinic.**

**PURPOSE:** This Notice of Privacy Practices describes how we may use your Protected Health Information to carry out treatment, payment or healthcare operations and for other purposes permitted or required by law. "Protected Health Information" is information that may identify the patient and that relates to the patient's past, present or future physical or mental health, and may include name, address, phone numbers, and other identifying information.

We are required to give you this Notice and to maintain the privacy of your Protected Health Information. We must abide by this Notice, but we reserve the right to change the privacy practices described in it. A current version of this Notice, with required revisions, if any, may be obtained by sending a written request to the Samaritan Health Clinic, HIPAA Officer, 1211 West Hudson Road, Rogers, AR 72756.

We understand that medical information about you and your health is personal and confidential, and we are committed to protecting the confidentiality of your medical information. We create a record of the care and services you receive. We need this record to provide services to you and to comply with certain legal requirements. This Notice will tell you about the ways we may use and disclose your information. We also describe your rights and certain obligations we have to use and disclose your health information.

If you believe your Privacy Rights have been violated, you may complain to us or to the U.S. Secretary of Health and Human Services. To file a complaint with us, you may send a letter describing the violation to the clinic HIPAA Office, Samaritan Health Clinic, 1211 West Hudson Road, Rogers, AR 72756. There will be no retaliation for filing a complaint.

If you have questions or need more information, contact the clinic HIPAA Officer at (479) 636-4198.

**WHO WILL FOLLOW THIS NOTICE:** The Notice describes the practices of the Samaritan Health Clinic healthcare professionals, employees, volunteers and others who work or provide healthcare services.

**ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** You will be asked to sign an Acknowledgement of receipt of this Notice. The delivery of your healthcare services will in no way be conditioned upon the signing of this Acknowledgement.

**Your Privacy Rights.** You have the following rights relating to your Protected Health Information and may:

- Obtain a current paper copy of this Notice.
- Inspect or obtain a copy of your records. Your request to obtain a copy of your medical records must be in writing. You may be charged a fee for the cost of copying, mailing or other supplies. We are allowed to deny this request under certain circumstances. In some situations, you have the right to have the denial of your request reviewed by a licensed healthcare professional identified by the Samaritan Health Clinic who was not involved in the original denial decision. We will comply with the outcome of this review.
- Request that we amend your record, if you feel the information is incomplete or incorrect. We are allowed to deny this request in certain circumstances and may ask you to put these requests in writing and provide a reason that supports your request.
- Request in writing a restriction on certain uses and disclosures of your information. We are not required to agree to these restrictions in all circumstances.
- Obtain a record of certain disclosures of your Protected Health Information.
- Make a reasonable request to have confidential communications of your Protected Health Information sent to you by alternative means or at alternative locations.
- We will obtain your written permissions for uses and disclosures of your Protected Health Information that are not covered by the Notice or permitted by law. Except to the extent that the use or disclosure has already occurred, you may cancel this permission. This request to cancel must be put in writing.
- Submit any written requests to inspect, copy or amend your records to the Medical Records Department.

**Our Responsibilities.** We are required to protect the privacy of your Protected Health Information, abide by the terms of the Notice, make the Notice available to you and to notify you if we are unable to agree to a requested restriction or an alternative means of communicating.

### **Examples of Uses and Disclosures**

**We will use your Protected Health Information for treatment.** Certain information obtained by a nurse, doctor, or other healthcare worker will be put into your record and used to plan and manage your treatment. We may provide reports or other information to your doctor or other authorized persons who are involved in your care.

We will use your Protected Health Information for payment. A bill may be sent to you and/or your insurance company with information about your diagnosis, procedures and supplies used.

We will use your Protected Health Information for regular healthcare operations. The Medical Staff and other healthcare workers may use your Protected Health Information to check on the care you received, how you responded to it, and for other business purposes related to operating the clinic.

Business Associates: We may share some of your Protected Health Information with outside people of companies who provide services for us, such as typing physician reports.

Notification: We may use or disclose your Protected Health Information to notify a family member or other person involved in your care, your location and general condition unless you tell us not to do so.

Communication with Family: We may share your Protected Health Information with a family member, a close personal friend, or a person you identify, if we determine they are involved in your care or in payment for your care, unless you tell us not to do so.

Research: Your Protected Health Information may be used for research purposes in certain circumstances with your permission, or after we receive approval from a special review board whose members review and approve the research project.

Coroners, Medical Examiners, Funeral Directors: We may disclose your Protected Health Information to these people, to the extent allowed by law, so that they may carry out their duties.

Organ Donor Organizations: We may share your Protected Health Information with the organ donation agency for the purpose of tissue or organ donation in certain circumstances and as required by law.

Contacts: We may contact you to provide appointment reminders or to tell you about new treatments or services.

Fundraising and Marketing: We may contact you as a part of any fundraising or marketing effort.

Food and Drug Administration (FDA): We may share your Protected Health Information with certain government agencies like the FDA so they can recall drugs or equipment.

Workers Compensation: We may disclose your Protected Health Information for workers' compensation claims.

Public Health: We may give your Public Health Information to public health agencies who are charged with preventing or controlling disease, injury or disability and as required by law.

Communicable Disease: We may disclose your Protected Health Information to a person who may have been exposed to a communicable disease or may otherwise be at risk of contracting or spreading the disease or condition, if authorized by law to do so, such as a disease requiring isolation.

Correctional Institution: If you are an inmate of a correctional institution, we may disclose your Protected Health Information needed for your health or the health and safety of others.

Law Enforcement: We may disclose your Protected Health Information for law enforcement purposes as required by law.

As Required by Law: We must disclose your Protected Health Information when required by federal, state or local law.

Health Oversight: We must disclose your Protected Health Information to a health oversight agency for activities authorized by law, such as investigations and inspections. Oversight agencies are those that oversee the healthcare system, government benefit programs, such as Medicaid, and other government regulatory programs.

Abuse or Neglect: We must disclose your Protected Health Information to government authorities that are authorized by law to receive reports of suspected abuse or neglect.

Legal Proceedings: We may disclose your Protected Health Information in the course of any judicial or administrative proceeding or in response to a court order, subpoena, discovery request or other lawful process.

Required Uses and Disclosures: We must make disclosures when required by the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to investigate or determine our compliance with the HIPAA Privacy Regulations.

To Avoid Harm: We may use and disclose information about you when necessary to prevent a serious threat to your health or safety of the health or safety of the public or another person.

For Specific Government Functions: In certain situations, we may disclose Protected Health Information of military personnel and veterans. We may disclose your Protected Health Information for national security activities as required by law.