

ATLANTA CENTER FOR MEDICINE
PATIENT REGISTRATION FORM

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PLACE AN "X" IN THE SPACE TO THE LEFT OF THE DOCTOR WHO YOUR APPOINTMENT IS WITH TODAY.

IN THE SECTION BELOW, PLEASE PROVIDE US WITH INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF:

Title: Mr. Mrs. Ms. Dr. Other _____

Sex: Male Female

Name (Last, First, MI) _____ Nick Name: _____

Physical Address (No PO Box) _____ Apt # _____

City: _____ State _____ Zip _____

Mailing Address if different than above (PO Box is allowed) _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Ext _____

(Place a check mark next to the preferred number above where may we leave **voice mail** messages for Appointment Reminders, Normal Blood Tests, Normal Diagnostic Results and Medication Info.) **May we text reminders to you?** Y N

Date of Birth _____ Marital Status _____ Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____

Patient's Employer Name & Address _____

Emergency Contact _____ Phone _____ Relationship _____

Primary Insurance Carrier _____

Primary ID# _____ Group # _____ Group/Plan Name _____

Insured Name Primary insurance _____ Their Birth Date _____ Relationship _____

Secondary Insurance Carrier _____

Secondary ID# _____ Group # _____ Group/Plan Name _____

Insured Name Second Insurance _____ Their Birth Date _____ Relationship _____

Email address _____ Do you want access to patient portal Yes No

RACE (Please circle): Asian; African-American; Hispanic; White; Refuse to report; Other (specify): _____

ETHNICITY (Please circle): Hispanic/Latino; Not Hispanic/Latino; Refuse to report **LANGUAGE:** _____

Pharmacy Name _____ Pharmacy Phone _____

Pharmacy Address _____

****By signing this consent form you are agreeing that Atlanta Center for Medicine can request and use your prescription medication history from other healthcare providers and/or third party pharmacy benefit payers (for treatment purposes only.)
The above information is true to the best of my knowledge. I authorize Atlanta Center for Medicine (ACM) to release any information required to process my claims. I understand that my co-payment is due at the time of service. I authorize my insurance benefits to be paid directly to ACM and I understand that I am financially responsible for any remaining balance. I understand that ACM does not file insurance for Motor Vehicle Accidents (MVA) and I agree to be self-pay for MVA. I understand that I may be charged a fee for any missed appointment unless I cancel with at least 24 hours advance notice. I understand that ACM reserves the right to dismiss patients who fail to keep their account current or after reasonable attempts to collect payment have been made, and I agree to pay all reasonable fees if my account is sent to collections.**

**Patient (or Guardian) Signature _____ Date _____

Responsible Party _____ Relationship to Patient _____

**ATLANTA CENTER FOR MEDICINE
COMPREHENSIVE PATIENT HISTORY DATABASE**

TODAY'S DATE: _____

NAME: _____ BIRTH DATE: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: (HOME) _____ (CELL) _____ (WORK) _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____ PHONE: _____

ALTERNATE PHONE # WHERE DOCTOR CAN LEAVE MESSAGE: _____

WITH WHOM MAY WE DISCUSS YOUR MEDICAL INFORMATION? _____

PHARMACY: _____ PHONE: _____

DRUG ALLERGY HISTORY: List all drugs you are allergic to as well as the type of allergic reaction it causes:

NAME OF DRUG	TYPE OF REACTION
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

PLEASE LIST ALL MEDICATIONS YOU ARE CURRENTLY TAKING:

MEDICATION NAME	DOSAGE	TIMES TAKEN DAILY

PERSONAL MEDICAL HISTORY

INSTRUCTIONS: Please check or circle any condition that applies to you now, or has applied to you in the past. Include any lab abnormalities or any problem you have taken medication for. Read each section carefully. You may write-in your condition if it is not listed.

CARDIAC

- | | |
|-------------------------|-----------------------|
| High Blood Pressure | Heart Failure |
| Rheumatic Heart Disease | Heart Attack |
| Anginal Chest Pain | Heart Murmur |
| Atrial Fibrillation | Aortic Stenosis |
| Ventricular Tachycardia | Mitral Valve Prolapse |
| Hyperlipidemia | Hypertriglyceridemia |
| Hypercholesterolemia | |

Name: _____

Date: _____

PULMONARY

Chronic Bronchitis
Tuberculosis
Pulmonary Embolism
COPD

Emphysema
Asthma
Pneumonia

GASTROINTESTINAL

Irritable Bowel
Diverticulitis
Gastritis
Type B Hepatitis

Ulcerative Colitis
Diverticulosis
Liver Cirrhosis
Crohn's Disease

RENAL

Acute Renal Failure
Nephritis
Pyelonephritis

Kidney Stones
Chronic Kidney Disease
Urinary Tract Infections

SKELETAL AND RHEUMATIC

Arthritis, Fingers
Arthritis, Shoulder
Arthritis, Back
Arthritis, Knee
Arthritis, Foot
Rheumatoid Arthritis
Fibrositis Syndrome
Spondylosis
Back Fracture
Wrist Fracture
Tibia-Fibula Fracture
Ruptured Disk

Arthritis, Hand
Arthritis, Neck
Arthritis, Hip
Arthritis, Ankle
Arthritis, Toes
Polymyalgia, Rheumatica
Spondylitis
Osteoporosis
Hip Fracture
Humerus Fracture
Sciatica
TMJ Syndrome

SKIN

Eczema
Common Warts
Acne
Plantar Warts
Psoriasis

Sunburn
Venereal Warts
Rosacea
Malignant Melanoma
Other Skin Cancer

NEUROLOGICAL

Tension Headaches
Epilepsy
Cluster Headaches
Stroke
Syncope (Fainting)
Cerebro-Vascular Disease

Seizures
Migraine Headaches
TIAs (Small Strokes)
Guillian Barre
Myasthenia Gravis
Deafness

PSYCHIATRIC

Anxiety
Alzheimer's Disease
Anorexia Nervosa
Dementia

Depression
Panic Attacks
Bulimia
Hyperventilation

Name: _____

Date: _____

ENDOCRINE

Diabetes (Insulin)
Chronic Cortisone Use
Hypothyroidism
Thyroid Goiter
Hyperparathyroidism

Diabetes (Non-Insulin)
Gout
Hyperthyroidism
Thyroid Nodule
High Blood Calcium

INFECTIOUS DISEASE

Meningitis, Bacterial
Sinusitis, Acute
Chronic Ear Infection
Gonorrhea
Herpes, Genital
Athletes Foot
Nail Bed Fungus
HIV/AIDS
Hepatitis

Meningitis, Viral
Sinusitis, Chronic
Cellulitis
Syphilis
Fever Blisters
Jock Itch
Shingles
Pneumocystic Pneumonia

HEMATOLOGIC

Anemia
Iron Deficiency
Lymphoma
Lymphadenopathy

Chronic Lymphocytic Leukemia
Chronic Myelogenous Leukemia
Hodgkin's Disease
Pernicious Anemia

ALLERGY

Hives
Hay Fever
Angioedema

Allergic Rhinitis
Bee Sting
Food

GYNECOLOGICAL, FEMALE URINARY TRACT AND BREASTS

Irregular Menstruation
Menopause
Pelvic Inflammatory Disease
Infertility
Painful Menstruation
Abnormally Heavy Periods
Fibrocystic Breast Disease

Amenorrhea
Yeast Infections
Ovarian Cyst
Vaginitis
Pelvic Pain
Incontinence

MALE URINARY TRACT

Enlarged Prostate
Chronic Prostatitis
Prostrate Nodule
Hydrocele

Acute Prostatitis
Urinary Obstruction
Varicocele

CANCER

Skin
Larynx
Colon
Blood
Breast
Thyroid
Lip

Mouth
Esophagus
Lung
Kidney
Uterine
Ovarian
Prostate

Tongue
Stomach
Bladder
Cervical
Rectal
Brain
Salivary Gland

Name: _____

Date: _____

PAST SURGICAL HISTORY

- | | | |
|-----------------|------------------------------|---------------|
| Tonsillectomy | Appendectomy | Gallbladder |
| Hernia | Stomach Ulcer Surgery | Hysterectomy |
| Ooporectomy | Tubal Ligation | Vasectomy |
| Hemorrhoids | Heart Valve | Lung |
| Kidney | Brain | Abdomen |
| Prostate (TURP) | Bladder | Colon |
| Back | Coronary Artery Bypass Graft | Breast Biopsy |
| Mastectomy | | |
- Please list in the space below any surgery you had in the past not listed above:

FAMILY HISTORY

INSTRUCTIONS: Please check or circle the conditions below **found among your family members:**

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|--------------------|------------------|--------------------|
| Hypertension | Heart Disease | Diabetes |
| Stroke | Atherosclerosis | Kidney Disease |
| Tuberculosis | Thyroid Disease | Stomach Cancer |
| Colon Cancer | Skin Cancer | Osteoporosis |
| Arthritis | Breast Cancer | Alcoholism |
| Malignant Melanoma | High Cholesterol | High Triglycerides |
| Heart Attacks | Heart Failure | Cancer |
| Obesity | Depression | Suicide |

FAMILY HISTORY

Family Member	First Name	YEAR OF BIRTH	Alive? Y or N	List their Medical Diseases
Father				
Mother				
Brothers				
Sisters				
Children				

SOCIAL HISTORY

Current occupation _____ Retired? Yes No

Previous occupation if retired _____

Employer _____

Have you ever been exposed to any dangerous fumes, chemicals, cotton dust, or radiation sources? Yes No

Name: _____

Date: _____

TOBACCO

Have you used tobacco products? Yes No Never (please circle one)

How many years have (or did) you use tobacco? _____

In what year did you begin to use tobacco? _____

Cigarettes: Packs smoked each day: ½ 1 2 3 4 (please circle one)

Cigars: Number of cigars smoked each day _____

Pipe: Number of ounces of tobacco each week _____

Smokeless tobacco: Ounces used each week _____

If you stopped using tobacco, in what year did you do so? _____

YOUR SEXUAL PREFERENCE:

Heterosexual (straight) Bisexual Homosexual (gay or lesbian) (Please circle one)

DRUGS AND ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES

Do you now use alcoholic beverages on a regular basis? Yes No Never (Please circle one)

Beer: Number of cans per week _____

Wine: Number of glasses per week: _____

Whiskey/Liquor: Number of ounces consumed weekly _____

In your opinion, do you now or have you ever had a drinking problem Yes No Never (Please circle one)

If you drank alcoholic beverages in the past but no longer consume them, in what year did you stop drinking alcohol? _____

Do you use recreational drugs? Yes No Never (Please circle one)

COMPREHENSIVE REVIEW OF SYSTEMS

INSTRUCTIONS: Please check or circle any symptoms you are **CURRENTLY** experiencing:

GENERAL

Weakness	Fatigue	Lack of Appetite
Weight Loss	Weight Gain	Chills
Fever	Insomnia	Night Sweats

SKIN

Rash	Itchiness	Moles
Warts	Non-healing Ulcers	Acne
Dryness	Hair Loss	Ring Worm
Eczema	Abnormal Sweating	

HEAD

Lumps on the Scalp	Headaches	Sore Spots on the Scalp
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EYES

Double Vision	Decreased Vision	Burning Eyes
Cataracts	Pain in the Eyes	Rings around Lights
Red Eyes	Infected Eyes	

EARS

Decreased Hearing	Ringing in the Ears	Pain in the Ears
Discharge from the Ears		

NOSE

Nose Bleeds	Stuffy Nose	Constant Runny Nose
Nasal Obstruction	Broken Nose	Nasal Polyps
Sinus Infection	Can't Smell	Post Nasal Drip

THROAT

Sore Throats	Strep Throats	Chronic Hoarseness
Vocal Cord Polyps	Colds Sores on Lips	Mouth Ulcers
Bleeding Gums	Cavities	Dentures
Non-Healing Tongue or Mouth Sore		

Name: _____

Date: _____

NECK Chronically Swollen Glands
Crick in the Neck

Neck Pain
Neck Swelling

Neck Stiffness

PULMONARY

Breathlessness on Exertion
Cold Air Causes Wheezing
Daily Coughing of Phlegm
Exposure to Tuberculosis

Breathlessness at Rest
Daily Smokers Cough
Coughing Up Blood
Snoring

Wake from Sleep Breathless
Chronic Dry Cough
Pain in Chest with Cough

BREAST Breast Lump(s)
Breast Cysts

Nipple Discharge

Breast Pain

CARDIAC Chest Pain/Tightness on Physical Exertion
Chest Pain at Rest
Irregular Heart Rate

Heart Pounding
Ankle Swelling

Heart Racing
Leg Pain on Exertion

GASTROINTESTINAL

Nausea
Indigestion
Vomiting Blood
Heartburn
Diarrhea
Painful Swallowing

Vomiting
Lump in the Abdomen
Rectal Bleeding
Frequent Antacids
Constipation
Food Sticks on Swallowing

Abdominal Bloating
Stomach Cramps
Black Sticky Stools
Food Allergy
Stomach Burning

ENDOCRINOLOGY

Hot Flashes
Frequent Urination
Weight Loss
Menopause

Cold Intolerance
Increased Appetite
Weight Gain
Loss of Body Hair

Heat Intolerance
Increased Thirst
No Sex Interest
Increased Hair Growth

GYNECOLOGIC (WOMEN ONLY)

Age periods began ____
Severe Menstrual Cramps
Abnormal Vaginal Bleeding
Vaginal Spotting
Vaginal Bleeding After Menopause

Date of Last Period ____
Pelvic Pain
Painful Intercourse
Frequent Vaginal Infections

Vaginal Discharge Yes No
Are Periods Regular? Yes No
Decreased Sexual Desire

URINARY Burning on Urination
Can't Start Urine Stream
Genital Ulcers or Blisters
Can't Hold Urine (Incontinence)

Frequent Urination
Decreased Urine Stream
Urinary Tract Infection
Urine Leakage when you Cough or Sneeze

Urinary Retention
Enlarged Prostate
Genital Infections

NEUROLOGICAL

Headaches
Convulsions
Poor Memory
Slurring of Words
Dizziness
Loss of Balance

Seizures
Body Numbness
Mental Confusion
Arm or Leg Weakness
Vertigo
Difficulty Speaking

Body Tingling
Periodic Facial Drooping
Blackout Spells
Paralysis of Arm or Leg

PSYCHIATRIC

Depressed Mood
Can't Sleep Well
Angry often
I've lost interest in things I used to enjoy

Crying Spells
Personality Change
Mental Breakdown

Very Nervous/ Anxious
Hearing Voices
I'm thinking about suicide

Name: _____

Date: _____

Are you aware of the importance of safe sex in the prevention of sexually transmitted diseases? Yes No

Do you always practice safe sex? Yes No Not applicable to my situation

Do you wear seat belts at all times? Yes No

Do you have a smoke detector in your household? Yes No

Do you have a firearm in your household? Yes No If yes, is it locked up? Yes No

Do you exercise regularly? Yes No # of days per week? _____ **If yes, please list what you do for exercise:** _____

VACCINATIONS:

When was your last Tetanus vaccination? _____

When was your last pneumonia vaccination? _____

When was your last Gardasil/HPV vaccination? _____

When was your last shingles vaccination? _____

TESTS:

When was your last cholesterol check? _____

Have you ever had a colonoscopy? Yes No **If yes, when?** _____

Have you ever had a bone density scan (DEXA scan)? Yes No **If yes, when?** _____

FOR INDIVIDUALS BORN 1945 - 1965 ONLY

Have you ever been tested for hepatitis C? Yes No **If yes, when?** _____

FOR MALES ONLY

Are you aware of the importance of testicular self examination? Yes No

FOR FEMALES ONLY

Approximate date of last PAP smear? _____

Birth Control Method: Abstinence Condoms Birth Control Pills Vasectomy Tubal Ligation Other: _____

Last menstrual cycle? Approx Date _____ (or check here if not applicable to your situation ___)

Last mammogram? Approx Date _____ (or check here if you have never had one ___)

Are you aware of the importance of breast self-examination in detection of breast cancer? Yes No

Do you perform monthly self examination of your breasts? Yes No

Protecting your Health Information

When you visit our office it is very important that you feel safe in telling your doctor personal information that may be required to fully diagnose or treat a problem. As medical professionals, please be assured that our practice has always had strict policies and procedures to protect the confidentiality of the information that you have entrusted to us. However, on April 14, 2003, new regulations became effective under a federal law called the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA"). HIPAA regulations cover physicians and all other health care providers, health insurance companies and their claims processing staffs. In general, HIPAA was enacted to establish national standards to:

1. Give patients more control over their health information;
2. Set boundaries for the use and release of health records;
3. Establish safeguards that physicians, health plans and other healthcare providers must have in place to protect the privacy of health information;
4. Hold violators accountable, with civil & criminal penalties; and
5. Try to balance need for individual privacy with requirement for public responsibility that requires disclosures to protect the public health.

The HIPAA rules require that our practice provide all of our patients that we see after April 14, 2003 with our Notice of Privacy Practices. The Notice describes how the medical information we receive from you may be used or disclosed by our practice and your rights related to your access to this information. A copy of this Notice is posted by the waiting room, and a copy is available for you, if desired, at the check-in window.

Please sign below that we have made available a copy of the Notice to review. You are entitled to a personal copy of the Notice at any time to review and keep for your records. If you have any questions about our Privacy Practices, please feel free to contact our office manager.

Additionally, by signing below I allow anyone who comes into the examination and/or consultation room with me to participate in examination(s) and or discussion regarding my health care while in my presence.

I acknowledge that I have received a copy of Atlanta Center for Medicine Notice of Privacy Practices and have been given an opportunity to ask questions.

Patient Name (please print) _____

Signature _____ Date: _____

If Personal Representative, relationship to patient:

Atlanta Center for Medicine

Financial Policy

Thank you for choosing Atlanta Center for Medicine (ACM) for your medical needs. Our staff is committed to providing you with the best care possible. Your clear understanding of the Financial Policy, which is an agreement between the practice and the patient or guarantor, is important to our professional relationship. We require a signature to document that you have read and understand this policy.

INSURANCE/PAYMENT: Insurance plans vary considerably and we cannot predict or guarantee what part of our services will or will not be covered. On arrival, please sign in at the front desk and **present your current insurance card and photo identification as well as any other forms that may assist us in processing your claims correctly at every visit.** It is the responsibility of the patient to provide *accurate* and *timely* insurance information. Inaccurate or untimely information given to the staff that results in denial or non-coverage by your insurance company results in the guarantor being responsible for payment. If the patient is not the policy holder on the insurance, we require the policy holder's full name, date of birth, social security number and relationship to the patient to file all claims. If your plan requires, you must name ACM as your primary care physician prior to your first appointment. If an ACM physician is not named on your insurance as your primary care physician, your appointment will need to be rescheduled. According to your contractual agreement with your insurance plan, **you are responsible for your co-payment, coinsurance, and/or deductible at the time of service.** It is important for you to be an informed consumer who understands the specifications of your insurance policy regarding doctor visit coverage, referral/authorization requirements for specialty care, imaging studies, laboratory tests, emergency hospital care, etc. You should refer to information from your insurance company or call them if you have questions about your coverage.

BILLING: We accept cash, checks, MasterCard, Visa, and Discover. **Outstanding balances are due within 30 days unless prior arrangements have been made with the billing department.** For balances over 60 days, you will receive a final request for payment letter. Balances not paid in full within 10 days of the date on the final request letter will be forwarded to a collection agency. **You will be responsible for any costs incurred if your account is turned over to a collection agency,** which will include collection agency fees equaling **25%** of the outstanding balance, and in addition, court costs and attorney fees.

The guarantor is responsible for full payment at the time of service. We realize that temporary financial problems may affect timely payment on your account. If such problems arise, we encourage you to contact our billing department promptly for payment arrangements and assistance in the management of your account.

Should your account balance become uncollectible due to bankruptcy, we will continue to see you on an emergency basis only for the next 30 days, giving you time to find a new source of medical care.

Please call if you have a question about your bill. Most problems can be settled quickly and easily and your call will prevent any misunderstandings. If you are having trouble paying your bill, please discuss the situation with us. Satisfactory arrangements can almost always be made.

IF WE PARTICIPATE WITH YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY: All services performed in our office will be submitted as a courtesy to your insurance. **All co-payments, deductibles, and coinsurance are due at the time of service.** All insurance carriers have a fee schedule from which they will reimburse. Not all services provided by this office are covered benefits in all contracts. Therefore, any balance not covered by insurance becomes the responsibility of the patient.

IF WE DO NOT PARTICIPATE WITH YOUR INSURANCE COMPANY: We are not able to bill your insurance and we cannot accept payment from them for the services performed. We will provide you with a bill so that you may submit the charges to your insurance company for reimbursement. **Payment for service is due in full at the time of service.**

IF YOU DO NOT HAVE INSURANCE: If you are not covered by insurance at the time of service, please be advised that **you will be responsible for all charges incurred at the time of service.**

NON-EMERGENCY APPOINTMENTS: We may reschedule non-emergency appointments if there is an overdue balance on your account or if a co-payment is not made at the time of service.

MISSED APPOINTMENTS/LATE CANCELLATIONS: Missed appointments represent a cost to us, to you, and to other patients who could have been seen in the time set aside for you. For cancellations, a 24 hour notice prior to the appointment is requested. However, we understand emergencies arise, so please call us if you must miss an appointment. **We reserve the right to charge a \$25.00 fee for missed appointments without proper notification (\$150.00 for missed physicals).**

RETURNED CHECKS: A **\$35.00 fee** will be charged for all returned checks. If you write a check that is returned, your account will be placed on a cash only basis, meaning we will only accept cash or credit card payments.

AFFIDAVITS/LEGAL MATTERS: Each Provider charges a fee for affidavits, letters, or forms that we prepare for legal or employment matters. Those fees are not billable to your insurance company or employer and are due at the time of service.

FORMS: We require at least 48 hours to complete all forms. An appointment may be required depending on the nature of the form and information requested.

MEDICAL RECORDS: If you request a copy of your medical records, you will be required to sign a medical record release form and pay a medical record fee prior to having your records copied (fee details stated on release form). Please allow up to 14 days for this request to be processed.

REFERRALS: If your insurance plan requires a written referral for you to see a specialist, for procedures, or laboratory tests, you must allow no less than 3 business days to complete the appropriate form(s) prior to obtaining services. You may have to reschedule your appointment if enough notice is not given to prepare your referral. Emergency referrals will be completed on the same day. Retroactive referrals cannot be written and will not be honored. In general, we will not agree to a referral for a problem we have not been consulted about first.

REFUNDS: If you have a credit on your account, we will gladly refund the amount within thirty (30) days of your request (and if cleared by the Billing Department). You must provide a correct mailing address for your refund to be sent.

DISMISSAL PROCESS: There are several reasons that a patient may be dismissed from our practice. A few reasons are as follows:

- Failure to keep scheduled appointments
- Being verbally or physically abusive to staff
- Abuse of prescription drugs and/or failure to adhere to ACM's narcotic policy
- Failure to meet financial obligations

A certified letter will be sent to your last known address notifying you that you are being dismissed from our practice. If you have a medical emergency within thirty (30) days of the date of the letter, one of our providers will be available for advice. After the thirty (30) days, you will no longer be seen at our practice by any provider. A copy of your medical record may be forwarded to your new doctor after a formal request is made and applicable fees (if any) are paid.

You may review this Financial Policy at <http://acmdocs.com/>

PLEASE DO NOT SIGN THIS FORM UNLESS YOU HAVE READ IT.

Patient Acknowledgement: I, _____ (print name), have read, understand, and agree to the Atlanta Center for Medicine Financial Policy. I agree to pay at the time of service. I also understand that Atlanta Center for Medicine reserves the right to dismiss patients that fail to keep their accounts current after reasonable attempts to collect payments have been made. I further agree to pay all reasonable costs and late fees should my account be turned over to collections. I also understand the terms of this Financial Policy may be amended by the practice without prior notification to the patient or guarantor.

Patient's or Responsible Party's Signature

Date

Witness Signature

Date

Atlanta Center for Medicine Opt-Out Form for the Emory Health Information Exchange

Please complete the form below and give to the receptionist only if you do NOT want us to share your medical record with your other health care providers on the Emory Health Information Exchange (EHIE.) Otherwise you will be automatically opted in, and your data may be shared on the EHIE to facilitate improved patient care.

I elect to opt out of the Emory HIE:

*Name: _____ *Date of _____

*Street Address: _____ Birth: _____ *City: _____

*State: _____ *Zip: _____ *Phone: _____

e-mail: _____ *Required Field

The Emory Health Information Exchange (HIE) is a secure, electronic way for your participating healthcare providers to improve patient care collaboratively by sharing patient health information. The HIE assists your participating healthcare providers with viewing certain health information about you in a timely manner to effectively coordinate your healthcare needs.

After considering my option of participating in the Emory HIE, ***I have decided to OPT OUT*** and ***NOT*** allow my health information to be viewable by my participating healthcare providers via the Emory HIE. By choosing to ***OPT OUT*** of allowing my health information to be viewable via the Emory HIE, I hereby acknowledge and agree as follows:

1. Opting out of the HIE may delay access by my participating healthcare providers to important medical information.
2. **I understand that by Opting Out, my health information will still be sent to the Emory HIE but it will not be VIEWABLE from the HIE. Instead, my healthcare providers will continue to share information via previously established methods, such as phone, fax, or mail.**
3. My health information will NOT be shared with other HIEs in which Emory Healthcare may participate including the Georgia Health Information Network (GaHIN). By opting out of the Emory HIE, I am also opting out of the GaHIN.
4. Any information that is shared before I submit this HIE Opt-Out form may remain with providers who accessed information before this Opt-Out went into effect.
5. My **HIE Opt-Out** selection will remain in effect unless I change it in writing; and
6. This request can take up to 3-5 **business days** to take effect.

If this form is signed by someone other than the person named above, the person signing the form hereby certifies that he/she is acting as: (Check One) ___ Parent ___ Legal Guardian ___ Other (Specify Relationship) _____ for the person named above.

Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____

ACM Staff: Please fax this completed and signed HIE Opt-Out Form to the Emory HIE at 404-712-2980 so that this patient can be properly opted out.



Authorization For The Use And/Or Disclosure of Protected Health Information

I authorize the use and/or disclosure of my protected health information as described below. My authorization applies to the information described below. Only this information may be used and/or disclosed pursuant to this authorization:

- Type of health information to be released: _____
- Release of information dated: _____

I authorize Atlanta Center for Medicine to make the authorized disclosure of my protected health information to the following entity or persons (spouse, friend, relative, etc):

I understand, that if my protected health information is disclosed to someone who is not required to comply with the federal privacy protection regulations, such information may be re-disclosed and would no longer be protected.

I understand, that I have a right to revoke this authorization at any time. My revocation must be in writing to Atlanta Center for Medicine. I am aware that my revocation is not effective to the extent that the persons I have authorized to use and/or disclose my protected health information have acted in reliance upon this authorization.

I understand, that I do not have to sign this authorization and that my refusal to sign will not affect my abilities to obtain treatment from Dr. _____, nor will it affect my eligibility for benefits.

I certify that I have received a copy of this authorization. This authorization expires upon my written notice to Atlanta Center for Medicine

Full Name

Date of Birth

Signature

Date

Name of Personal Representative

Relationship to Patient