

Authorization for Disclosure of Health Information

Note: All items on this form must be completed to ensure prompt release of information.

Client Information:	Client Name:		Date of Birth:	
	Previous Name(s):		Phone #:	
	Address:		E-mail Address (Optional):	
	City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Reason for Disclosure:	<input type="checkbox"/> Coordination of Care <input type="checkbox"/> Client Request/ Personal <input type="checkbox"/> Legal/ Court <input type="checkbox"/> Insurance Company <input type="checkbox"/> Financial/ Billing <input type="checkbox"/> Family Request <input type="checkbox"/> PCP Letter <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Specify):			
I Authorize: <small>(Please note CMMHC has centralized records for all sites & programs)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Central Minnesota Mental Health Center (CMMHC)		Phone #:	
	Contact Name:		Fax #:	
	Address:		E-mail Address:	
	City:	State:	Zip Code:	
To do the following: <input type="checkbox"/> Release Records To (Send Information) <input type="checkbox"/> Receive Records From (Get Information)	Business Name:		Phone #:	
	Contact Name:		Fax #:	
	Address:		E-mail Address:	
	City:	State:	Zip Code:	
Distribution Method of Paper Records:	<input type="checkbox"/> Mail <small>(Mailing address required above)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Fax <small>(Fax # required above)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> E-mail <small>(E-mail address required above)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Pick-Up <small>(Photo ID required @ pick-up)</small>
Dates of Service REQUIRED:	From Date:		To Date:	
Information to be Released <small>(Must specify at least one)</small>	<input type="checkbox"/> Progress Notes	<input type="checkbox"/> Diagnostic Assessment (DA)	<input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Evaluation	<input type="checkbox"/> School Records
	<input type="checkbox"/> Medication Notes	<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Records	<input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Evaluation	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal/ Court/ PO
	<input type="checkbox"/> Treatment Plans	<input type="checkbox"/> Summary of Services	<input type="checkbox"/> Social Services Info	
	<input type="checkbox"/> Verbal (Information is all-inclusive and can be shared with the individual listed above)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Specify):			
Special Consents: <small>If dates are not specified, only the most recent visit will be released.</small> Prohibition on Re-Disclosure: <small>(42 CFR, Part 2)</small>	The law requires a Special Consent for Chemical Dependency Program Information.			
	Dates of Service are Required		From Date:	To Date:
	<input type="checkbox"/> CD Assessment Summary <input type="checkbox"/> CD Weekly Summary Notes <input type="checkbox"/> CD Discharge Summary <input type="checkbox"/> Rule 25			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Verbal (Information is all-inclusive and can be shared with the individual listed above)			
	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Specify):			
	Each disclosure made with the client's written consent must be accompanied by the following written statement: This information has been disclosed to you from records protected by Federal confidentiality rules (42 CFR Part 2). The Federal rules prohibit you from making any further disclosure of this information unless further disclosure is expressly permitted by the written consent of the person to whom it pertains or as otherwise permitted by 42 CFR, Part 2. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is NOT sufficient for this purpose. The Federal rules restrict any use of the information to criminally investigate or prosecute any alcohol or drug abuse patient.			
Re-Disclosure:	CMMHC cannot prevent the re-disclosure of records released as a result of this request, and after the information is released from CMMHC, the records may not be subject to the Federal Privacy Rule Laws. A photo copy of this authorization will be treated in the same manner as the original.			
Expiration: <small>(Not to exceed 5 yrs.)</small>	This consent will expire one year from the date it is signed unless I indicate a different expiration date or event.			
	Date:		Specific Event: (can shorten or lengthen the expiration period)	
Revocation:	I have the right to revoke this authorization at any time by giving written notice to the Health Information Management (HIM) Department. I understand that the revocation will not apply: 1) to information that has already been released in response to this authorization, or 2) to my insurance company as the law provides my insurer with the right to contest a claim under my policy.			
Retrieval/ Copy Fee:	I may be required to pay a fee for retrieval and copying of records &/or inspection of records in accordance with 45 CFR 164.524.			
Authorization: <small>CMMHC may not condition my treatment, payment, enrollment, or eligibility for benefits by signing this authorization.</small>	Client, or Parent, or Guardian Signature:		Date:	
	Reason the Client is unable to sign: <input type="checkbox"/> Minor <input type="checkbox"/> Legal (Documentation Required) <input type="checkbox"/> Client is not own Guardian (Documentation Required) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Specify):			