

‘Notice of HIPAA Privacy Practices’

This document is an abbreviated ‘Notice of Privacy Practices’. It explains how health information about you may be used, and your rights, regarding the use of that information. Please review it carefully.

You have the right to:

- Ask to see, read and/or obtain a copy of your health record (charges may be necessary)
- Ask to correct information that you believe is wrong in your health record
- Ask that your health information not be used for certain purposes, for example, research
- Ask that copies of your health record be sent to whomever you wish (charges may be necessary)
- Be informed about who has read your record (for reasons other than treatment, payment, and program improvement purposes).
- Specify where and how you should be contacted
- Receive a paper copy of the full ‘Notice of Privacy Practices’

Who is authorized to see confidential Patient Health Information (PHI)?

The “Notice of Privacy Practices” describes the ways in which your PHI may be used without obtaining the patient’s specific authorization. Certain uses such as for Treatment, Payment and health care Operations are permitted.

1. Treatment of the patient, such as consultation between treating providers
2. Payment of health care bills (insurance claim submission, authorizations and payment posting)
3. Health care operations and business operations, including research (when approved by the IRB and with a patient’s written permission); health care communications between a patient and their health care practitioner.

Written Authorizations

To use or disclose PHI for almost any other reason, you will need to sign a written authorization prior to access or disclosure. Refer to the “Notice of Privacy Practices” for a list of covered exceptions to the authorization requirement related to public policy, certain health disease reporting requirements and law enforcement activities. If you do not understand or know what you can do with PHI, please read the “Notice of Privacy Practices”.

Exceptions to the Rules

Under HIPAA, there are certain exceptions to these general rules. These exceptions are described in the “Notice of Privacy Practices”. Disclosures can be made without patient authorization: subject to professional judgment, for public health and safety purposes, for government functions, law enforcement, and based on a judicial request or subpoena.

If you have concerns about how your health information might be (or has been) shared, please speak with your practitioner or the privacy coordinator. If you believe your privacy rights have NOT been maintained you may file a complaint with the Secretary, the address is U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services, Office of Civil Rights, Attn: Regional Manager, 50 United Nations Plaza, Rm. 322, San Francisco, CA 94103. You will not be penalized in any way for filing a complaint.

- I acknowledge receipt of the “Notice of Privacy Practices” and “Patient’s Rights”. I understand that my signature does not authorize disclosure, but only acknowledges that I have received a copy of the full Notice.
- I understand and acknowledge that I may receive appointment reminder calls, newsletters, and cards, and I agree to receive these.

Signature _____ Date _____

Date of Birth _____

Printed Name _____ Relation (if other than the patient) _____

Patient declined to sign receipt (signature of practitioner) _____

Patent unable to sign (witness signature) _____ Reason unable _____

Acupuncture and Integrative Health Medicine

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New Patient Intake Form

Today's Date ____/____/____

Name _____ SS# _____ Birthdate ____/____/____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Contact Number (____) _____ Email _____ Occupation _____

Emergency Contact Name _____ Phone (____) _____

Referred by _____ Reason for today's visit _____

What is the history of this condition? _____

What treatments have you had for this? _____

What seems to make it better? _____ What seems to make it worse? _____

Have you had acupuncture before? Yes No Chinese herbal medicine? Yes No

Are you under the care of a physician now? Yes No If yes, for what? _____

Who is your physician? _____ Physician's Phone (____) _____

Other current therapies _____

Family Medical History

Please indicate which family member:

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Osteoporosis _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart disease _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcoholism/drug use _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental illness _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid disorders _____ |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Your Past Medical History

Check any of the following conditions you currently have, or have had in the past:

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|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcoholism | <input type="checkbox"/> Goiter | <input type="checkbox"/> Pneumonia | <input type="checkbox"/> Tuberculosis/TB Test + _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Major trauma (car, fall, etc. – list) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Allergies | <input type="checkbox"/> Heart disease | <input type="checkbox"/> Polio | <input type="checkbox"/> Birth trauma (your own) _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Arthritis | <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis | <input type="checkbox"/> Seizures | <input type="checkbox"/> Surgery (list) _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma | <input type="checkbox"/> Herpes | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other/Hospitalizations _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Cancer | <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure | <input type="checkbox"/> Ulcers | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes | <input type="checkbox"/> Pacemaker | <input type="checkbox"/> Thyroid disorders | | |

Your Diet

- | | | |
|--|--|--|
| Appetite <input type="checkbox"/> Low
<input type="checkbox"/> High | What do you drink? How many? Per day/week | Daily protein source? How often? Per day/week |
| Thirst <input type="checkbox"/> Low
<input type="checkbox"/> High | <input type="checkbox"/> Coffee/Tea _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Soft drinks _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Fruit juice _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Water _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Milk _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____/_____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Soy _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Fish _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Chicken _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Turkey _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Red meats _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____/_____ |
| What food do you craving?
_____ | | |

Average Daily Menu

Breakfast	Lunch	Dinner	Snacks
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Drug Allergies _____

Current Medications _____

Current Vitamins/Supplements _____

Current Lifestyle

Stress: Mild Moderate Severe
Stress related to: Family Relationships Work Other _____
Quantity Alcohol _____ Tobacco _____ Marijuana _____ Drugs _____
Work environment _____
Leisure Activities/Exercise _____

General Symptoms (Mark with a double x if this is a current symptom)

Strongly like cold drinks Poor sleep Bodily heaviness Chills Bleed or bruise easily
 Strongly like hot drinks Heavy sleep Cold hands or feet Night sweats Peculiar taste (describe): _____
 Recent weight change: Dream disturbed sleep Poor circulation Sweat easily _____
 Loss _____ Fatigue Shortness of breath Muscle cramps _____
 Gain _____ Lack of strength Fevers Vertigo or dizziness _____

Head, Eyes, Ears, Nose, Throat

Glasses Cataracts Sores on lips or mouth Recurrent sore throat Earaches
 Eye pain Teeth problems Difficult to swallow Swollen glands Headaches
 Red eyes Grinding teeth Excessive saliva Lumps in throat Migraines
 Itchy eyes TMJ Sinus problems Enlarged thyroid Concussions
 Spots in eyes Facial pain Excessive phlegm Nose bleeds Other head or neck problems (explain): _____
 Blurred vision Dry mouth Color of phlegm _____ Ringing in ears _____
 Glaucoma Gum problems _____ Poor hearing _____

Respiratory

Asthma/wheezing Coughing blood Frequent colds Pneumonia
 Cough: Wet or dry? _____ Thick or thin? _____ Color of phlegm _____

Cardiovascular

High blood pressure High cholesterol Fainting Difficulty breathing Heart murmur
 Low blood pressure Blood clots Chest pain/tightness Heart palpitations Phlebitis
 Pace maker Irregular heartbeat

Gastrointestinal

Nausea Indigestion Bloody stools Hemorrhoid Bowel movements: _____
 Vomiting Bad breath Mucous in stools Anal fissures Frequency _____
 Heartburn Diarrhea Gallbladder pain Color _____
 Gas Constipation Intestinal pain or cramping Texture/form _____
 Hiccups Laxative use Itchy/burning anus Strong odor _____
 Bloating Black stools Rectal pain

Musculoskeletal

Neck/shoulder pain Upper back pain Joint pain Limited range of motion Other: _____
 Muscle pain Low back pain Rib pain Limited use _____

Skin, Hair & Nails

Rashes Eczema Dandruff Change in hair/skin texture Other hair or skin problems: _____
 Hives Psoriasis Itching Fungal Infections _____
 Ulcerations Acne Hair loss Brittle nails _____

Neuropsychological

Seizures Poor memory Irritability Considered/attempted suicide Other (specify): _____
 Numbness Depression Easily stressed Seeing a therapist _____
 Tics Anxiety Abuse survivor Psychiatric hospitalization _____
 Dizziness Headaches Paralysis

Genito-urinary

Pain on urination Blood in urine Venereal disease Increased libido Genital warts
 Frequent urination Unable to hold urine Bedwetting Decreased libido Nocturnal emission
 Urgent urination Incomplete urination Wake to urinate ___times Impotence Prostate enlargement
 Dark urine Urine odor Kidney stone Premature ejaculation Bladder infection

Gynecology

Age menses began: ____ Irregular periods Vaginal discharge Contraception _____ Age at Menopause _____
Length of cycle (day 1 to Day 1): _____ Painful periods (color): _____ #Pregnancies _____
Day 1): _____ PMS Vaginal sores/soreness #Live births _____ Date of last PAP: _____
Duration of flow: _____ Menstrual clots Vaginal odor Premature births _____ Mammogram: _____
 Abnormal Pap smear Breast lumps/tenderness Menopausal symptoms _____ Date last period began: _____

What is your health plan goal? _____

How would you like to improve your health? _____

Other comments: _____