

Authorization to Release Information

I hereby authorize the use or disclosure of my individually identifiable health information as described below. I understand that this authorization is voluntary. I understand that if the organization authorized to receive the information is not a health plan or health care provider, the released information may no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations. I understand that my health care will not be affected if I do not sign this form. **FEES: Health records will be sent to another healthcare provider free of charge as a professional courtesy. All other requests are subject to fees of \$.75 per page. Health records are released upon payment of all fees.**

Name - Last, First, MI (Maiden or former name)			Date of Birth
Street Address	City	State	Zip Code
Phone			

Specific description of Information (including dates):		Date Needed:
<input type="checkbox"/> Abstract (all dictated notes, labs, Radiology Reports, EKGs) <input type="checkbox"/> Labs/Pathology <input type="checkbox"/> Physical Therapy	<input type="checkbox"/> Discharge Summary <input type="checkbox"/> History & Physical <input type="checkbox"/> Consultation <input type="checkbox"/> Cardiac/EKG	<input type="checkbox"/> Radiology Report <input type="checkbox"/> Disc <input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Record/Urgent Care <input type="checkbox"/> Operative Report <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Office Notes

Drug, Alcohol, HIV and Mental Health			
I authorize by initialing any of the below, that they shall be included in this request:			
Drug _____	Alcohol _____	Mental Health _____	HIV _____

Format for Record Delivery: (Select ONE) <input type="checkbox"/> Paper <input type="checkbox"/> DVD (required PDF viewer) <input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify): _____
Please note: If a format is not selected, records will be provided in paper format.

<input type="checkbox"/> Release Information FROM: (Select One)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cayuga Medical Center <input type="checkbox"/> Cayuga Medical Associates <input type="checkbox"/> Schuyler Hospital	
Name - (e.g. Health Facility, Provider)	
Address	
City	State Zip
Phone Fax	

<input type="checkbox"/> Release Information TO: **Need Full Mailing Address**	
<input type="checkbox"/> Cayuga Medical Center (Fax 607-274-4131) <input type="checkbox"/> Cayuga Medical Associates (Fax 607-277-0104) <input type="checkbox"/> Schuyler Hospital (Fax 607-535-6210)	
Name - (e.g. Insurance Company, Lawyer, Provider, Patient)	
Address	
City	State Zip
Phone Fax	

What is the purpose or need for disclosure?

I understand I may revoke this authorization at any time by presenting written revocation to the Health Information Management Department. Revocation will not apply to information already released in response to this authorization. I understand that any release of information carries with it the potential for redisclosure by the recipient and may not be protected by the federal privacy rules. Cayuga Health will not condition treatment, payment, or eligibility of benefits on completion of an authorization. This authorization will expire on (date or event) _____. If you leave blank, the authorization will expire after 6 months. The patient may request a copy of this authorization.

Signature _____	Date _____
Relationship, if not patient: _____	