

AUTHORIZATION FORM FOR DISCLOSURE OF MEMBER INFORMATION (*Must be complete*)

I, _____ (*print member full name*), hereby authorize the disclosure of my Protected Health Information (PHI) as described below.

1. This authorization was completed by:

☐ The Member

☐ The Member's Representative: (*please print name*) _____

2. **If you are completing this form as the Member's Legal Representative**, describe the scope of your authority to act on the member's and attach documentation of such authority (examples include Power of Attorney or Letter of Guardianship):

3. Protected member information to be released or disclosed: (*select one*)

___ ALL INFORMATION: includes clinical (diagnosis, treatment), claims, billing and coverage

___ LIMITED INFORMATION: (*specify*) _____

The following information requires special authorization to disclose. Initial your selection(s) you wish to be disclosed:

- _____ Mental/behavioral health
_____ Substance Abuse
_____ HIV/AIDS
_____ Reproductive Health/Sexually Transmitted Disease
_____ Genetic Testing

4. Apex Health Solutions may release my Personal Health Information (PHI) as detailed in #3 above to the following person(s): (***Please provide name, address and phone number for each person***)

5. Purpose of disclosure:

This authorization will allow Apex Health Solutions to disclose your PHI (as limited in Item #3) to the individual(s) you identify in Item #4. If there is another purpose for which you wish Apex Health Solutions to disclose your PHI, please indicate the purpose here:

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6. This authorization will expire: *(select one)*

☐ When Coverage Ends.

☐ Other [**You must enter a specific date or specific event**] _____

7. As described in the Notice of Privacy Practices of Apex Health Solutions, I understand that I may revoke this authorization in writing at any time, except to the extent that action has been taken by Apex Health Solutions in reliance on this authorization, by sending a written revocation to **Compliance Dept., P.O. Box 3620, Akron, Ohio 44309**.

8. I understand that if the person or entity that receives PHI is not a health care provider or health plan covered by federal privacy regulations, the PHI may be redisclosed by such person or entity and will likely no longer be protected by the federal privacy regulations. Further, if the information is disclosed by the member's named representative, Apex Health Solutions will not be liable for such disclosures.

9. I understand that I am not required to sign this authorization form and not signing this form will not affect payment of claims by Apex Health Solutions. However, if I do not sign this authorization form, Apex Health Solutions will not provide information to anyone, except to a covered entity under HIPAA for the purpose of treatment, payment or operations.

If Completed by Member

Fill in the requested information below

Be sure to sign and date the highlighted areas

Member's Name (print)

Member's ID #

Member's Signature

Date

If Completed by Member's Legal Representative

If signing as Member's Legal Representative, you must provide documentation of your authority to act on member's behalf. (See #2 above)

Name of Legal Representative, if applicable (print)

Relationship of Legal Representative to Member

Signature of Member's Legal Representative

Date

Send the completed form to:

Apex Health Solutions
ATTN: Compliance Dept.
P.O. Box 3620
Akron, OH 44309