

ASSIGNMENT OF PROCEEDS AND/OR LIEN FOR MEDICAL SERVICES

Attorney: _____ Patient: _____

Patient # _____ D/A _____

SSN # _____ DOB _____

FOR VALUE RECEIVED, I hereby assign unto Regional Medical Group and/or its Physicians, hereinafter referred to as RMG, to the extent of my bill for health care services and all claims which I may have against any other party who's NEGLIGENCE may have caused my injuries on the above captioned date or who may be legally responsible for my injuries and health care costs.

I further assign to RMG an irrevocable lien in the amount of my outstanding medical bill for health care services rendered for an accident which occurred on the above captioned date against the proceeds of any insurance policy, health care plan, or any claim which I may have against any other party whose negligence may have caused my injuries. I fully understand & agree not to rescind my directive to my attorney to honor this lien.

I hereby authorize payment be made directly to the Regional Medical Group or its Assignee. I hereby appoint RMG irrevocable, to ask, demand, sue for, collect, endorse, sign, and receive any such insurance or other benefits or claims against other parties for my injuries. Although RMG shall be granted such powers contained herein, RMG is not obligated or compelled to exercise such powers but may do so at RMG discretion. RMG is further empowered to provide any and all information and documents pertaining to my policies including a copy of such policy and any information or supporting documentation concerning or touching upon the handling, calculation, processing, or payment of any claim.

I fully understand & agree not to rescind my directive to my attorney to honor this lien. Failure of my Attorney to sign this document does not release him/her of the fiduciary responsibility of ensuring that my outstanding medical bill is paid unto RMG.

BY SIGNING YOUR NAME BELOW YOU CERTIFY THE ACCURACY OF YOUR MEDICAL AND/OR ACCIDENT HISTORY AND FURTHER CERTIFY THAT YOU PRESENTED TO REGIONAL MEDICAL GROUP AND ITS DOCTORS FOR EVALUATION AND/OR TREATMENT OF A HEALTH RELATED CONDITION OCCURRING ON THE ABOVE DATE AND FOR NO OTHER PURPOSE.

BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, PATIENT FULLY UNDERSTANDS ALL PROVISIONS SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT. A PHOTOCOPY OR FAX COPY OF THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE CONSIDERED AS EFFECTIVE AND VALID AS THE ORIGINAL.

In the event that any provision of this agreement is determined to be invalid or unenforceable, all other provisions of this agreement shall remain enforceable.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Agreement has been entered the day and year set forth below.

Patient/Guardian Signature

Date

Witness

Date

To be Completed by your Attorney:

The undersigned Attorney of Record for the above-named Patient, hereby agrees to observe all terms stated herein and agrees to withhold such sum payable to RMG from any settlement, judgment or verdict as may be necessary to adequately protect RMG. Attorney is expressly directed to hold in Attorney's Client Trust Account such sums from any payment, settlements, dispositions, proceeds and/or verdicts received on Patient's behalf as may be required to adequately protect and pay RMG for services rendered on Patients behalf by RMG. Attorney is further directed to pay from Attorney's Client Trust Account to RMG that amount which is due and owing to RMG for those medical services, examinations, treatments and reports which RMG has prepared on Patient's behalf. Attorney further agrees that in the event Patient secures other counsel in connection with any action instituted by Patient on account of the injuries for which Patient was treated, Attorney shall inform such new counsel of the Agreement, and secure new counsel's consent there to. Failure of Plaintiff Attorney to sign and return this document to RMG does not release him/her of the fiduciary responsibility of ensuring that the above Patient's outstanding medical bill for treatment rendered for injuries sustained on the above captioned date is paid unto RMG out of the proceeds of his/her case per your client's written request.

Attorney's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Attorney: Please sign and mail or fax to Regional Medical Group at the address/fax # below:
5335 Roswell Road, Atlanta, GA 30342 Telephone: 404-943-9996 Fax: 404-943-9975

Name: _____ **Patient #** _____

▶ **CONSENT FOR TREATMENT**

_____, I, the undersigned, hereby authorize the Doctors of Regional Medical Group (RMG) and whomever they may designate as their assistant(s) to perform diagnostic tests, and to administer treatment as is necessary to me. I also certify that no guarantee or assurance has been made to the results that may be obtained.

Initial

▶ **CONSENT FOR TREATMENT OF MINOR**

_____, I hereby authorize the Doctors of RMG, and whomever they may designate as their assistant(s), to perform diagnostic tests, and to administer treatment as he/she deems necessary to my child, (Child's name) _____ of which I am the legal guardian.

Initial

▶ **AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE MEDICAL INFORMATION**

_____, I authorize the release of any medical information necessary to process my insurance claim(s) and also certify all insurance information given by me to this clinic is correct and complete.

Initial

▶ **REQUEST FOR PAYMENT OF BENEFITS TO PROVIDER OF CARE**

_____, I hereby authorize my Insurance Company/Insurance Administrator to pay unto Regional Medical Group for any benefits allowable and otherwise payable to me under my current policy, as payment toward the total charges for professional services rendered. I have agreed to pay, in a current manner, any balance of said applicable charges out of the proceeds of my settlement and understanding that my attorney will be billed for said balance. I agree that this office be given power of attorney to endorse/sign my name on any and all draft for payment of my outstanding medical bill only.

Initial

▶ **ATTORNEY REPRESENTATION AND PROTECTION OF BALANCE**

_____, I, the undersigned patient am directing my Attorney, _____, to pay any outstanding bills out of my settlement and, in effect, protecting any such balance. I hereby make and declare the instructions herein contained to be irrevocable. I fully understand that I am directly responsible for all medical bills and this agreement is made solely for the doctor's additional protection and consideration of his/her awaiting payment. I further understand that such payment is not contingent on any settlement, judgment or verdict by which I may eventually recover said fee. I have been advised that if my attorney does not wish to cooperate in protecting the doctor's interest, the doctor will not await payment, but will require me to make payment as services are rendered.

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▶ **PAYMENT POLICY**

Health Insurance:

Proof of Insurance must be provided in order for us to file claims with your insurance company. Please understand that benefits through health insurance policies differ. Insurance companies pay according to your individual policy limits. Benefits are between you and your insurance company. You with your insurance company MUST handle any discrepancy regarding benefit coverage. Any portion of your bill that is not paid by your health insurance will be billed to your Attorney and will be paid at the time of your settlement.

Auto Insurance:

We cannot file against the adverse driver's insurance in an automobile accident. If Med Pay is available, we can will file against either your automobile insurance, or the owner of the vehicle you were a passenger in. If medical benefits are available there may be a maximum allowable amount of coverage which may not cover all charges in full. In that event you will be responsible for the remaining balance and your Attorney will be billed.

Worker's Compensation:

We will file with your employer's workers' compensation insurance company upon approval of each visit or procedure by the proper authority in the case. Should the case be controverted or denied for any reason we cannot file with the workers' compensation insurance on future claims and you will be responsible for the unpaid claims unless financial arrangements with your attorney have been made.

▶ **PATIENT REFUND POLICY**

The Doctors of Regional Medical Group expect to be paid by the first available means whether by health insurance, med pay or settlement of your case. Should an overpayment be made and you have a credit balance on your account a refund will be issued to either you or the appropriate party.

I UNDERSTAND, AGREE TO AND WILL ABIDE BY ALL OF THE ABOVE.

Patient Name or Responsible Party: _____

Print Name

Signature

Date: _____

Witness: _____

Signature

Date: _____



NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES PATIENT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

I HAVE RECEIVED THIS PRACTICE'S Notice of Privacy Practices written in plain language. The Notice provides in detail the uses and disclosures of my protected health information that may be made by this practice, my individual rights and the practice's legal duties with respect to my protected health information. The notice includes:

- A statement that this practice is required by law to maintain the privacy of protected health information.
- A statement that this practice is required to abide by the terms of the notice currently in effect.
- Types of uses and disclosures that this practice is permitted to make for each of the following purposes: treatment, payment, and health care operations.
- A description of uses and disclosures that are prohibited or material limited by law.
- A description of other uses and disclosures that will be made only with my written authorization and that I may revoke such authorization.
- My individual rights with respect to protected health information and a brief description of how I may exercise these rights in relation to:
 - The right to complain to this practice and to the secretary of HHS if I believe my privacy rights have been violated, and that no retaliatory actions will be used against me in the event of such a complaint.
 - The right to request restrictions on certain uses and disclosures of my protected health information, and that this practice is not required to agree to a requested restriction.
 - The right to receive confidential communications of protected health information.
 - The right to inspect and copy protected health information.
 - The right to amend protected health information.
 - The right to received an accounting of disclosures of protected health information.
 - The right to obtain a paper copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices from this practice upon request.

The practice reserves the right to change the terms of its Notice of Privacy Practices and to make new provisions effective for all protected health information that it maintains. I understand that I can obtain this practice's current Notice of Privacy Practices upon request.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Relationship to Patient (if signed by a personal representative of Patient): _____