

YOUR RIGHTS REGARDING MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU 9/13/2013
ADDENDUM

Pursuant to changes in the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) which take effect on September 23, 2013, this is an addendum to Behavioral Health Partner's "HIPAA Notice of Privacy Practices."

Release Authorization: You have the right to specifically authorize disclosures and/or uses of patient information under the following circumstances. Consent to release protected patient information for the following requires **specific** authorization from the patient:

- Psychotherapy Notes
- Any "Protected Information" that the practice may use for marketing
- Any disclosure of "Protected Information" that the practice makes that constitutes a "sale of protected information"

Fundraising: We may contact you for fundraising efforts, but you can tell us not to contact you again.

Restricting:

Information Releases: You have the right to designate **services and medical treatment for which payment is received in full on the date of service** from disclosure to your insurance company/CMS. The services you are restricting from disclosure and the insurance company/CMS must be identified specifically, and the designation must be in writing.

Breach Notification: You have the right to receive written notification from Behavioral Health Partners in the event there is a breach of your protected health information.