**AUTHORIZATION FOR USE OR DISCLOSURE OF**

**PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION**

1. **Clients’s name: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

First Name Middle Name Last Name

1. **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
2. **Date authorization initiated:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
3. **Authorization initiated by: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**
4. **Information to be Released:**

□ Authorization for Psychotherapy Note ONLY (**Important:** If this authorization is for Psychotherapy Notes, you must use it as an authorization for any other type of protected health insurance.)

□ Other (describe information in details): ­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Purpose of Disclosure:** The reason I am authorizing release is:

□ My request

□ Other (describe):­­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

1. **Person(s) Authorized to Make this Disclosure:**

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1. **Person(s) Authorized to receive the Disclosure:**

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1. **This Authorization will expire on \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ or upon the happening of the following event:**

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**Authorization and Signature:** I authorize the release of my confidential protected health information, as described in my directions above. I understand that this authorization is voluntary, that the information to be disclosed is protected by law, and the use/disclosure is to be made to conform to my directions. The information that is used and/or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be released by the recipient unless the recipient is covered by state laws that limit the use and/or disclosure of my confidential protected health information.

**Signature of the Patient: ­­­­­­­­­­­­\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Signature of Personal Representative: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Relationship to Patient if Personal Representative: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**