General Consent for Care and Treatment

You have the right, as a patient, to be informed about your condition and the recommended surgical, medical or diagnostic procedure to be used so that you may make the decision whether or not to undergo any suggested treatment or procedure after knowing the risks and hazards involved. At this point in your care, no specific treatment plan has been recommended. This consent form is simply an effort to obtain your permission to perform the evaluation necessary to identify the appropriate treatment and/or procedure for any identified condition(s).

This consent provides us with your permission to perform reasonable and necessary medical examinations, testing and treatment. By signing below, you are indication that (1) you intend that this consent is continuing in nature even after a specific diagnosis has been made and treatment recommended; and (2) you consent to treatment at this office or any other satellite office under common ownership. The consent will remain fully effective until it is revoked in writing. You have the right at any time to discontinue services.

You have the right to discuss the treatment plan with your physician about the purpose, potential risks and benefits of any test ordered for you. If you have any concerns regarding any test or treatment recommended by your health care provider, we encourage you to ask questions.

I voluntarily request a physician, and/or mid-level provider (Nurse Practitioner, Physician Assistant, or Clinical Nurse Specialist), and other health care providers or the designees as deemed necessary, to perform reasonable and necessary medical examination testing and treatment for the condition which has brought me to see care at this practice. I understand that if additional testing, invasive or interventional procedures are recommended. I will be asked to read and sign additional consent forms prior to the test(s) or procedure(s).

RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I agree to the release of information from my medical record for reimbursement for health care services provided, follow up evaluation, and/or patient specific benefits, to any of the following as necessary:

- Social Security Administration, or those operating on their behalf (includes Medicare and disability)
- Any insurance organization, compensation carrier or welfare agency providing financial assistance for services provided.
- Identified referring physician or facilities.

I also agree to authorize Sarasota Bay Clinic and their respective employees and agents to obtain information from my physician(s), transferring facility(ies), and rehabilitation centers for the purposes of follow up evaluation and continuity of care.

I certify that I have read and fully understand the above statements and consent fully and voluntarily to its contents.

Patient Name:_____________________________________DOB:____________________

Patient Signature:__________________________________Date:____________________

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