

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF TREATMENT INFORMATION/MEDICAL RECORDS

Client Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____ ID Number: _____

Section I: Requesting/Releasing Party Information

I request and authorize Hillside: _____ To release to: _____ To obtain from: _____

Person/Professional/Facility/Agency Name: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Fax Number: _____

Section II: Types of Information To Be Released (please be specific)

Discharge Summary History & Physical Psychiatric Evaluation HIV/AIDS Confidential Information	Treatment Plan Psychosocial History Physician's Orders Psychological Evaluation	Laboratory Results Discharge Plan Verbal communication/consultation Other: _____
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Section III: Method of Transmission

Verbally in-person or by phone _____ Email _____ Fax _____ Photocopy _____

Section IV: Purpose For The Release

At the request of the client/client representative Payment/Insurance Social Security/disability	Evaluation/Treatment/Continuity of Care Legal Other (state reason): _____
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Section V: Expiration of Authorization

I understand that this authorization will remain in effect for (check one):
 _____ 90 days post-discharge _____ 90 days from the date of my signature _____ Other date: _____

Section VI: Signature(s)

I understand that records released may contain HIV/AIDS, alcohol/drug treatment information or psychiatric/psychological information. Hillside and many other organizations and individuals such as physicians, hospitals and health plans are required by law (42 CFR Part 2 & 45 CFR 160/164) to keep your health information confidential. If you have authorized the disclosure of your health information to someone who is not legally required to keep it confidential, it may no longer be protected by state or federal confidentiality laws. I acknowledge that I am not under any force or duress, and that my decision concerning disclosure of information is not contingent to provision of service.

Signature of Client or Legal Representative: _____ Date: _____

If signed by legal representative, **relationship to client:** _____

Section VII: Withdrawal of Authorization (Do not complete unless authorization is being withdrawn)

I understand that I have a right to withdraw this authorization at any time. I understand that if I withdraw this authorization, I must do so in writing and present my written withdrawal to the releasing person/agency. I understand that the withdrawal will not apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization.

I withdraw this authorization to release information: _____ Date: _____