

Authorization for Release of Information

Patient Information:

Name of Patient _____ Date of Birth _____
 Address _____
 City, State, Zip _____

Raleigh Ophthalmology is authorized to release protected health information pertaining to the above named patient to the entities below.

I have received a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices for the above named practice.

| Signature | Date |
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| Entity to Receive Information. (Initial each that is subject to this authorization) | |

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| _____ Leave information voice mail/answering machine. | _____ Give information to spouse/parents. |
| _____ Leave information with the following persons | _____ Give information to patient. |

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| _____ Name _____ | Relationship _____ |
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Description of information to be released (Initial each that is appropriate)

_____ All information
 _____ Financial information on billing
 _____ Medical information, including results from any tests or x-rays.
 _____ Other information as described: _____

Rights of the Patient

I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization at any time by sending a written notification. I understand that a revocation is not effective in cases where the information has already been disclosed but will be effective going forward. I understand that information used or disclosed as a result of this authorization may be subject to redisclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected by federal or state law.

I understand that I have the right to inspect or copy the protected health information to be used or disclosed as described in this document. I can do this by written notification to:

I understand that my treatment will not be conditioned on signing this authorization.

I understand that I have the right to refuse to sign this authorization.

_____ Date _____

Signature of Patient or Personal Representative

Print or Type Name of Patient or Personal Representative

Description of Personal Representative's Authority (attach necessary documentation)

Reason for Non Signature on back