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**Delivery Instructions**

Send via US Postal Service

Pick up -- Name of person picking up records (if other than patient or authorized representative)

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Norwell    Kingston    Libbey Pkwy    Weymouth Woods

**Authorization to Release Medical Records**

MRN: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (office use only)

Patient's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Please Print)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Street City State Zip Telephone No.

I hereby, authorize South Shore Medical Center to release protected health information, including copies of the medical record of the above-named patient, to the following person or facility:

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of Person or Facility

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Street City State Zip

<b><u>Purpose of Release:</u></b>		<i>Please allow 7-10 days to process your request. (You will be notified by the Medical Records Department if processing fees apply)</i>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal	<input type="checkbox"/> Leaving SSMC / Date effective: ____ / ____ / ____ Reason Leaving: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal	(Note: All appointments, orders and referrals after the transfer date will be cancelled)	
<b><u>Information to be released:</u></b> <i>(Requests for Radiology &amp; Billing information must be made directly to that Department.)</i>			
Dates of Treatment to be Released: _____ to _____		<input type="checkbox"/> Laboratory Result	<input type="checkbox"/> X-ray (Reports Only)
<input type="checkbox"/> Office Notes: _____ Specify Clinician(s)		<input type="checkbox"/> Immunization Record	<input type="checkbox"/> Complete Record
<input type="checkbox"/> Abstract	<input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		
<b><u>Release of Information Requiring Specific Consent:</u></b> The following categories of information may be in your medical record and <b><i>WILL NOT</i></b> be released unless you indicate your specific authorization by initialing each appropriate category.			
____ Abortion	____ Behavioral/Mental Health	____ HIV/AIDS Results/Treatment	
____ Alcohol/Drug Abuse	____ Domestic Violence	____ Rape/Sexual Assault	
____ Genetic Testing	____ Sexually Transmitted Diseases		
<b>Please confirm that you have initialed <u>all</u> categories that may be contained in your record to authorize their specific release.</b>			

I understand that:

- I may refuse to sign this authorization. I understand that my refusal will not affect my ability to obtain treatment at SSMC unless (a) the only purpose of the treatment is to create health information for the disclosure listed above; or (b) if my treatment is related to participation in a research study for which this authorization is required.
- I may revoke this authorization at any time by submitting a written notice of revocation to SSMC at the address listed below. The revocation will be effective upon SSMC's receipt of my written notice, except that it will not have any effect on any action already taken by SSMC in reliance on this authorization.
- Once SSMC has disclosed my health information to the recipient, SSMC cannot guarantee that the recipient will not redisclose my health information to a third party.
- This authorization will automatically expire 90 days from the date set forth below unless otherwise specified: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature of Patient or Authorized Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Printed Name of Patient or Legal Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Relationship to patient or authority to act for patient

**THIS AUTHORIZATION MUST BE COMPLETED IN ITS ENTIRETY OR IT WILL NOT BE PROCESSED**