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## Medical Records Patient Authorization to Release Protected Health Information

Patient name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \_\_\_\_\_ Chart Number: \_\_\_\_\_

By signing this I authorize the said doctor below to use and/or disclose the specified protected health information listed about me to or for the party or parties listed below.

I authorize the following physicians: \_\_\_\_\_

To release to (name/address): _____ _____ _____	the specified information listed including dates: _____ _____ _____
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When my protected health information is used or disclosed pursuant to the authorization, it may be subject to re-release by the recipient and may no longer be protected by the federal HIPAA Privacy Rule. I have the right to revoke this authorization in writing except to the extent that the practice has acted in reliance upon this authorization. My written revocation must be submitted to Gastrointestinal Associates, L.L.P.; 210 Portland Street, Suite 100, Columbia, MO 65201; 573-777-8819 (fax)

**NOTE:** GI Associates will not release any information regarding history of illness or diagnostic and therapeutic information, including any treatment for counseling and/or psychiatric consultation, alcohol, drug abuse, Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS) without specific written consent from the patient and/or the legal guardian.

Initial to approve release of said information \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

This authorization is valid until \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_, unless revoked in writing prior to this date. If a date is not specified, this authorization will expire in six (6) months.

I hereby acknowledge my authorization to release the above reference patient health information as directed by my instructions.

Signature of Patient or Legal Guardian	Relationship to Patient	Date
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Print Name of Patient or Legal Guardian	Witness Signature
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Photo identification verified by: \_\_\_\_\_