

# **AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION**

## Patient Instructions to Obtain Copies of Medical Records

Thank you for allowing the Facey Medical Group the opportunity to be your healthcare provider. Please review the following guidelines and instructions to expedite your receipt of your medical records.

California law (AB610) allows the healthcare provider a 15-day turnaround time from the date a request is received, to process a patient's request for copies of their medical records. Facey's turn-around time is about 15 business days depending on the location of your medical records (off-site storage, off-site clinic locations, etc).

The growing number in Federal and State statutes regarding privacy and security of your personal health records has necessitated Facey to implement strict guidelines when releasing copies of your medical records. Due to the growing costs associated with these guidelines, including the labor to secure medical records from various sources, it is necessary that Facey charge a nominal fee to offset some of these increased operating costs. We have provided you with a Medical Record Request Packet (attached) and instructions to request copies of your medical records. In order to process your request, please complete and submit the following material to our **Release of Information** personnel.

- Consent To Release Medical Information Authorization form
- □ Medical Record Request Payment form with \$15.00 prepayment
- □ Request for Radiology Films/CD (excluding mammography) with \$18.00 payment

#### Please note the following:

- □ We <u>do not</u> accept cash. Only check, money order or credit card is acceptable payment.
- Incomplete or missing information on your Authorization may impact the turn around time of your request.
- □ If you are paying by **Credit Card** you can also fax it to (818) 743-5343 attention: Release of Information

You may <u>mail</u> (see address below) <u>e-mail</u> (<u>roirequests@facey.com</u>) or <u>drop off</u> your packet in person to the Facey Medical Record Release of Information Department at the address noted below or complete the packet and leave it at one of our convenient **Facey clinic locations**. We will forward your request to our **Release of Information Department**.

#### **Drop Off Only**

Facey Medical Group Attn. **Release of Information Department** 11333 N. Sepulveda Blvd. Mission Hills, CA 91345-1196

#### Mail Only

Facey Medical Group Release Of Information 11165 Sepulveda Blvd. Mission Hills, CA. 91345

Should you have any questions about the status of your records after submitting the attached information, please call Release of Information Department at 818-837-5668.

Thank you for allowing us to serve you. Facey Medical Group

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Attention: Release of Information Department Office (818) 837-5668 Fax (818) 743-5343 Drop Off Only 11333 N. Sepulveda Blvd Mission Hills, CA. 91345

Type of access requested: (If selecting more than one (1) option, additional charges may apply)

Paper copy of records CD Copy In Transfer Request Radiology CD	spection of Radiolog	•	ppointment only - allow 5 business days)	
I request access as the Patient	Parent/Guardian		Medical Power of Attorney (Proof of legal documentation is required)	
Name of Patient ( <i>Please print clearly</i> )	AKA		Date of Birth	
Address City	State	Zip Code	Telephone	
Please <b>SEND</b> medical information <b>TO</b> : ( <i>If same as above</i> )		Please <b>REQU</b>	<b>EST</b> medical information <b>FROM</b> :	
Name of Person or Entity to Receive Info	ormation	Name of Medical Office/Provider		
Street Address		Street Address		
City, State and Zip Code		City, State and Zip Code		
Telephone		Telephone		

Duration: This authorization will expire 12 months from the date signed.

**Revocation Process:** I understand that I may refuse to sign or may revoke (at any time) this authorization for any reason and that such refusal or revocation will not affect the commencement, continuation or quality of my treatment at Facey Medical Group.

**Right to Copy:** I have a right to receive a copy of the Authorization after I sign it.

**Re-Disclosure Statement:** I understand that once Facey Medical Group discloses my health information to the recipient, Facey Medical Group cannot guarantee that the recipient will not re-disclose my health information to a third party. The third party may not be required to abide by this Authorization or applicable law governing the use and disclosure of my health information.

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## SPECIFY RECORDS TO BE RELEASED

(Check the box and initial which type of information is to be released)

- All General Medical Information (from \_\_\_\_\_to \_\_\_\_). General medical records may include information of diagnosis and / or treatment of Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) infection and sexually transmitted diseases. This may included information and treatment of mental illness and the use of alcohol, drugs and tobacco, but excludes psychotherapy notes.
   Information regarding specific injury or treatment (from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_)
   Radiology (check what is needed): (from \_\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_) Reports CD (CD Format requires 72 hours processing time) Films (\$18.00 per slide) Ultrasound X-Ray (Excludes Mammography Images-Use Mammography Image form)
   Laboratory results (from \_\_\_\_\_\_)
- Mental health Only (from\_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_) (Psychotherapy sessions)

Signature of Patient or Patient's Representative

- □ Immunizations Only
- □ Other (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the terms of this Authorization and I have had an opportunity to ask questions about the use and disclosure of my health information. By my signature below, I hereby, knowingly and voluntarily, authorize Facey Medical Group to use or disclose my health information in the manner described above.

DateSignature of Patient or RepresentativeIndicate Relationship (if not signed by patient)

### Your medical record request will be mailed to the address provided.

OFFICE USE ONLY		
Request processed by:	///	Date:
	Approved by(Please print and sign)	
If denied state reason why:		
_	/	Date:
L	Denied by (Please print and sign)	
Bactes Use Only (Bactes c	opied date stamp)	

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# **Medical Record Payment Form**

CA CIVIL CODE 123110: California Patient Access to Health Records. Inspection and copying; Paragraph (b) Additionally any patient or patient's representative shall be entitled to copies of all or any portion of the patients records that he or she has a right to inspect, upon presenting a written request to the health care provider specifying the records to be copied, together with a fee to defray the cost of copying, that shall not exceed (\$.25) per page.

Date:	Medical Record #:
Patient Name:	Daytime contact #:
Check (payable to: Bactes) Check / Money Order #: Credit Card Number: Expiration Date: Name on Credit Card: Signature of credit card holder:	
Charges for the cost of reproduct processing: 1 - 60 pages = \$15.00 (payable at tin 61+ pages = \$0.25 per page	ion of medical records for <u>STANDARD</u> (up to 15 business days) me of request)
Remaining pages of@	0 pages = remaining pages. 9 \$0.25 per page = <b>Total amount due:</b> \$ Total pages copied: Date Picked Up:

\*Please note: If paying by credit card, your information will be shredded upon completion.

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