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AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE OR OBTAIN CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION

I ____ hereby authorize **Community Council Health Systems**_______________

(Print name of person signing) **(Name of agency)**

CHECK ONE

[ ] to release to

[ ] to obtain from ____

(Name of person & agency / Relationship to individual / Contact Information)

concerning date(s) of service from ________________________ to ___________________________ regarding

services to ____________________________________, Date of Birth: _________________ SS#(last 4 digits)______________

(Print name of individual)

The information to be released is limited to (please check appropriate items):

[ ] Admission Summary [ ] Psychiatric Evaluation

[ ] Discharge Summary [ ] Psychological Evaluation

[ ] Treatment Plan/Summary [ ] Medication List/ Notes

[ ] Other (please specify): ____

I authorize this information to be disclosed only for the following purpose (Please check box below):

[ ] Continuity of Care [ ] Personal use [ ] Social Security/ Attorney [ ] Other (specify):__________________________

This consent will begin on ______________________ and end on ______________________ (Not to exceed 1 year). I understand that the information in my record may contain information relating to sexual transmitted diseases, AIDS or HIV, drug and alcohol use /abuse as well as mental health treatment. I also understand that I may stop/cancel/revoke this authorization at anytime in writing to the HIM Specialist except to the extent that the person who is to make the disclosure has already acted in reliance to the individual's consent.

This Form complies with 45 CFR 164.508 relating to HIPAA Compliant Authorization for Release of Patient Information. If you are requesting information related to a deceased person, you must attach both a Death Certificate and Short Certificate from the county showing your name as the Executor/Executrix or Administrator/Administratrix of the Deceased Person's Estate.

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(Individual Signature (if 14 or older)---Date) **(Signature of person giving consent for individual ---Date)**

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(Witness Signature---Date) **(Relationship to the individual)**

(Parent or guardian must sign for a child who is EITHER under the age of 14, OR BOTH intellectually disabled and under the age of 18.)

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(Mark of oral consent)

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(2nd Witness Signature for oral consent---Date)

PROHIBITION ON REDISCLOSURE: This information has been disclosed to you from records whose CONFIDENTIALITY is protected by STATE AND FEDERAL LAW STATUES. STATE AND FEDERAL REGULATIONS PROHIBITS you from making any further disclosure of this information except with SPECIFIC WRITTEN CONSENT of the person to whom it pertains (42 CFR, part 2).

I do not want a copy of this form [ ] ____

I have received a copy of this form [ ] **(Signature---Date)**