

Authorization for Release of Protected Health Information (PHI)



You may give **Piedmont Community Health Plan (PCHP)** written authorization to disclose your protected health information (PHI) to anyone that you designate and for any purpose. If you wish to authorize a person or entity to receive your PHI, please complete the information below. If you wish to authorize a person or entity to take action (such as file an appeal) with Piedmont or to speak to Piedmont on your behalf, please complete an Appointment of Representative Form.

PART A: Member Information			
Member First Name: _____	Member Last Name: _____	MI: _____	
Street Address: _____		City: _____	State: _____ Zip: _____
Day Phone #: _____	Date of Birth: _____	Member ID: _____	
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PART B: Persons or organizations authorized to receive PHI					
The following people or companies are authorized to receive my PHI (they must be 18 years of age or older). You may also use this form to revoke a prior authorization by checking the "Revoke Prior Authorization" box.					
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PART C: Information to be released - Please check only one box
<input type="checkbox"/> Full Disclosure – I understand that this authorization will allow PCHP and its affiliates to use or give out protected health information including but not limited to medical, pharmacy, dental, vision, mental health, substance abuse, HIV/AIDS, psychotherapy, reproductive, communicable disease and healthcare program information. These records may have information on specific treatment or services I have received, and information created by others.
OR
<input type="checkbox"/> Limited Disclosure – Only information specified below may be shared. (Ex. Condition or treatment information, a specific date range, or product type.)
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PART D: Purpose of this approval - Please check only one box

- To give out information as shown on this form, **OR**
- For this reason: _____

PART E: Date your approval expires - Please check only one box

- I would like this authorization to expire: One year after date of signature in Part F Upon my death
- Upon my request to revoke the authorization On (specify date or event): _____

If no date or event is specified, authorization will expire one year after the date of signature in Part F.

PART F: Review and approval

I understand the following:

- I have a right to revoke this authorization at any time. My revocation is not effective until delivered in writing and is not effective as to health records already disclosed under this authorization.
- The information released in response to this authorization may be redisclosed by a recipient and may no longer be protected to the same extent as was protected while in the possession of PCHP.
- My treatment or payment for my treatment cannot be conditioned on the signing of this authorization.

Member or Legal Representative Signature: _____ Date: _____

If this form is signed by someone other than the member or parent, such as a personal representative, legal representative or guardian on behalf of the member, please complete the following:

Legal Representative Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Legal Relationship to Member: _____

Please submit either a copy of a healthcare, general or Durable Power of Attorney, or a court order/other legal documentation that shows custody or authority of the legal representative to act on the members' behalf.

Please return completed form to:

Piedmont Community Health Plan • 1920 Atherholt Road • Lynchburg, VA 24501

Fax: 434-947-3670 Attn: Customer Service

Email: clerical@pchp.net

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