AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE OR USE INFORMATION FOR TREATMENT, PAYMENT OR HEALTHCARE OPERATIONS

You should review the Practice's Notice of Privacy Practices for a more complete description of the potential release and use of such information, and you have the right to review such Notice prior to signing this Consent Form.

We reserve the right to change the terms of its Notice of Privacy Practices at any time. If we do make changes to the terms of its Notice of Privacy Practices, you may obtain a copy of the revised Notice.

You retain the right to request that we further restrict how your protected health information is released or used to carry out treatment, payment, or health care operations. The Practice is not required to agree to such requested restrictions; however, if we do agree to your requested restriction(s), such restrictions are then binding on the Practice.

I hereby authorize the release or use of my individually identifiable health information (" protected health information") and medical record information by Anne Tyson, MD (the "Practice") in order to carry out treatment, payment, or health care operations.

I acknowledge and agree that the Practice may disclose my protected health information and medical record information to the following individuals who are either my family members, legal representatives, guardians, health care surrogates, or have power of attorney on my behalf: ______

I agree that the Practice may also disclose the following types of information contained in my medical record: HIV/AIDS______ Substance Abuse Information ______ Sexually Transmitted Disease Information______ If under 18, Pregnancy Information ______

I understand that I have the right to restrict how information can get to me in order to safeguard my privacy. The following are possible restrictions. Please check those you would like observed:

____Home phone _____Home address

___Occupation ___Name of employer

____Office address ____Office phone number

____Spouse's name _____Fax number

At all times you retain the right to revoke this consent. Such revocation must be submitted to the Practice <u>in writing</u>. The revocation shall be effective except to the extent that the Practice has already taken action based on the prior Consent. The Practice may refuse to treat you if you (or an authorized representative) do not sign this Consent Form. If you (or authorized representative) sign this Consent and then revoke it,

the Practice has the right to refuse to provide further treatment to you as of the time of the revocation (except to the extent that the Practice is required by law to treat individuals).

I have read and understand the information in this consent. I have received a copy of this consent and I am the patient or the authorized party to act on the behalf of the patient to sign this document verifying consent to the above terms.

Date _____ Time _____ AM/PM

Signature of Patient or authorized representative

Printed Name

Relationship to Patient