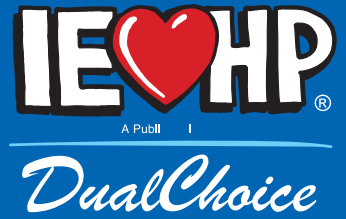


Authorization of Release

Use & Disclosure of Protected Health Information
Medicare Third Party Liability (TPL)



The federal HIPAA Privacy Regulations require that this Authorization be completed to authorize Inland Empire Health Plan (IEHP) to use or disclose Protected Health Information (PHI).

I _____ authorize IEHP to use or disclose this Member's PHI, as described below:

MEMBER INFORMATION

REQUIRED			
Member Name	Member ID # or Social Security #	Date of Birth	
Street Address (for delivery)		Apt/Unit #	
City	State	Zip Code	Phone #

RECORD REQUEST

REQUIRED	
Request for Claims/Billing	
Enter the date of injury for PHI records needed: ____ / ____ / ____	
Please indicate the type of injury:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Auto Accident	<input type="checkbox"/> Personal Injury
<input type="checkbox"/> Workers Comp	<input type="checkbox"/> Other _____
The PHI records will be used and disclosed for the following purpose(s):	

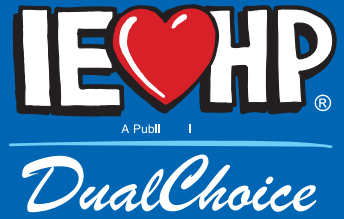
RECORD DELIVERY

REQUIRED	
Delivery Options: (please check one)	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pick Up at IEHP	
<input type="checkbox"/> Certified Mail	Delivery Address _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Secure E-mail Portal	E-mail Address _____
If delivering to a person/entity other than yourself or your legal representative, please state the name and contact information of the person/entity authorized to receive your PHI records:	
Name	Relationship to Member

Contact Information for Delivery (if different from above)	
The Authorization is effective immediately and will remain in effect until ____ / ____ / ____.	
(ending date)	

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SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATIONS

Specific Authorizations:

OPTIONAL

PHI records of HIV diagnoses and prescriptions, psychiatric/mental health conditions, or alcohol/drug/substance abuse will not be disclosed without specific authorization. If you request the use and disclosure of such records, please give specific authorization by initialing in the appropriate box(es) below:

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Alcohol/drug/substance abuse records | <input type="checkbox"/> HIV-related records |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric/mental health records | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

DISCLOSURES

NOTICE OF RIGHTS AND OTHER INFORMATION

I understand that I do not have to sign this Authorization. My refusal will not affect my ability to obtain treatment, payment or eligibility for benefits. I am aware that I have a right to revoke this Authorization at any time, provided that my revocation is in writing. I understand that I have a right to receive a copy. I further understand that if the information provided by this Authorization is disclosed (given) to another person or agency, it may no longer be protected by federal confidentiality law (HIPAA). However, California law does not allow the person receiving the health information by this Authorization to disclose it, unless a new Authorization for such disclosure is obtained from me or unless such disclosure is specifically required or permitted by law.

IEHP will act on this request within 30 days of the date the Authorization was received, or within 60 days if the requested information is not maintained or accessible to IEHP onsite.

AUTHORIZATION

I read this Authorization and agree to the use and disclosure of PHI as specified.

REQUIRED

Name of Member (printed)

Signature of Member

Date

If signing for the Member, then describe your authority to act on the Member's behalf (e.g., parent of minor child or legal guardian): _____

Note: Appropriate documentation of the legal representative's authority must be on file with IEHP.

Name of Member's Legal Representative (printed)

Signature of Member's Legal Representative

Date

Please complete, sign, and return this Authorization to IEHP:
Inland Empire Health Plan | attn: Claims Audit & Recovery
10801 Sixth Street, Suite 120, Rancho Cucamonga, CA 91730
Phone: 1-877-273-4347 | TTY: 1-800-718-4347
Email: TPL@iehp.org | Fax: (909)296-3636