Emerge Support Services

Access Personal Health Information (PHI)

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Request for Access to Personal Health Information (PHI)

As a client of Emerge Support Services, you are entitled under federal law to view your personal protected health information maintained in a "designated record set" and/or obtain a copy of this information. In order to process your request for access to thisinformation, please complete this form.

Client Name:_____D.O.B.:_____

Dates Requested: _____

Please indicate below whether you wish to review the information only, obtain a copy, or both.
If you select "copy", please indicate your method of delivery.

☐ View my protected health information; I understand Emerge Support Services may have a staff member sit down with me as I review my health information.

☐ Copy of my protected health information. I understand that Emerge Support Services may charge me a fee for the copies and that payment in full for the fees will be required before I can obtain a copy.

- ☐ I will pick up the copy when ready. Please call when ready at:

  _____
  (Phone Number)

- ☐ I would like Emerge Support Services to mail the copy when ready to the following address:

  _____
  (Street Address/City/State/Zip)

I understand that Emerge Support Services is given 30 days to process this request for access if the information is maintained on-site and that Emerge Support Services may extend the deadline by an additional 30 days if client is notified in writing of the extension. I understand that client rights are limitedto information in the "designated record set" as defined in Section 164.501 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

I further understand that mental health records may not be released if the clinician can reasonably determine that the information is detrimental to the physical or mental health of the client. I also understand that if the records are released to me, the information may cause an unintended emotional reaction and I may wish to review these records with my provider. By signing below, I acknowledge and agree to the above conditions.

Client Signature:_____Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature:_____Date: _____

Relationship: _____

For office use only: Date request received:
Action: □ Rejected □ Accepted in Part □ Accepted in Full
Signature of reviewer:_____ Date:_____