

6. Purpose of Release:

I understand that I may refuse to sign or may revoke this authorization for any reason at any time and that such refusal or revocation will not affect the commencement, continuation or quality of my treatment. I understand that if I revoke this authorization I must do so in writing and present my written revocation to the Privacy Officer. I understand that the revocation will not apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization. I understand that the revocation will not apply to my insurance company when the law provides my insurer with the right to contest a claim under my policy. Unless otherwise revoked, this authorization will expire on the following date, event or condition: _____. If I fail to specify an expiration date, event or condition, this authorization will expire in six months.

I understand I may inspect or copy the information to be used or disclosed, as provided in CFR 164.524. I understand any disclosure of information carries with it the potential for an unauthorized re-disclosure and the information may not be protected by federal confidentiality rules.

I have read and understand the terms of this Authorization and I have had the opportunity to ask questions about the use and disclosure of my health information. If I have questions about disclosure of my health information, I can contact the Montclair State University Privacy Officer. By my signature below, I hereby, knowingly and voluntarily, authorize _____ to use or disclose my health information in the manner described above.

Patient Signature: _____ Date: _____

If the patient is a minor or otherwise unable to sign this Authorization, then obtain the signature of the legally authorized representative/individual below.

Description of Authority: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____