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**A SEPARATE
 FORM IS
 REQUIRED FOR
 EACH ENTITY**

AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE/EXCHANGE OF PATIENT INFORMATION

I hereby authorize:

**Counseling and Diagnostic Center of Woodfield, Ltd.
 955 N. Plum Grove Road, Suite C
 Schaumburg, Illinois 60173
 Telephone: (847) 884-0210
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to use, disclose to, release and/or exchange mental health and medical information, records, and communications obtained during the course of treatment from:

_____ / _____ / _____ to _____ / _____ / _____
 [insert approximate dates of service]

regarding _____ whose date of birth is: _____ / _____ / _____
 [Patient Name]

1. The information is to be disclosed/exchanged with the following:

2. Description of Information to be Used or Disclosed:

The information to be used, obtained by, or disclosed by/to Counseling and Diagnostic Center of Woodfield, Ltd.(CDCW) includes only those items checked below. I understand that this Authorization extends to all or any part of the records/information designated below which may include treatment for physical and mental illness, alcohol/drug abuse, sexually transmitted disease, HIV/AIDS test results or diagnoses. This Authorization is limited to only that information indicated below to be disclosed to or by CDCW. I hereby release CDCW from any and all legal responsibility or liability that may arise from the use or disclosure of medical or other records and other health information in reliance on this Authorization. (Patient should initial each item to be disclosed).

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Psychological Testing | <input type="checkbox"/> Mental Status Exam |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consultation Reports | <input type="checkbox"/> Education - Clinical Progress |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medication Records | <input type="checkbox"/> Education – IEP/504 Plans |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Discharge Summary | <input type="checkbox"/> Education – School Assignments/Assessments |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Presence/Participation in Therapy | <input type="checkbox"/> Psychiatric Evaluation |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Physician Orders | <input type="checkbox"/> Physician Progress Notes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Progress/Psychotherapy Notes | <input type="checkbox"/> Treatment Plans/Treatment Summaries |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Clinical Aftercare Plan | <input type="checkbox"/> Laboratory Data |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Drug/Alcohol History | <input type="checkbox"/> Recommendations |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other: | <input type="checkbox"/> Verbal Communications Only (Limited Disclosure) |

3. Purpose of the Use or Disclosure is for:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Continuity of Treatment | <input type="checkbox"/> Referral |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Family Involvement | <input type="checkbox"/> At the request of the patient and/or legal guardian |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consultation | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____ |

4. Expiration:

I understand that unless I revoke this Authorization earlier, this Authorization will automatically expire on: ____/____/____.
[Insert calendar date]

5. Redisclosure:

I understand that information used or disclosed in accord with this Authorization may no longer be protected by federal or state law and could be used or redisclosed by the receiving party, pursuant to any agreement I may have with such party.

6. Refusal to Consent:

I understand that I may refuse to sign this Authorization and the result would be that the mental health records and/or communications would not be disclosed.

7. Certification:

The undersigned affirms that I am (check whichever applies):

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| <input type="checkbox"/> The client and the identification that I have provided is true and correct. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The client's authorized representative, and that the identification and proof of authority that I have provided is true and correct. My relationship to the client is that of:
_____ Guardian _____ Other: _____ |

8. Revocation:

I have the right to revoke this Authorization at any time if I do so in writing, although I understand that I cannot do anything about information already used or disclosed pursuant to this Release of Information.

9. Copy Received:

I understand that I will receive a copy of this completed form upon request.

10. Right to Inspect and Copy:

I understand that I have the right to inspect and copy the information to be disclosed.

11. Effect of Copies:

I intend that fax, copies, or electronic versions of this document shall carry the same force and effect as the original.

12. Alcohol/Substance Abuse Files:

If any requested records contain information regarding alcohol or drug abuse treatment, these records are protected by federal confidentiality rules. These rules prohibit further disclosure of this information unless further use or disclosure is expressly permitted by the written consent of the person to whom it pertains or as otherwise permitted by federal rules. A general authorization for the use or release of medical or other information is insufficient for this purpose. Federal rules restrict use of the information for criminal investigation or prosecution of any alcohol or drug abuse client.

Date Patient Signature Printed Name

Date Witness to Patient Signature Printed Name

Date Personal Representative Signature
(Guardian or Other Authorized Agent) Printed Name

Date Witness to Personal Representative Signature Printed Name