





**INFORMED CONSENT AND STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY**

**1. CONSENT FOR TREATMENT:** I consent to and authorize my physical therapist, occupational therapist, and other healthcare professionals and assistants who may be involved in my care, to provide care and treatment prescribed by and/or considered necessary or advisable by my physician(s)/health care provider(s). I acknowledge that no guarantees have been made to me about the results of treatment.

**2. NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:** I have been given the opportunity to review Chesterton Physical Therapy’s “Notice of Privacy Practices” which is displayed in the reception area. This notice of privacy practices provides information on the uses and disclosures of my protected health information. I understand that this notice is subject to change, and if changes are made, a revised copy of the notice will be posted in the reception area. I also understand that if I have any questions, I may contact the Privacy Officer at (219) 926-9779.

**3. RESPONSIBILITY FOR PAYMENT:** All co-payments are due at the time of service. I acknowledge that in consideration of the services provided to me by Chesterton Physical Therapy, I am financially responsible for payment of my bill. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to provide Chesterton Physical Therapy with current insurance information and to familiarize myself with my insurance plan and its policies. Any questions I have regarding my health insurance coverage or benefit levels should be directed to my health plan. My health insurance plan may provide that a portion of the charges and balance will remain my personal responsibility, such as my deductible, co-payment, co-insurance or charges not covered or denied by my health insurance, Medicare, or other programs for which I am eligible.

*Please note that refusal to sign this form does not change responsibility for payment in any way.*

**4. ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFITS:** I hereby assign to Chesterton Physical Therapy all my rights and claims for reimbursement under my health insurance policy. I agree to provide information as needed to establish my eligibility for such benefits.

**5. ACCESS TO AND RELEASE OF HEALTH INFORMATION:** I understand that Chesterton Physical Therapy may document medical and other information related to my treatment in electronic and other forms and that such information will be in the course of my treatment, for payment purposes and to support those who are caring for me. I authorize my clinician(s) and Chesterton Physical Therapy’s administrative staff to contact other health professionals that may have information related to my prior and current health conditions and treatment. I acknowledge that I have received Chesterton Physical Therapy’s Notice of Privacy Practices and that it outlines how my health information will be used and disclosed and how I may gain access to and control my health information.

**6. HIPAA CONSENTS:** In compliance with HIPAA regulations, I consent to the following individuals receiving verbal information regarding the billing of my account:

Name/Relationship	Name/Relationship	Name/Relationship
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I also authorize the release of appointment information left in a voice-mail, answering machine or text message and understand that there is some level of privacy risk associated with these forms of communication.

By my signature below, I certify that I have read, and I understand and fully agree to each of the statements in this document and sign below freely and voluntarily.

Signature of Patient or Legally Responsible Person: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name of Above: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## **No-Show / Cancellation Policy**

*Please Read Carefully*

### **NO SHOW FEE \$50.00**

(When you don't attend or call to change your scheduled appointment)

To avoid a no-show fee, you must call to reschedule your appointment before your appointment time.

*Repeated No-Shows may result in being discharged from care after 2 missed sessions.*

### **SAME DAY CANCELLATION FEE: \$30**

(When you call to cancel your appointment on the same day as your scheduled appointment)

*Repeated cancelled/rescheduled may result in needing to schedule with a "walk-in" or same day appointment status and discharge from care after 3 cancellations.*

**Please provide our office with 24-hour notice to change or cancel an appointment.**

*Thank you for providing our office and our patients with this courtesy.*

I acknowledge that I have reviewed the policy and understand that failure to complete any part of my treatment program will reduce my chances of success.

Signature of Patient/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Medical History

### Existing or Relevant Previous Conditions

Allergies	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Dizzy Spells	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	MRSA	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Anemia	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Emphysema/Bronchitis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Multiple Sclerosis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Anxiety	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Fibromyalgia	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Muscular Disease	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Arthritis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Fractures	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Osteoporosis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Asthma	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Gallbladder Problems	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Parkinsons	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Autoimmune Disorder	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Headaches	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Rheumatoid Arthritis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Cancer	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Hearing Impairment	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Seizures	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Cardiac Conditions	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Hepatitis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Smoking	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Cardiac Pacemaker	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	High Cholesterol	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Speech Problems	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Chemical Dependency	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	High/Low Blood Pressure	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Strokes	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Circulation Problems	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	HIV/AIDS	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Thyroid Disease	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Currently Pregnant	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Incontinence	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Tuberculosis	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Depression	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Kidney Problems	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Vision Problems	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Diabetes	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No	Metal Implants	<input type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No		

### Fall History

Injury as a result of a fall in the past year?  Yes  No

Two or more falls in the last year?  Yes  No

Patient is at risk for falls?  Yes  No



**CHESTERTON PHYSICAL THERAPY**  
**Coronavirus Disease 2019 Questionnaire**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please Circle Yes or No**

Feel free to explain what a yes or no answer means in the Comment Section below the question.

**1. Have you traveled outside of the US in the past 30 days? Yes No**

If yes, please list the countries you have visited below.

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Have you been in close contact with an individual who has traveled outside of the US in the past 30 days? Yes No**

If yes, please list the countries he/she has visited below.

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

**3. Have you been in close contact, in the past 30 days, with an individual who has had any these symptoms?**

Fever over 104° : Yes No

Persistent cough: Yes No

Shortness of breath: Yes No

If yes, have they been diagnosed and/or seen the doctor? Yes No

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

**4. Have you had any of these symptoms?**

Fever over 104° : Yes No

Persistent cough: Yes No

Shortness of breath: Yes No

If yes, how long have you had these symptoms?

\_\_\_\_\_

If yes, have you been diagnosed and/or seen the doctor? Yes No

Comment: \_\_\_\_\_

If you answered yes to any of the questions above, we will work with you to make accommodations for therapy to the best of our ability.

Please contact Chandra Singh, Administrator, at 219-926-9779 if you have questions. Thank you for assisting us in our endeavors to minimize exposure to the Coronavirus 2019.



## Notice of Privacy Practices

**THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED, AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.**

1. **Uses and Disclosures** We will use your protected health information (PHI) for the purposes of treatment, payment and healthcare operations.

**Treatment** includes the disclosure of health information to other providers who have referred you for services or are involved in your care. This may include doctors, nurses, technicians and other physical therapists.

**Payment** includes the disclosure of health information to your insurance company, including Medicare and Medicaid, so payment can be obtained for services rendered. Your insurance company may make a request to view your medical record to determine that your care was necessary.

**Health Care Operations** includes the utilization of your records to monitor the quality of care being given at our facility or for business planning activities.

### **Other Special Uses**

Our practice may use your PHI to send you an appointment reminder.

### **Uses and Disclosures Required by Law**

The federal health information privacy regulations either permit or require us to use or disclose your PHI in the following ways: we may share some of your PHI with a family member or friend involved in your care if you do not object, we may use your PHI in an emergency situation when you may not be able to express yourself, and we may use or disclose your PHI for research purposes if we are provided with very specific assurances that your privacy will be protected. We may also disclose your PHI when we are required to do so by law, for example by court order or subpoena. Disclosures to health oversight agencies are sometimes required by law to report certain diseases or adverse drug reactions.

We may use and disclose health information about you to avert a serious threat to your health or safety or the health or safety of the public or others. If you are in the Armed Forces, we may release health information about you when it is determined to be necessary by the appropriate military command authorities. We may also release information about you for workers' compensation or other similar programs that provide benefits for work-related injury or illness.

Your authorization is required before your PHI may be used or disclosed by us for other purposes.



## **2. Your Privacy Rights**

### **Restrictions**

You have the right to request restrictions on how your PHI is used, however, we are not required to agree with your request. If we do agree, we must abide by your request.

### **Confidential Communications**

You have the right to request confidential communication from us at a location of your choosing. This request must be in writing.

### **Access to PHI**

You have the right to request a copy of your medical record. You must make this request in writing and we may charge a fee to cover the costs of copying and mailing.

### **Amendments**

You have the right to request an amendment be made to your PHI, if you disagree with what it says about you. This request must be made in writing. If we disagree with you, we are not required to make the change. You do have the right to submit a written statement about why you disagree that will become part of your record. We may not amend parts of your medical record that we did not create.

### **Complaints**

If you feel that your privacy rights have been violated, you have the right to make a complaint to us in writing without fear of retaliation. Your complaint should contain enough specific information so that we may adequately investigate and respond to your concerns. If you are not satisfied with our response, you may complain directly to the Secretary of Health and Human Services.

### **Our Duty to Protect Your Privacy**

We are required to comply with the federal health information privacy regulations by maintaining the privacy of your PHI. These rules require us to provide you with this document, our Notice of Privacy Practices. We reserve the right to update this notice if required by law. If we do update this notice at any time in the future, you will receive a revised notice when you next seek treatment from us.