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**Authorization to Use & Disclose Protected Health Information
 HIPAA Compliance Program**

I am completing this form to all the use and sharing of protected health information about:

Print Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

I authorize and give this consent voluntarily that information concerning myself or my child be released as outlined below. I have been informed of the specific type of information that has been requested and the benefits and disadvantages of releasing this information. I also understand that the provision of services is not contingent on my decision concerning this release of information.

Please release information to:
 Viewpoint Psychological Services
 1455 South Fort Thomas Ave.
 Fort Thomas, KY 41075
 From: _____

I want information released from:
 Viewpoint Psychological Services
 1455 South Fort Thomas Ave.
 Fort Thomas, KY 41075
 To: _____

I authorize Viewpoint Psychological Service to use or disclose the following information:

- All of the below
- Inpatient or outpatient treatment records for physical or psychological, psychiatric, or emotional illness or drug and/or alcohol abuse.
- Admission and discharge summaries.
- Psychological evaluation(s), reports, assessments, treatment notes, summaries or other documents with diagnoses, prognoses, recommendations, or testing records, and behavioral observations or checklists completed by any staff member or the patient, or similar documents.
- Treatment, recovery, rehabilitation, aftercare plans and other similar plans.
- Social, family, educational, and vocational histories.
- Progress, nursing, case or similar notes.
- Evaluations and reports of consultants.
- Information about how the patient's condition(s) affects or has affected his or her ability to work, and to complete tasks or activities of daily living.
- Vocational evaluations and reports.
- Billing records.
- Academic and educational records, including achievement and other test results, reports of teacher observations, and all other school or special education documents.
- HIV-related information and drug and alcohol information contained in these records will be released under this authorization unless otherwise indicated.
- Complete copy of the medical record.
- Other: _____

I understand and agree that this authorization will be valid and in effect until _____. I understand that after that date or event, no more of this information can be used or released to Viewpoint Psychological Services, unless I sign a new authorization form. I can revoke consent at any time.

Prohibition of Redisclosure: This information has been disclosed to you from records where confidentiality is protected by federal law. Federal regulation prohibits you from making any further disclosure of this information without the specific written consent of the person whom it pertains or as otherwise permitted by federal regulations. A general authorization for the release of medical or other information is not sufficient for this purpose. The federal rules restrict any uses of the information to criminally investigate or prosecute any alcohol or drug abuse patient.

 Signature of Client/Representative Date

 Print Name Relationship to Client

I, a mental health professional, have discussed the issues above with the client and/or representative. My observations or his or her behavior and responses give me no reason to believe that this person is not fully competent to give informed and willing consent.

 Signature of Mental Health Professional Print Name Date