

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE MEDICAL INFORMATION

To:

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize and request the Custodian above-named entity to disclose to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204 any and all medical records, including those that may contain protected health information (PHI) regarding _____, whether created before or after the date of signature. This authorization specifically does not permit Wooden & McLaughlin LLP to discuss any aspect of medical care or circumstances ex parte and without the presence of my attorney. Records requested may include, but are not limited to:

- a) all medical records, physician's records, surgeon's records, pathology/cytology reports, physicals and histories, laboratory reports, operating room records, discharge summaries, progress notes, patient intake forms, consultations, prescriptions, nurses' notes, birth certificate and other vital statistic records, communicable disease testing and treatment records, correspondence, prescription records, medication records, orders for medications, therapists' notes, social worker's records, insurance records, consent for treatment, statements of account, itemized bills, invoices and any other papers relating to any examination, diagnosis, treatment, periods of hospitalization, or stays of confinement, or documents containing information regarding amendment of protected health information (PHI) in the medical records, copies (NOT originals) of all x-rays, CT scans, MRI films, photographs, and any other radiological, nuclear medicine, or radiation therapy films and of any corresponding reports and requisition records, and any other written materials in its possession relating to any and all medical diagnoses, medical examinations, medical and surgical treatments or procedures. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information. This authorization and release does not allow to request or take possession of pathology/cytology specimens, extracted mesh, pathology/cytology or hematology slides, wet tissue or tissue blocks.
- b) complete copies of all prescription profile records, prescription slips, medication records, orders for medication, payment records, insurance claims forms correspondence and any other records. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information.

A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ **v. Cook Medical Inc., et al.** or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned below. The purpose of this authorization is for civil litigation.

NOTICE

- The individual signing this authorization has the right to revoke this authorization at any time, provided the revocation is in writing to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP except to the extent that the entity has already relied upon this Authorization to disclose protected health information (PHI).
- The individual signing this authorization understands that the covered entity to whom this authorization is directed may not condition treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility benefits on whether or not the individual signs the authorization.
- The individual signing this authorization understands that protected health information (PHI) disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to redisclosure by the recipients and that, in such case, the disclosed PHI no longer will be protected by federal privacy regulations.
- The individual signing this authorization expressly authorizes the above-named entity to disclose HIV/AIDS records and information to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP.
- The individual signing this authorization understands information authorized for release may include records that may indicate the presence of a communicable disease.
- The individual signing this authorization understands that she/he shall be entitled to receive a copy of all documents requested via this authorization within a reasonable period of time after such records are received by Wooden & McLaughlin LLP.

I have read this Authorization and understand that it will permit the entity identified above to disclose PHI to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP.

Name of Patient (Print)

Signature of Patient or Individual

Former/Alias/Maiden Name of Patient

Date

Patient's Date of Birth

Name of Patient Representative

Patient's Social Security Number

Description of Authority

Patient's Address

**AUTHORIZATION AND CONSENT
TO RELEASE PSYCHOTHERAPY NOTES**

Name of Individual:
Social Security Number:
Date of Birth:
Provider Name:

TO: All physicians, hospitals, clinics and institutions, pharmacists and other healthcare providers

The Veteran's Administration and all Veteran's Administration hospitals, clinics, physicians and employees

The Social Security Administration

Open Records, Administrative Specialist, Department of Workers' Claims

All employers or other persons, firms, corporations, schools and other educational institutions

The undersigned individual hereby authorizes each entity included in any of the above categories to furnish and disclose to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204 and its authorized representatives, true and correct copies of all "psychotherapy notes", as such term is defined by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, 45 CFR §164.501. Under HIPAA, the term "psychotherapy notes" means notes recorded (in any medium) by a health care provider who is a mental health professional documenting or analyzing the contents of conversation during a private counseling session or a group, joint or family counseling session and that are separated from the rest of the individual's record. This authorization does not authorize ex parte communication concerning same.

- This authorization provides for the disclosure of the above-named patient's protected health information for purposes of the following litigation matter: _____ v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al.
- The undersigned individual is hereby notified and acknowledges that any health care provider or health plan disclosing the above requested information may not condition treatment, payment, enrollment or eligibility for benefits on whether the individual signs this authorization.
- _____
The undersigned individual is hereby notified and acknowledges that he or she may revoke this authorization by providing written notice to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP and/or to one or more entities listed in the above categories, except to the extent that any such entity has taken action in reliance on this authorization.
- The undersigned is hereby notified and acknowledges that he or she is aware of the potential that protected health information disclosed and furnished to the recipient pursuant to this authorization is subject to redisclosure by the recipient for the purposes of this litigation in a manner that will not be protected by the Standards for the Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information contained in the HIPAA regulations (45 CFR §§164.500-164.534).
- The undersigned is hereby notified that he/she is aware that any and all protected health information disclosed and ultimately furnished to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP in accordance with orders of the court pursuant to this authorization will be shared with any and all

- co-defendants in the matter of _____ v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al. and is subject to redisclosure by the recipient for the purposes of this litigation in a manner that will not be protected by the Standards for the Privacy of Individually Identifiable Health Information contained in the HIPAA regulations (45 CFR §§164.500-164.534).
- A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al. or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned.

I have carefully read and understand the above and do hereby expressly and voluntarily authorize the disclosure of all of my above information to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP and its authorized representatives, by any entities included in the categories listed above.

Date: _____

Signature of Individual or Individual's Representative

Individual's Name and Address:

Printed Name of Individual's Representative (If applicable)

Relationship of Representative to Individual (If applicable)

Description of Representative's authority to act for Individual (If applicable)

This authorization is designed to be in compliance with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, and the regulations promulgated thereunder, 45 CFR Parts 160 and 164 (collectively, "HIPAA").

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE INSURANCE INFORMATION

To:

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize and request the above-named entity to disclose to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204, any and all records containing insurance information, including those that may contain protected health information (PHI) regarding _____, whether created before or after the date of signature. Records requested may include, but are not limited to:

applications for insurance coverage and renewals; all insurance policies, certificates and benefit schedules regarding the insured's coverage, including supplemental coverage; health and physical examination records that were reviewed for underwriting purposes, and any statements, communications, correspondence, reports, questionnaires, and records submitted in connection with applications or renewals for insurance coverage, or claims; all physicians', hospital, dental reports, prescriptions, correspondence, test results, radiology reports and any other medical records that were submitted for claims review purposes; any claim record filed; records of any claim paid; records of all litigation; and any other records of any kind concerning or pertaining to the insured. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information. By signing this authorization, I expressly do not authorize any ex parte interview or oral communication about me or any information contained in the materials produced without the presence of my attorney.

A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ **v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al.** or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned below. The purpose of this authorization is for civil litigation.

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- **The individual signing this authorization understands that protected health information (PHI) disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be subject to redisclosure by the recipients and that, in such case, the disclosed PHI no longer will be protected by federal privacy regulations.**
- **The individual signing this authorization understands information authorized for release may include records that may indicate the presence of a communicable disease.**
- **The individual signing this authorization understands that she/he shall be entitled to receive a copy of all documents requested via this authorization within a reasonable period of time after such records are received by Wooden & McLaughlin LLP.**

I have read this Authorization and understand that it will permit the entity identified above to disclose PHI to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP.

Name of Individual

Signature of Individual or Individual Representative

Former/Alias/Maiden Name of Individual

Date

Individual's Date of Birth

Name of Individual Representative

Individual's Social Security Number

Description of Authority

Individual's Address

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE MEDICAID INFORMATION

To:

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize and request the above-named entity to disclose to the agents or designees of Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204, any and all records containing Medicaid information, including those that may contain protected health information (PHI) regarding _____, whether created before or after the date of signature. This authorization should also be construed to permit agents or designees of Wooden & McLaughlin LLP to copy, inspect and review any and all such records. Records requested may include, but are not limited to:

all Medicaid records, including explanations of Medicaid benefit records and claims records; any statements, communications, pro reviews, denials, appeals, correspondence, reports, questionnaires or records submitted in connection with claims; all reports from physicians, hospitals, dental providers, prescriptions; correspondence, test results and any other medical records; records of claims paid to or on the behalf of _____; records of litigation and any other records of any kind. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information.

A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al. or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned below. The purpose of this authorization is for civil litigation. By signing this authorization, I expressly do not authorize any ex parte interview or oral communication about me or my medical history by Wooden & McLaughlin LLP without the presence of my attorney.

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Name of Individual

Signature of Individual or Individual

Former/Alias/Maiden Name of Individual

Date

Individual's Date of Birth

Name of Individual Representative

Individual's Social Security Number

Description of Authority

Individual's Address

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION

To:

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize and request the above-named entity to disclose to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204, any and all records containing employment information, including those that may contain protected health information (PHI) regarding _____, whether created before or after the date of signature. Records requested may include, but are not limited to:

all applications for employment, resumes, records of all positions held, job descriptions of positions held, payroll records, W-2 forms and W-4 forms, performance evaluations and reports, statements and reports of fellow employees, attendance records, worker's compensation files; all hospital, physician, clinic, infirmary, nurse, dental records; test results, physical examination records and other medical records; any records pertaining to medical or disability claims, or work-related accidents including correspondence, accident reports, injury reports and incident reports; insurance claim forms, questionnaires and records of payments made; pension records, disability benefit records, and all records regarding participation in company-sponsored health, dental, life and disability insurance plans; material safety data sheets, chemical inventories, and environmental monitoring records and all other employee exposure records pertaining to all positions held; and any other records concerning employment with the above-named entity. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information. By signing this authorization, I expressly do not authorize any ex parte interview or oral communication about me or my employment history by Wooden & McLaughlin LLP without the presence of my attorney.

A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ **v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al.** or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned below. A copy of this authorization may be used in place of and with the same force and effect as the original. The purpose of this authorization is for civil litigation.

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Name of Employee

Signature of Employee or Employee Representative

Former/Alias/Maiden Name of Employee

Date

Employee's Date of Birth

Name of Employee Representative

Employee's Social Security Number

Description of Authority

Employee's Address

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE WORKERS' COMPENSATION INFORMATION

To:

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize and request the above-named entity to disclose to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204, any and all records containing Workers' Compensation information, including those that may contain protected health information (PHI) regarding _____, whether created before or after the date of signature. Records requested may include, but are not limited to:

all workers' compensation claims, including claim petitions, judgments, findings, notices of hearings, hearing records, transcripts, decisions and orders; all depositions and reports of witnesses and expert witnesses; employer's accident reports; all other accident, injury, or incident reports; all medical records; records of compensation payment made; investigatory reports and records; applications for employment; records of all positions held; job descriptions of any positions held; salary records; performance evaluations and reports; statements and comments of fellow employees; attendance records; all physicians', hospital, medical, health reports; physical examinations; records relating to health or disability insurance claims, including correspondence, reports, claim forms, questionnaires, records of payments made to physicians, hospitals, and health institutions or professionals; statements of account, itemized bills or invoices; and any other records relating to the above-named individual. Copies (NOT originals) of all x-rays, CT scans, MRI films, photographs, and any other radiological, nuclear medicine, or radiation therapy films and of any corresponding reports. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information.

A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ **v. Cook Medical, Inc., et al.** or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned below. The purpose of this authorization is for civil litigation. This authorization is for the release of records only and does not allow for ex parte communications regarding the subject matter of this release and without the presence of my attorney.

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Wooden & McLaughlin LLP.

_____ Name of Individual	_____ Signature of Individual or Individual Representative
_____ Former/Alias/Maiden Name of Individual	_____ Date
_____ Individual's Date of Birth	_____ Name of Individual Representative
_____ Individual's Social Security Number	_____ Description of Authority
_____ Individual's Address	

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE UNION RECORDS/INFORMATION

To:

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize and request the above-named entity to disclose to Wooden & McLaughlin LLP, 211 N. Pennsylvania St., Suite 1800, Indianapolis, IN 46204, any and all records containing union and/or employment information, including those that may contain protected health information (PHI) regarding _____, whether created before or after the date of _____.

Records requested may include, but are not limited to:

Training records, records of all positions held, job descriptions of positions held, payroll records, W-2 forms and W-4 forms, performance evaluations and reports, statements and reports of employers, attendance records, worker's compensation files; all hospital, physician, clinic, infirmary, nurse, dental records; test results, physical examination records and other medical records; any records pertaining to medical or disability claims, or work-related accidents including correspondence, accident reports, injury reports and incident reports; insurance claim forms, questionnaires and records of payments made; pension records, disability benefit records, and all records regarding participation in union-sponsored health, dental, life and disability insurance plans; material safety data sheets, chemical inventories, and environmental monitoring records and all other employee exposure records pertaining to all positions held; and any other records involving the above-named entity. I expressly request that all covered entities under HIPAA identified above disclose full and complete protected medical information. By signing this authorization, I expressly do not authorize any ex parte interview or oral communication about me or my union history by Wooden & McLaughlin LLP without the presence of my attorney.

A photocopy of this authorization shall be considered as effective and valid as the original, and this authorization will remain in effect until the earlier of: (i) the date of settlement or final disposition of _____ v. **Cook Medical, Inc., et al.** or (ii) five (5) years after the date of signature of the undersigned below. A copy of this authorization may be used in place of and with the same force and effect as the original. The purpose of this authorization is for civil litigation.

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Name of Employee

Signature of Employee

Former/Alias/Maiden Name of Employee

Date

Employee's Date of Birth

Name of Employee Representative

Employee's Social Security No.

Description of Authority

Employee's Address