AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Authorization is not required for the Use or Disclosure of Information Related to Treatment, Payment, Healthcare Operations or if Required by Law or Rules

(1) **Patient's Printed Name**:

_____ _____ _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____
Last First Initial

(2) Madden Physical Therapy will only disclose the protected health information you want disclosed.

Check only <u>one</u> box to tell Madden Physical Therapy the specific information you want disclosed/released:

☐ Do NOT release any information other than for treatment or payment (<u>skip #'s 3, 4, and 5</u>)

☐ Release limited information to the individuals I list below in section #4. (<u>Complete</u> ALL Sections)

(3) Complete <u>only</u> if you selected "limited information". Please initial all that apply:

_____ Evaluation/Examination _____ Attendance _____ Correspondence re: your Physical Therapy Services/Billing
_____ Past Medical History _____ Treatments _____ Phone Messages/Reminder Calls

(4) Complete <u>only</u> if you selected "limited information". I only authorize the release of information to the individuals/entities identified below by name:

Spouse: _____ Attorney: _____
Parent: _____ Employer: _____
Friend: _____ School: _____
Other: _____ Other: _____

(5) Check <u>only</u> one box indicating how long Madden Physical Therapy can use this authorization:

☐ Disclose my information indefinitely (as long as Madden Physical Therapy has custody of my files)

☐ Disclose my PHI for the following period beginning ___/___/_____ and ending ___/___/_____

(6) Please <u>initial</u> all items below indicating that you have read and understand the rights or information below:

_____ I understand that this authorization does not expire unless I have indicated an expiration date above
_____ I understand that I can refuse to give authorization without fear of retaliation or treatment limitations
_____ I understand that if I give authorization I may revoke it at any time by notifying this Madden Physical Therapy in writing
_____ I understand that the information used/disclosed as a result of my authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may not be protected by Federal privacy regulations once in the recipient's possession
_____ I understand that if Madden Physical Therapy requests my authorization it is required to tell me the purpose and to whom my PHI (protected health information) is being released to
_____ I understand that I will receive a copy of this authorization after I sign it and before I sign, if I request it
_____ Madden Physical Therapy will not be compensated for using or disclosing my PHI unless related to treatment Or payment procedures unless specific permission is obtained by the patient after full disclose of purpose & intent

_____ _____ or _____
Signature of Patient **Date** **Signature of Parent or Authorized Representative Date (Indicate the Relationship)**

You May Refuse to Sign this Authorization