

### **Tarlov Cyst Consultation Check off List**

Please use this check off list to ensure all information is complete for your chart.

HIPAA Receipt and Authorization
 Patient History
 Patient Information
 MRI Disc/CDs or Films
 MRI/Radiology report
 Copy of insurance card(s) front and back

If applicable: □ Automobile or Liability Claim Information □ Workers Compensation Claim □ Medicare Secondary Payer Questionnaire

If you would like to know if your information has arrived, please call our office at 214-351-8450 option 8. If there is additional or missing information needed, we will contact you.

Note: Only complete charts will be forwarded on to Dr. Feigenbaum for review.

Please allow at least 6-10 weeks for a response from the doctor. Thank you.

Mail to:

Feigenbaum Neurosurgery, P.A. Attn: Soledad 9080 Harry Hines Blvd, Ste 220 Dallas, Texas 75235

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### **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.

#### If you have any questions about this Notice please contact the Privacy Officer. Laura Abshire 214-351-8450 option 5

#### Effective Date: September 10, 2013

Revised: November 15, 2016

We are committed to protect the privacy of your personal health information (PHI).

This Notice of Privacy Practices (Notice) describes how we may use within our practice or network and disclose (share outside of our practice or network) your PHI to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. We may also share your information for other purposes that are permitted or required by law. This Notice also describes your rights to access and control your PHI.

We are required by law to maintain the privacy of your PHI. We will follow the terms outlined in this Notice.

We may change our Notice, at any time. Any changes will apply to all PHI. Upon your request, we will provide you with any revised Notice by:

- Posting the new Notice in our office.
- If requested, making copies of the new Notice available in our office or by mail.
- Posting the revised Notice on our website: **www.frankfeigenbaum.com**.

#### **Uses and Disclosures of Protected Health Information**

#### We may use or disclose (share) your PHI to provide health care treatment for you.

Your PHI may be used and disclosed by your physician, our office staff and others outside of our office that are involved in your care and treatment for the purpose of providing health care services to you.

EXAMPLE: Your PHI may be provided to a physician to whom you have been referred for evaluation to ensure that the physician has the necessary information to diagnose or treat you. We may also share your PHI from time-to-time to another physician or health care provider (e.g., a specialist or laboratory) who, at the request of your physician, becomes involved in your care by providing assistance with your health care diagnosis or treatment to your physician.

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We may also share your PHI with people outside of our practice that may provide medical care for you such as home health agencies.

#### We may use and disclose your PHI to obtain payment for services. We may provide your PHI to others in order to bill or collect payment for services. There may be services for which we share information with your health plan to determine if the service will be paid for.

PHI may be shared with the following:

- Billing companies
- Insurance companies, health plans
- Government agencies in order to assist with qualification of benefits
- Collection agencies

EXAMPLE: You are seen at our practice for a procedure. We will need to provide a listing of services such as x-rays to your insurance company so that we can get paid for the procedure. We may at times contact your health care plan to receive approval PRIOR to performing certain procedures to ensure the services will be paid for. This will require sharing of your PHI.

# We may use or disclose, as-needed, your PHI in order to support the business activities of this practice which are called health care operations.

EXAMPLES:

- Training students, other health care providers, or ancillary staff such as billing personnel to help them learn or improve their skills.
- Quality improvement processes which look at delivery of health care and for improvement in processes which will provide safer, more effective care for you.
- Use of information to assist in resolving problems or complaints within the practice.

#### We may use and disclosure your PHI in other situations without your permission:

- <u>If required by law:</u> The use or disclosure will be made in compliance with the law and will be limited to the relevant requirements of the law. For example, we may be required to report gunshot wounds or suspected abuse or neglect.
- <u>Public health activities:</u> The disclosure will be made for the purpose of controlling disease, injury or disability and only to public health authorities permitted by law to collect or receive information. We may also notify individuals who may have been exposed to a disease or may be at risk of contracting or spreading a disease or condition.
- <u>Health oversight agencies</u>: We may disclose protected health information to a health oversight agency for activities authorized by law, such as audits,



investigations, and inspections. Oversight agencies seeking this information include government agencies that oversee the health care system, government benefit programs, other government regulatory programs and civil rights laws.

- <u>Legal proceedings:</u> To assist in any legal proceeding or in response to a court order, in certain conditions in response to a subpoena, or other lawful process.
- <u>Police or other law enforcement purposes</u>: The release of PHI will meet all applicable legal requirements for release.
- <u>Coroners, funeral directors:</u> We may disclose protected health information to a coroner or medical examiner for identification purposes, determining cause of death or for the coroner or medical examiner to perform other duties authorized by law
- <u>Medical research:</u> We may disclose your protected health information to researchers when their research has been approved by an institutional review board that has reviewed the research proposal and established protocols to ensure the privacy of your protected health information.
- <u>Special government purposes</u>: Information may be shared for national security purposes, or if you are a member of the military, to the military under limited circumstances.
- <u>Correctional institutions:</u> Information may be shared if you are an inmate or under custody of law which is necessary for your health or the health and safety of other individuals.
- <u>Workers' Compensation:</u> Your protected health information may be disclosed by us as authorized to comply with workers' compensation laws and other similar legally-established programs.

#### Other uses and disclosures of your health information.

<u>Business Associates:</u> Some services are provided through the use of contracted entities called "business associates". We will always release only the minimum amount of PHI necessary so that the business associate can perform the identified services. We require the business associate(s) to appropriately safeguard your information. Examples of business associates include billing companies or transcription services.

<u>Health Information Exchange</u>: We may make your health information available electronically to other healthcare providers outside of our facility who are involved in your care.

<u>Fundraising activities:</u> We may contact you in an effort to raise money. You may opt out of receiving such communications.

<u>Treatment alternatives:</u> We may provide you notice of treatment options or other health related services that may improve your overall health.

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<u>Appointment reminders</u>: We may contact you as a reminder about upcoming appointments or treatment.

#### We may use or disclose your PHI in the following situations UNLESS you object.

- We may share your information with friends or family members, or other persons directly identified by you at the level they are involved in your care or payment of services. If you are not present or able to agree/object, the healthcare provider using professional judgment will determine if it is in your best interest to share the information. For example, we may discuss post procedure instructions with the person who drove you to the facility unless you tell us specifically not to share the information.
- We may use or disclose protected health information to notify or assist in notifying a family member, personal representative or any other person that is responsible for your care of your location, general condition or death.
- We may use or disclose your protected health information to an authorized public or private entity to assist in disaster relief efforts.

#### The following uses and disclosures of PHI require your written authorization:

- Marketing
- Disclosures of for any purposes which require the sale of your information
- Release of psychotherapy notes: Psychotherapy notes are notes by a mental health professional for the purpose of documenting a conversation during a private session. This session could be with an individual or with a group. These notes are kept separate from the rest of the medical record and do not include: medications and how they affect you, start and stop time of counseling sessions, types of treatments provided, results of tests, diagnosis, treatment plan, symptoms, prognosis.

All other uses and disclosures not recorded in this Notice will require a written authorization from you or your personal representative.

Written authorization simply explains how you want your information used and disclosed. Your written authorization may be revoked at any time, in writing. Except to the extent that your doctor or this practice has used or released information based on the direction provided in the authorization, no further use or disclosure will occur.

#### Your Privacy Rights

You have certain rights related to your protected health information. All requests to exercise your rights must be made in writing. [Describe how the patient may obtain the written request document and to whom the request should be directed, i.e. practice manager, privacy officer.]

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#### You have the right to see and obtain a copy of your protected health information.

This means you may inspect and obtain a copy of protected health information about you that is contained in a designated record set for as long as we maintain the protected health information. If requested we will provide you a copy of your records in an electronic format. There are some exceptions to records which may be copied and the request may be denied. We may charge you a reasonable cost based fee for a copy of the records.

#### You have the right to request a restriction of your protected health information.

You may request for this practice not to use or disclose any part of your protected health information for the purposes of treatment, payment or healthcare operations. We are not required to agree with these requests. If we agree to a restriction request we will honor the restriction request unless the information is needed to provide emergency treatment.

**There is one exception**: we must accept a restriction request to restrict disclosure of information to a health plan if you pay out of pocket in full for a service or product unless it is otherwise required by law.

## You have the right to request for us to communicate in different ways or in different locations.

We will agree to reasonable requests. We may also request alternative address or other method of contact such as mailing information to a post office box. We will not ask for an explanation from you about the request.

#### You may have the right to request an amendment of your health information.

You may request an amendment of your health information if you feel that the information is not correct along with an explanation of the reason for the request. In certain cases, we may deny your request for an amendment at which time you will have an opportunity to disagree.

## You have the right to a list of people or organizations who have received your health information from us.

This right applies to disclosures for purposes other than treatment, payment or healthcare operations. You have the right to obtain a listing of these disclosures that occurred after April 14, 2003. You may request them for the previous six years or a shorter timeframe. If you request more than one list within a 12 month period you may be charged a reasonable fee.

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#### **Additional Privacy Rights**

- You have the right to obtain a paper copy of this notice from us, upon request. We will provide you a copy of this Notice the first day we treat you at our facility. In an emergency situation we will give you this Notice as soon as possible.
- You have a right to receive notification of any breach of your protected health information.

#### **Complaints**

If you think we have violated your rights or you have a complaint about our privacy practices you can contact:

Laura Abshire

You may also complain to the United States Secretary of Health and Human Services if you believe your privacy rights have been violated by us.

If you file a complaint we will not retaliate against you for filing a complaint.

This notice was published and becomes effective on September 10, 2013.



#### NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I understand that, under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 ("HIPAA"), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I understand that this information can and will be used to:

- Conduct, plan, and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly.
- Obtain payment from third-party payers. •
- Conduct normal healthcare operations such as guality assessment and physician certifications.
- Authorization to release medication history to SureScripts for prescribing purposes (allows communication with pharmacy).

I have received, read, and understand your Notice of Privacy Practices containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my health information. I understand that this organization has the right to change its Notice of Privacy Practice from time to time, and that I may contact this organization at any time at the address above to obtain a current copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices.

I understand that I may request, in writing, that you restrict how my private information is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. I also understand that you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree, then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

Patient (or Custodian) Name & DOB:\_\_\_\_\_ Date:\_\_\_\_\_

Patient Address:	 	 

Signature:\_\_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Patient:\_\_\_\_\_

. . . . . . . . . . . . ....... . . . . In accordance with *Feigenbaum Neurosurgery Privacy Practices*, I hereby authorize Feigenbaum Neurosurgery to communicate with my spouse, children, and/or parents regarding my care and I authorize representatives of FN to communicate with me via home answering machine, voice mail (work phone or cell phone), and/or E-mail unless I check this hox.

□ I hereby authorize Feigenbaum Neurosurgery to communicate with the following people: Name Relationship

These authorizations will remain in effect until you send us written notice of your desire to revoke the authorizations.

Signature:

Date:

### OFFICE USE ONLY

I attempted to obtain the patient's signature in acknowledgement of this Notice of Privacy Practices Acknowledgement, but was unable to do so as documented below:

Date:	Prepared By:	
Reason:	An emergenc	existed and a signature was not possible at the time.
	The individua	refused to sign.
	A copy was n	ailed with a request for a signature by return mail.
	Unable to co	municate with patient for following reason:
	Other:	

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PATIENT HISTORY							
NamePhone	e	Birth Date	Age	Sex	Date		
Who requested that you see our ph		Phone					
How did you find us: □ Internet, nam	ne of website/	search engine:		_□Tarlov	Cyst Foundation		
Did you refer yourself? □ Ye	es □ No	□ Other explain:					
Family Physician or Internist:			Pho	one			
What is your major problem or com	plaint?						
When did your problem start?	Was the	re a specific injury?	D	ate of Inj	ury		
DO YOU CONSIDER THIS A WORK	OR AUTO RE	ELATED INJURY? _	W	hy?			
Have you seen other doctors for thi	s problem? _	Who? _					
PAST MEDICAL HISTORY (check a Cardiovascular (heart): Hypertension (high blood pressure) Coronary artery disease / Heart disease Deep Vessel Thrombosis (DVT/blood clots/congenital clotting factor deficiency) Atrial fibrillation / Irregular heart rhythm-type Heart valve problems Cardiac stents Congestive heart failure Peripheral vascular disease Pace maker / Defibrillator Myocardial Infarction: last known <u>Respiratory:</u> COPD/emphysema Asthma Seasonal allergies Sleep apnea / CPAP/BiPAP Pulmonary embolism Lung disease: <u>Gastrointestinal:</u> Hepatitis / Liver disease Peptic/gastric ulcer GERD (reflux) Colon/Rectal: Irritable Bowel Syndrome	Metabolic:         Diabetes:         Thyroid d         Hypothyroi         Hypothyroi         Hypothyroi         Hypothyroi         Hyperlipic         cholesterol         Obesity         Musculoske         Rheumato         Gout         Fibromya         Osteoarth         Osteoarth         Osteoarth         Colon         Hung         Prostate         Other:         Connective         Harfan's         Ehlers-Da         Other:         Renal (kidn         Kidney fa	d / Hyperthyroid demia (high ) <u>eletal:</u> bid arthritis lgia nritis osis pe, treatment, year ght/ Left <u>Tissue Disease:</u> nnlos syndrome <u>ey):</u> ilure	Ne         Ias         Ia	Eurologic, Stroke: las t recomn Seizures: l Trauma Head injun Anxiety d Depressio Dementia Migraine h Multiple S Periphera Parkinson Hereditary Spinal cor plant <u>ectious:</u> HIV / AID Shingles Methicillin Aureus (M <u>her:</u> Chronic k Sease Glaucoma Anemia	<pre>/ Psychiatric: st known, nended change ast seizure 'y isorder isorder n neadaches clerosis l neuropathy 's disease y defects d stimulator S n resistant staph RSA) idney/renal</pre>		

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Name	Phone	Birth Date	Age	Sex	Date
PAST SURGICAL HIST	ORY: INCLUDE DATE				
□ NO PRIOR SURGERIE		□ C-Section			
Tonsillectomy		🗆 D&C			
□ Appendectomy (app	endix)	□ Hysterectomy			
□ Cholecystectomy (ga	allbladder)	🗆 Heart	_ 🗆 Stents I	☐ Ablation	n
🗆 Vasectomy		□ Spine surgery □	Neck 🗆 Mi	d-back 🗆	Lower back
□ Tubal ligation		Neck	_ Mid-bac	k	Lower
□ Other surgery:		Do you have 'restr Do you have meta If yes, is it MRI con	l in your b	ody? Yes	
□ Other surgery:			•		esthesia with previous
□ Other surgery:		Have you or anyo anesthesia called who:	-	-	ad a reaction to ermia? Yes / No If so,

#### DISEASES THAT RUN IN THE FAMILY/FAMILY MEDICAL HISTORY: (include deceased family members):

Disease	Father	Mother	Brother	Sister	Other (specify)
					(specify)
Heart Disease					
Diabetes					
Hypertension (high					
blood pressure)					
High Cholesterol					
Cancer ( <i>specify/type</i> )					
Hereditary Defects					
Other					
Adopted	🗆 Family	y history unobtain	able 🛛	Family history ne	gative

- Do you drink alcohol excessively? Do you use drugs? Have you been treated for substance abuse?
- Do you smoke now? \_\_\_\_\_ Packs per day? \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_ Have you in the past? When did you quit?
- Race: 🗆 Black or African American 🗆 American Indian or Alaska Native 🗆 Asian 🗆 Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander □ Other Race □ White □ Decline to specify
- Ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino Not Hispanic or Latino Unknown Decline to specify
- Preferred Language:
- Have you had a flu vaccine within the past year?  $\Box$  Yes  $\Box$  No If No, Reason
- Women, ages 21-64, have you received one or more pap tests to screen for cervical cancer?

□Yes□ No□N/A

Women, ages 40-69, have you had a mammogram in the past 2 years? 
Yes 
No 
Mastectomy  $\Box$  N/A

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NamePhoneBirth DateAgeSexDate	
<ul> <li>If 50-75 years of age, have you had a complete colonoscopy in the past 10 years?          Ves         No         N/A     </li> </ul>	
- Marital Status Number of children Do you have a healthcare directive or	
power of attorney?  Yes No If No, would you like more information?  Yes No	
- Occupation Weight	
REVIEW OF SYSTEMS (check all present):         ALL OTHER SYSTEMS NEGATIVE           Constitutional:         Cardiovascular:         (Gastric continued)	
Chills	
□ Fatigue □ Edema (leg swelling) □ Nausea	
□ Fever □ Palpitations (irregular heart beat) □ Vomiting	
□ Weight gainlbs □ Paroxysmal nocturnal dyspnea □ Rectal bleeding	
□ Weight loss lbs (shortness of breath, coughing at Black stools	
□ Night sweats night) <u>Urinary:</u>	
Eye:Endocrine:Dysuria (pain on urination)	
□ Blurry vision □ Excessive thirst □ Hematuria (blood in urine)	
□ Seeing double □ Intolerance to cold □ Nocturia (more than 2 urination	ns
□ Vision problems □ Intolerance to heat during night)	
□ Eye discharge	
Ear Nose Throat:	
□ Earache □ Coughing up Sputum □ Urinary retention	
□ Hoarseness □ Short of breath Female Genital Symptoms:	
□ Loss of Hearing □ Wheezing □ Decreased libido	
□ Nasal Congestion □ Home oxygen use (L) □ Heavy periods	
□ Ringing in Ears □ Coughing up blood □ Irregular menses	
□ Sinus Pain □ No menses > 6 months	
□ Sore throat □ Abdominal pain □ Painful intercourse	
□ Ear discharge □ Constipation □ Painful periods	
□ Nasal discharge □ Decreased appetite □ Vaginal discharge	
□ Sinus pressure □ Diarrhea □ Private area numbness	
Difficulty swallowing	
Male Genital Symptoms:     Breast:	
□ Erectile disorder □ Discharge □ Anxiety	
Penile discharge     Depression	
□ Terminal drippling <u>Neuro:</u> <u>Hematologic /Lymph</u> : □ Testicular lump □ Headache □ Anemia	
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C Paralysis     C REVIEW OF SYSTEMS NEGATIVE	

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PATIENT HISTORY						
lame	Phone	Birth Date	Age	Sex	Date	
EDICATIONS YOU ARE			over the count	er drugs, v	itamins,	
herbals, etc.): 🗆 Not cu Medication Name		int / Frequency	Reason for T	aking	Prescribing Docto	

Preferred Pharmacy: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

DRUG ALLERGIES	AND REACTIONS:	No Known Drug Allergies	
Medication Name	True Allergy (facial swelling, airway tightening, hives)	Adverse Reaction (nausea, vomiting, upset stomach, headache)	Date

Allergy to: \_\_\_\_ Latex \_\_\_\_Betadine \_\_\_\_Shellfish \_\_\_\_ IV Contrast/Dye Reaction:\_\_

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Date		PATIE	NT INFORMATI	ON	
Name (last)	(first)	(	middle)	Social	Security #
Date of Birth		Age	Gender		Marital Status
Address	City, State Zip		Home Phone		Cell Phone
Employer	Emplo	yers Addre	ess (city, state, zip)		Work Phone
E-Mail Addres	SS	Spouse/F	Parent/Significant Ot	her	Contact Phone
Referring Phy		Phone EMERGEI	Prima NCY CONTACT	ry Care Physician	Phone
Name	Relationship to Patient	(	Contact Phone	Address, City, S	State, Zip
Name	Relationship to Patient IN		Contact Phone E INFORMATION	Address, City, S	State, Zip
Primary Insur	ance Company Policył	nolder/Rela	ationship/Date of Birt	h Policy #	Group #/Name
<i>inform</i> I authorize pay	HIS DUE TO AN AUTO A mation form in addition) INSURANCE ment of medical benefits dir ation to my insurance compa	AUTHORI ectly to FEI	ZATION AND ASS GENBAUM NEUROSUR	IGNMENT	
	Signature		Date		
P.A. for any se release to the	ME payment of authorized Medi ervices furnished me by thes Center for Medicare and Med benefits payable for related s	care benefit e physicians dicaid Servio	s. I authorize any hold	er of medical inforn	nation about me to
Signature of Be	eneficiary		Patient Medicar	re #	Date
	MI prize payment of my Mediga thorization applies to all serv	p benefits			or all claims on my
Beneficiary sigr	nature			_ Date	
MEDIGAP Insur	rance Company		Po	licy #	
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