

Health Care Component: _____

Unit Privacy Officer: _____

Amendment/Correction Request Form for Protected Health Information

Instructions: Sections 1-3 must be completed. Please print and sign the form.

Section 1: PATIENT IDENTIFICATION

Print Name: _____

Street Address, City, State & Zip Code: _____

Patient's Social Security Number: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Section 2: RIGHT TO REQUEST

I understand I have the right to request amendment to my Personal Health Information (PHI) maintained by Health Care Component _____. Pursuant to that right, I hereby request Health Care Component _____ to make the following amendment:

The information I would like to have amended is the following (identify date of entry and attach additional pages as necessary):

I would like this information to be amended in the following manner:

I believe the amendment is necessary for the following reason(s):

If granted, would you like this Amendment sent to anyone to whom we may have disclosed the information in the past?

YES

NO

If, yes, identify the name and address of the organization or individual:

Section 3: **RIGHT OF DENIAL**

I understand Health Care Component _____ has the right to deny my request for amendment to the extent allowed by law. I also understand that Health Care Component _____ may deny my request for amendment if it is not in writing or does not include a reason to support the request. In addition, Health Care Component _____ may deny my request if the information:

1. Was not created by the provider, unless I provide reasonable evidence that the person or entity that created the information is no longer available to act on the requested amendment;
2. Is not part of my clinical or billing records maintained by or for health care component, or used to make a decision about me;
3. Is not part of the information that I have a right to inspect and copy; or
4. Is already accurate and complete.

Signature of Patient

(If under 18 years if age-Parent, Legal Guardian, or Legal Representative)

___/___/___
Date

If you are not the person listed in Section 1, you must describe your relationship to the person in Section 1:

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Section 4: **RESPONSE TO REQUEST** Date Received: _____ Initials: _____

Amendment has been: GRANTED DENIED

If denied, check reason for denial:

PHI was not created by this organization

PHI is accurate and complete

PHI is not part of the patient's designed record set

PHI is not available to the patient for inspection as required by federal and/or state law

Comments of Health Care Component:

If denied:

If the request is denied, you may file a complaint with the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services by calling 877-696-6775, or writing them at 200 Independence Avenue S.W., Washington, DC 20201. You may also file a grievance with the Office of Civil Rights by calling 866-OCR-PRIV (866-627-7748), or TTY at 866-788-4989. You may also file a complaint with the University by contacting the Health Care Component Privacy Officer.

_____/_____/_____
Signature, Name and Title of Staff Member Processing Request Date

A copy of this form will be filed in the above-named patient's PHI.

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