

WELCOME TO ADVANCED MEDICAL CARE

PATIENT INFORMATION				
Patient Name		Married	Single	Other
Address		Employed	Full Time Student	Retired
City, State		Unemployed	Part Time Student	Other
Zip Code		Referring Physician		
Telephone No	Cell Phone No	If not referred by a physician, who referred you? Friend Name: Web Page Newspaper Radio/ TV Community Event Yellow Pages Other		
Email Address				
Previous Physician				
Social Security #				
Employer Name				
Employer Address				
City, State, Zip				
Employer Phone No.		Who is financially responsible for the bill/. Self Spouse Father Mother Child Other		
Patient Sex	Birthdate			
Ethnicity	Race			
FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE PERSON (If different than above)				
Financially Resp. Person Name		Employer Name		
Address		Employer Address		
City, State, Zip		City, State, Zip		
Zip Code		Employer Phone No.		
Telephone No.		Social Security #		
Other Address (Seasonal)		Birthdate	Sex	
INSURANCE COMPANY INFORMATION				
Primary Ins. Co. Name		Address		
Holder of Policy	Date of Birth	City, State, Zip		
Policy #	Group No.	Social Security #		
Secondary Ins. Co. Name		Address		
Holder of Policy	Date of Birth	City, State, Zip		
Policy #	Group No.	Social Security #		

ADVANCED MEDICAL CARE PATIENT HISTORY (Please fill out completely)

PATIENT INFORMATION			
Patient Name		Date	DOB
Current medications (List)		Are you allergic to any medications? (List)	
1. Describe problem you are being seen for today:		Pharmacy name	
		Pharmacy Phone #	
Are You: Disabled Job Related Military		Have you previously been treated for this problem?	
Patient History	Review of Symptoms	Social History	
Anemia	Prior Problem/Risk of Anesthesia	Marital Status:	
Arthritis	Diseases of Eyes Nose or Throat	Number of Living Children?	
Rheumatoid Arthritis	Sinusitis	Presently living alone?	
Asthma/Emphysema	Loss of Hearing	Do You Smoke?	
Back Disorders	Indigestion, Heartburn	If No, when did you quit	
Bursitis	Hiatal Hernia	Alcohol :	
Bleeding Disorders	Peptic Ulcer		
Cancer Where?	Stomach Pain	Drug Overuse:	
Diabetes	Bowel Disease (i.e. Colitis, Diverticulitis)		
Heart Disease	Gallbladder Disease	Previous Surgeries:	
Hepatitis	Intestinal Bleeding		
High Blood Pressure	Frequent Urination	Tonsils	
HIV (Aids)	Burning on Urination	Gallbladder	
Kidney Infection	Difficulty Starting Urination	Appendix	
Kidney Stone	Shortness of Breath	Hysterectomy/ovaries	
Lung Disease	Chills or Fever	Cancer	
Paralysis	Heart/ Chest Pain	Back/Disc	
Phlebitis	Angina	Fracture	
Pneumonia	Abnormal Heart Beat	Heart	
Rheumatic Fever	Muscle Weakness	Transplant	
Stroke	Joint Pain/ Swelling	Other (List)	
Thyroid Disease	Calf Cramps Walking		
TB	Recent Weight Loss		
Other (List)	Leg/Skin Ulcers		
	Mental Illness		
	Gout		
	Psoriasis		
FAMILY HISTORY - If a member of your family has had a history of any of the following conditions please check the box			
Stroke	Aids/TB	Other	Major cause of death:
Heart Trouble	Bleeding Disorder		Cancer
High Blood Pressure	Alcoholism	Explain all Yes Answers:	Diabetes
Diabetes	Seizures		Heart Disease
Arthritis	Mental Illness		Hypertension
Gout	Kidney Trouble/Stones		Accident
Cancer	Leukemia		Other?
Reviewed with patient by:			

ADVANCED MEDICAL CARE

NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES REGARDING YOUR MEDICAL INFORMATION

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.

Our Responsibility

We are required by applicable federal and state law to maintain the privacy of your protected health information. “Protected Health Information” (PHI) is information about you, including demographic information, that may identify you and that relates to your past, present and future physical or mental health or condition and related health care services. We are also required to give you this notice about our privacy practices, our legal duties, and your rights concerning your PHI. We must follow the privacy practices that are described in this notice while it is in effect. ***This notice takes effect April 14, 2003, and will remain in effect until we replace it.***

We reserve the right to change our privacy policy practices and the terms of this notice at any time, provided such changes are permitted by applicable law. We reserve the right to make the changes in our privacy practices and the terms of our notice effective for all PHI that we maintain, including PHI created or received before we made the changes. Before we make significant change in our privacy practices, we will change this notice and make the new notice available upon request.

For more information about our privacy practices, or for additional copies of this notice, please contact us using the information at the end of this notice.

The Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (“HIPAA”) is a federal program that requires that all medical records and other individually identifiable health information used or disclosed by us in any form, whether electronically, on paper, or orally, are kept properly confidential. This Act gives you, the patient, significant new rights to understand and control how your health information is used. “HIPAA” provides penalties for covered entities that misuse personal health information.

As required by “HIPAA”, we have prepared this explanation of how we are required to maintain the privacy of your health information and how we may use and disclose your health information.

We may use and disclose your medical records only for each of the following purposes: treatment, payment and health care operations.

- Treatment** means providing, coordinating, or managing health care and related services by one or more health care providers. An example of this would include a physical examination.
- Payment** means such activities as obtaining reimbursement for services, confirming coverage, billing or collection activities, and utilization review. An example of this would be sending a bill for your visit to your insurance company for payment.
- Health care operations** include the business aspects of running our practice, such as conducting quality assessment and improvement activities, auditing functions, cost-management analysis, and customer service. An example would be an internal quality assessment review.

We may also create and distribute de-identified health information by removing all references to individually identifiable information.

We may contact you to provide appointment reminders or information about treatment alternatives or other health-related benefits and services that may be of interest to you.

Any other uses and disclosures will be made only with your written authorization. You may revoke such authorization in writing and we are required to honor and abide by that written request, except to the extent that we have already taken actions relying on your authorization.

You have the following rights with respect to your protected health information, which you can exercise by presenting a written request to the Privacy Officer:

- The right to request restrictions on certain uses and disclosures of protected health information, including those related to disclosures to family members, other relatives, close personal friends, or any other person identified by you. We are, however, not required to agree to a requested restriction. If we do agree to a restriction, we must abide by it unless you agree in writing to remove it.
- The right to reasonable requests to receive confidential communications of protected health information from us by alternative means or at alternative locations.
- The right to inspect and copy your protected health information.
- The right to amend your protected health information.
- The right to receive an accounting of disclosures of protected health information.
- The right to obtain a paper copy of this notice from us upon request.

We are required by law to maintain the privacy of your protected health information and to provide you with notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to protected health information.

This notice is effective as of April 14, 2003 and we are required to abide by the terms of the Notice of Privacy Practices currently in effect. We reserve the right to change the terms of our Notice of Privacy Practices and to make the new notice provisions effective for all protected health information that we maintain. We will post and you may request a written copy of a revised Notice of Privacy Practices from this office.

You have recourse if you feel that your privacy protections have been violated. You have the right to file written complaint with our office, or with the Department of Health & Human Services, Office of Civil Rights, about violations of the provisions of this notice or the policies and procedures of our office. We will not retaliate against you for filing a complaint.

Please contact us for more information For more information about HIPAA Privacy Officer Contact
Information: Or to file a complaint:

Advanced Medical Care
Robin Davis, Privacy Officer
290 N. Rand Road, Suite A
Phone: (847) 438-4028
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PATIENT AUTHORIZATION AND RELEASE FORM

Billing Policy and Patient Responsibility

I hereby acknowledge that I am receiving/about to receive health care. I understand that payment for services rendered on my behalf is my sole responsibility.

I hereby authorize Advanced Medical Care, Inc. and its designated agents to:

- 1 Bill my insurer and receive payment directly for all services rendered on my behalf.
- 2 Bill me for any amounts not paid by my insurer, including co-payments, deductibles, and non-covered services. I understand that such co-payments, deductibles and non-covered services are determined by my insurer and my insurance policy and agree to be responsible for all existing balances.
- 3 Bill me directly for any services denied by my insurance for pre-existing conditions.
- 4 Bill me directly for any services not paid within sixty (60) days from date of service for
 - a) Workman's Compensation
 - b) Personal injury claim
 - c) Auto accident
 - d) Legal action, whether contemplated, pending or adjudicated

I agree that should this account become 60 past due I will pay all financial and collection charges including reasonable attorney charges.

Accepting Assignment: I understand that Advanced Medical Care, Inc will accept Assignment for all services provided.

Assignment is defined as the "reasonable and customary charge" for covered services. Reasonable and customary charges are established by the insurer (your insurance carrier) for the geographical area in which the service is provided. Advanced Medical Care, Inc. will accept the "assigned" value for all covered services.

Liability Release

I authorize access to all my insurance information and medical records necessary to billing the related health care services provided by Advanced Medical Care, Inc. I release Advanced Medical Care, Inc. and its agents from any and all liability claims or damages that may arise from disclosure of such information in the pursuit of payment.

I certify that I have read and have access to a copy of the patient release form. I certify that I understand the contents and my responsibilities.

Print Patient's Name _____

Signature of Patient/Representative

Date

Witness

Date



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Office and Financial Policies

We would like to thank you for choosing Advanced Medical Care as your medical provider. As one of our patients we would like to keep you informed of our current office and financial policies. We require that you read and sign this document prior to any treatment. Please keep this document for future reference.

No Insurance: Payment will be due at the time of service.

Insurance: Please bring your insurance card with you at the time of your appointment. All insurance companies with which we are contracted as in network providers require that all co-pays be paid prior to any services being rendered. The co-pay required cannot be waived by our practice, as it is a requirement placed on you by your insurance carrier.

You are responsible for any co-insurance, deductibles or non-covered services not paid by your insurance within the state's required time limitation for paying healthcare claims. You will receive a statement from our office indicating what your insurance has paid. Any balance remaining is due upon receipt.

POS: In order for our office to see you as a patient we will have to be listed with your insurance as your PCP. Your insurance carrier requires that you obtain a referral from your Primary Care Physician (PCP) before receiving services from a specialist. It is your responsibility to know your insurance requirements. Any services received without a referral or proper authorization will be your responsibility.

Auto Accident Injury: If your injury is due to an automobile accident, we request that you provide us with a copy of the police report, copy of your auto insurance, medical insurance, names and information of other parties involved, at the time of your appointment. You will be responsible for payment of this visit. It is your responsibility to send information resulting from this visit to your insurance company so that you can get reimbursed by them.

Worker's Compensation: If your injury is due to an accident in your work place, please be sure to contact your employer and inform them of your injury. We will need to receive required information from your employer before we can process any of your medical claims. Please have your employer contact our Billing person. Failure to properly report this injury to your employer may result in your claims being denied. Denied claims may become your responsibility.

Updating Records: You are responsible for keeping your information current in our office. This includes any address, telephone, work or insurance changes. We will continue to bill your insurance company for you as long as the information we receive is accurate and complete. In the event we receive the wrong information from you, any unpaid services provided will be your responsibility and you will have to process your own insurance claim.

"No Show" appointment: A charge of \$25.00 for regular appointments and \$50.00 for complete/surgical physicals will be added to your statement for not calling the office within 24 hours to cancel an appointment that you are unable to make.

Insurance requirement for preapproval of medication (this is not refills): \$20.00 Insurance requirement for preapproval of diagnostic testing: \$30.00

Insurance Appeal: A charge of \$25.00 will be added to your statement for insurance appeal for **denying** diagnostic testing and denying medication by your insurance company

Convenience Fees: The phone fees listed below are for patients that do not wish to come in for follow up visits from nurse only lab work or diagnostic imaging!!!!

Results of lab work and/or diagnostic testing must be given to a patient either by a follow up visit. E-mail or by a phone call.

Phone call from nurse for lab results during morning nurse visit: \$25.00/call (This fee will NOT be charged if labs are drawn during an office visit when a patient sees the doctor. This fee covers the time allotted for the above phone calls include: physician receiving the results, interpreting the results, comparing these results with past results, making a diagnostic decision and treatment plan, conveying this to the nurse and the nurse calling the patient to explain the results)

Phone call from nurse for diagnostic testing results: \$25.00/call (This fee will only be charged if patient does not want to come in for a follow up appointment with the doctor)

Phone call from doctor regarding lab: \$60.00/call (This fee will only be charged when a patient comes in to have his or her labs drawn with the nurse and does not want to follow up with the doctor but wishes to have the doctor call them. This fee covers the time allotted for the above phone call include: physician receiving the results, interpreting the results, comparing these results with past results, making a diagnostic decision and treatment plan, conveying this treatment plan to the patient)

Phone call from doctor regarding diagnostic test results: \$60.00/call (This fee will only be charged if a patient does not want to come in for a follow up appointment after the tests have been done and wishes the doctor to call them with the results. This fee covers the time allotted for the above phone call include: physician receiving the results, interpreting the results, comparing these results with past results, making a diagnostic decision and treatment plan, conveying this treatment plan to the patient)

Patients with frequent lab/diagnostic results may be interested in purchasing one of the next two packages:

8 calls from doctor for lab or diagnostic results for patient/family	\$360.00
8 calls from doctor for lab or diagnostic results for patient/family	\$360.00
E-mail correspondence from the nurse (no consultations)	\$20.00

Please know that we offer reviews of most lab and test results via phone as a convenience to you. If you wish to avoid paying the above-related fees, you are always welcome to make a follow-up appointment with Dr. Bianchi or Dr. Caccopola to review them in person. Please note that you will be responsible for your co-pay for these appointments.

Disability Forms, Letters and any other form: A charge of \$25.00 to \$50.00 for the completion of medical forms (charge is based upon number of pages and complexity of information requested). Payment is due at the time that you pick up the forms. Please allow 7 workdays for the completion of these forms. If you would like the forms to be mailed to you or the insurance company, payment will be due prior to us mailing them

X-Rays: All x-rays are the property of Advanced Medical Care LTD. You may sign out the original x-rays so that you may take them to a specialist for consultation. If the x-rays are not returned to our office within 14 days, a \$75.00 charge will be added to your statement. We will also provide you with a copy of the radiologists report when available.

Late Fees: A \$10.00 late fee per month will be applied to all balances 60 days past due.

Return Checks: A \$30.00 charge will be added to your account for any check returned by your bank for any reason.

Medical Records: As a courtesy we will send copies of medical records to another physician's office. Copies provided to the Patient for their own records will be subject to the current Illinois Record Copying Fees, as per Illinois law. You will need to sign a letter of release prior to any copies being made, as well as pay for the service in advance. Please allow 7 – 10 business days for us to copy your records.

Thank you for allowing us to service you.

Patient Signature _____

Date

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I, _____, give full consent to discuss my
medical history, labs, procedures, or any other medical related information
to: _____

(Relationship to above) _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

I give consent to Advanced Medical Care LTD to leave results of labs, X-
rays and other results on my cell phone or home phone answering machine.

Signature: _____

Date: _____