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Patient Information

_____ Alberta Personal Health Number (PHN) _____
 Name of Patient - please print PHN of Patient

Authorization for Release of Health Information

My health information can be released to:

 CanAssistance Inc. on behalf of Alberta Blue Cross

Name of insurance company, and where applicable, the name of a broker submitting on behalf of the insurance company, or third party who is not an insurer (e.g. junior hockey clubs, churches).

to permit Alberta Health for reimbursement of health benefits paid on my behalf for the cost of insured health services by the insurer or third party which I received outside of Alberta.

Authorization of Payment

I, _____ hereby assign to _____
 Name of Patient Name of Payee
 CanAssistance Inc.

any amounts payable to me by Alberta Health for out of country health benefits.

Effective Date

This consent is effective From _____ (Departure date)
 Date (yyyy-mm-dd)
 To _____ (at least 18 months from the earliest date of service to ensure sufficient time for processing). Please note: the submitter has up to 365 days from the date of medical service to submit a claim to Alberta Health.
 Date (yyyy-mm-dd)

Declaration

I, the patient, authorize disclosure of the following information for the purposes of Alberta Health to reimbursing health benefits paid on my behalf for the cost of insured health services received outside of Alberta, which may include the following: date(s) of service(s), type(s) of service(s) and reason(s) for service(s), amount(s) paid, name(s) of service provider(s), and where applicable, the facility name, and personal health number.

I also understand I have been asked to authorize disclosure of this information so as to permit Alberta Health to reimburse the identified insurance company, or third party who is not an insurer that has paid a medical service claim on my behalf, and I am aware of the risks and benefits of consenting, or refusing to consent to the disclosure. I further understand that this consent may be revoked by submitting such revocation to the Out-of-Country Claims Unit of Alberta Health.

I, certify that the information provided above on this form is true and correct.

_____ Please print name of person signing
 _____ Signature of person completing request (if 18 years of age and over)
 - or -
 _____ Signature of authorized representative (if person completing request is under 18 years of age or wholly dependent on the authorized representative by reason of mental or physical infirmity).

Please return this completed form to secondary insurance company.

If this document is being signed by someone other than the resident or the resident's parent, the individual signing must be a legal representative of the resident and must be accompanied by notarized copies of any legal documents that establish to the satisfaction of Alberta Health the individual's legal authorization to sign on behalf of the resident.

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