BUFFAL INFERTILITY & IVF ASSOCIATES

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PATIENT PERSONAL INFORMATION – ALL INFORMATION IS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL

Date:		ASSIGNMENT AND RELEASE	
Referred by:			
Patient Name:		Spouse/Partner's Name:	
Date of Birth:		Date of Birth:	
Marital Status:		Marital Status:	
Address:		Address:	
City:		City:	
Social Security Number:	•	Social Security Number:	
Employer:		Employer:	
Employer Address:		Employer Address:	
City:		City:	
Preferred contact number(s) (please rank order of preference)	OK to leave voicemail with medical results?	Preferred contact number(s) (please rank order of preference)	OK to leave voicemail with medical results?
Cell Phone:	□ Yes □ No	Cell Phone:	□ Yes □ No
Home Phone:	□ Yes □ No	Home Phone:	□ Yes □ No
Work Phone:	□ Yes □ No	Work Phone:	□ Yes □ No
In case of Emergency, please notify:		PREFERRED PHARMACY	
Name:		Name	
Phone #:		Phone #	
Relationship:			
		SECONDARY INSURAN	NCE / ADDITIONAL
INSURANCE INFORMA	ΓΙΟΝ – PRIMARY (SELF)	COVERAGE	
Plan Name:		Does patient have other health insur-	ance? □ Yes □ No
Policy Number:		If yes, name of policy holder:	
Group Number:		Plan Name:	
Effective Date of Insurance:		Policy Number:	
		Group Number:	
		Effective Date of Insurance:	
I, the undersigned, have insurance covera			
-		erwise payable to us for services rendered I under 35% collection costs and 50% attorney fees. 11	
• •		uthorize the use of this signature on all submission	•
Signature of Insured:		Date:	

I, the undersigned, request that payment of authorized Medicare benefits be made directly to Infertility & IVF Medical Associates of WNY for any services rendered to me. I authorize any medical information about me to be released to the Health Care Administration and its agents and to any other health insurance or on approved claim forms or electronically submitted claims. I understand my signature requests payments to be made. In Medicare assigned cases, Infertility & IVF Medical Associates of WNY agrees to accept Medicare charge determination and I am responsible only for the deductible, coinsurance and non-covered services. Co-insurance and deductible are based upon the charge determination of the Medicare carrier.

Beneficiary's Signature: Date:

MEDICAL				you had, any of the							
HISTORY											
	Current	Past	Never		Current	Past	Never		Current	Past	Never
Serious Head Injury				Abdominal Pain				Thyroid Disease			
Headaches				Indigestion				Diabetes			
Fainting Spells				Nausea / Vomiting				Endocrine Disorder			
Dizziness				Change in Bowel Habits				Night Sweats			
Convulsions / Epilepsy				Diarrhea				Fevers or Chills			
Ringing in Ears				Constipation				Hot Flushes			
Deafness				Hemorrhoids				Vaginal Dryness			
Glaucoma				Anal Fissures				Weight Change			
Eye Pain				Bloody Stools				Poor Appetite			
Disturbance of Vision				Peptic Ulcers				Excessive Weakness			
Nosebleeds				Appendicitis				Excessive Sweating			
Hoarseness				Gall Bladder Disease				Unwanted Hair Growth			
Sores in Mouth				Jaundice / Hepatitis				Unwanted Hair Loss			
Dentures				Mononucleosis							
Difficulty Swallowing				Hernia				Anemia			
								Blood Transfusion			
Sinusitis				Bladder Infection				Bleeding Disorder			
Asthma				Kidney Infection				Blood Disease			
Chronic Cough				Kidney Stones							
Pneumonia				Kidney Disease				Cancer			
Chest Pain				Blood in Urine				Lump(s) in Breast(s)			
Shortness of Breath				Pus in Urine				Lump(s) in Neck			
Tuberculosis				Sugar in Urine				Lump(s) in armpit/groin			
COPD				Up to Urinate at Night				Leg Cramps			
				Urgent Urination				Pain / Swelling of Feet			
High Blood Pressure								Varicose Veins			
High Cholesterol				Anxiety				Skin Sores			
Rapid / Irreg Heartbeat				Depression							
Heart Palpitations				Nervousness				Measles (Rubeola)			
Heart Murmur				Excessive Worry				Rubella			
Heart Disease				Nightmares				Mumps			
Rheumatic Fever				Thoughts of Suicide				Chicken Pox			

MEDICATIONS □ I do not take any medications			g prescription herbs	, over th	nc		
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FAMILY HISTORY Cancer Breast Ovarian	Yes	e you ents,	If Yes, Relation	Heart Disease High Blood Pressure High Cholesterol	ildren follo	No		Diabetes Endocrine Disorder			Relatio
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Do you exercise?							If Yes, please	e describe	
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Do you menstruate? Date that your last p	eriod began:		□ Yes	□ No					
Date that your previ		an:							
At what age did you	have your firs	t period?							
My periods are: Average number of	dave batwaan t	ariode:	□ Regular	□ Irregular					
Average number of					Mens	trual f	low is: □ So	ant □ Moderate □ H	eavy □ Excessive
Do you pass clots w	ith your period	ls?	□ Yes	□ No					
Do you have pain w			□ Yes	□ No					
Do you have pain do	_		□ Yes	□ No					
Have you ever misso or excessive bleedin		ork due to pain	\square Yes	\square No					
Do you have bleeding	C	ween	□ Yes	□ No					
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Do you have bleeding			□ Yes	□ No					
Have you ever used Have you ever been			□ Yes	□ No	What	kind(s)?		
	ary Syndrome		V	N					
Endometriosis	•	. ,	□ Yes □ Yes	□ No □ No					
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Ovarian Cyst(s) smitted Infecti	0.00	□ Yes □ Yes	□ No □ No					
	natory Disease		□ Yes	□ No					
Have you ever had a			□ Yes	□ No	Date	of last			
SEXUAL HISTO	RY								
	. 0				Yes	No			
Are you sexually act	ive?								
Is your partner male	?								
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Have you used over			ime intercours	se?					
Do you use lubrican	ts during intere	course?					If Yes, what	types	

SYSTEMIC REVIEW								
WEIGHT	MAXIMUM WEIGHT _	MINIMUM	WEIGHT					
HEIGHT								
Do / have you participated ir	any significant dietary changes over th	e past 3 years?						
Do/ have you participated in	any exercise programs over the past 3 y	rears?						
If so please document exerci	If so please document exercise Type Hours per week							
Type	Hours per week	*T	he effect of being overweight on					
fertility therapies have been	well documented.							
*Please speak with your phy	sician regarding weight loss attempts ar	nd ideal weight range for your he	eight					
*Obesity does not usually ca both you & fetus	use infertility but it may have a signific	ant impact on treatment response	es & may have multiple negative effects					
THNICITY * Data will be use	d for genetic testing recommendation pu	ırposes						
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□ Caucasian □ Hispanic □	Asian	disease	disorder bifidal /anencephaly Genetic / inherited disorder Baby with birth defects Infertility Mental illness					

Genetic Screening:		
		eening. Cystic Fibrosis is a pulmonary disease affecting children on your ethnic background. You may be offered additional
African American □ Yes □ No	Ashkenazi Jewish	□ No
Mediterranean / Asian / French Canadi	an Yes No	
If you answered YES to any of these, please If you have any specific genetic concerns and		o that the additional genetic screening can be offered to you. he physician know.
HISTORY OF FERTILITY THERAPY	(Fill out if applicable)	
Have you been treated for infertility previously	? □ YES □ NO	
If yes, who was your physician?		
What cause of infertility was diagnosed?		
What drugs have you taken for infertility? Plea	se check all that apply:	
□ Clomid (Serophene)	□ hCG Profasi	□ Antibiotics
□ Gonal F	□ Progesterone	□ baby Aspirin
□ Follistim	□ Lupron	
□ Repronex	□ Microdose Lupron	□ Steroids
□ Pergonal	□ Antagon	□ Oral Contraceptives
□ Fertinex	□ Parlodel	□ Other
Which of the following tests have you or your	partner had performed? Please check all	that apply and results, if known:
□ Hysterosalpingogram	When/	Results
□ Sonohysterogram	When/	Results
☐ Laparoscopy, Hysteroscopy		
	When/	Results
☐ Thyroid tests	When/	Results
□ Chromosomes	When/	Results
☐ Genetic Screening	When/	Results
Have you ever undergone Artificial Inseminati	on (IUI) or In Vitro Fertilization (IVF)?	□ YES □ NO

If yes, \Box partner \Box donor sperm #IUI's ____ #IVF cycle ____

Patient's Signature	Date	_
ratient's Signature	Date	
confirm that I have reviewed the above information		
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Physician's Signature	Date	
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MALE HIS	TODY FORM	

Date of Birth: ___

_ Age: ___

Name: _

MEDICAL HISTORY				you had, any of the							
	Current	Past	Never		Current	Past	Never		Current	Past	Never
Cancer				Tuberculosis				Serious injury / accident			
Diabetes				Hepatitis / liver disorder				Blood transfusion			
Hypertension				Gall bladder problems				Psychiatric disorder			
High Cholesterol				Ulcers				Seizures			
Heart Disease				Colitis / enteritis				Stroke			
Rheumatic Fever				Kidney Disorder				Blood clots			
Scarlet Fever				Rubella				Anemia			
Mitral valve prolapse				Multiple sclerosis				Bleeding disorder			
Asthma				Mumps				Thyroid disorder			
Pneumonia				Prostatic infections				Recent immunization			
Bronchitis				Urinary infections							
☐ I do not take any m			ications,	Dose How Often	4	nter, vit			Dose	How	v Often
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		llergies	to medi	cations, foods, or latex							
☐ I have no known all	_			Describer							
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SURGICAL HISTO	DRY Ple	ease list	all previ	ious surgical procedures							
☐ I have never had su MM/YYYY 1			gical Pro	ocedure	Hos	spital		Surgeon	Compl	ications	
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FAMILY HIS	TORY			parents, siblings, or ch	nildren						
	Ye	s No	If Yes, Relation		Yes	No	If Yes, Relation		Yes	No	If Yes, Relation
Cancer				Heart Disease				Thyroid Disease			
Breast				High Blood Pressure				Diabetes			
Ovarian				High Cholesterol				Endocrine Disorder			
Infertility				Kidney Disease				Blood Disease			
Recurrent Misca				Kidney Stones				Muscular Disorders			
Early Menopaus				Epilepsy				Neurologic Disorders			
Endometriosis				Anxiety / Depression				Glaucoma			
Fibroids				Mental Illness				Lung Disease			
PCOS				Suicide				Tuberculosis			
1000				Suitage				Tuo er uro er			
SOCIAL HIS	TORY				Yes	No					
Do you smoke?							If Yes, how i	nuch?			
Do you use alcol	hol?						If Yes, how i	nuch?			
Do you use recre	eational drugs?	(ex. mari	juana, coca	ine, heroin, etc)			If Yes, please	e describe			
Do you use caffe	eine? (ex. coffee	e, tea, so	da,etc)				If Yes, please	e describe			
Do you exercise	?						If Yes, please	e describe			
I have never ini	PREGNANCY HISTORY (that you have been responsible for) I have never initiated a pregnancy										
Date	Miscarriage?		lective	Months to	Infertili	•	Weight a	nd Comp	lication	ıs?	
MM/YY		Ab	ortion?	Conceive?	Treatme	nt?	Sex?				
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Have you been to If yes, who w What cause of What medication	reated for infert as your physici infertility was as have you take	ility prev an? diagnos en for inf	riously?								
		e you or		er had performed? Pleas		that a					
□ Semen A	analysis			When/			F	Results			
□ Chromos	somes			When/			F	Results			
□ Genetic	screening When	n /	/	Results				□ Other			
□ Genetic screening When/ Results											
UROLOGIC HI	ISTORY (if app	olicable)									
Have you been ev	valuated by an i	ırologist	? □ Yes	□ No							
Are you able to ejaculate inside your partner's vagina? Ves No											
Do you have retro	ograde ejaculati	on of sp	erm into the	e bladder? □ Yes	□ No						

Have you had any of the following so	exually transmitted disease or severe te	sticular pain?						
☐ Yes (check all that apply)	□ No							
□ Chlamydia – date	□ Gonorrhea – date □	Herpes – date	ital Warts / HPV – date					
□ Syphilis – date	$\ \ \Box \ \ HIV/AIDS-date ____ \ \ \Box$	Hepatitis – date	er					
Have you had a history of undescend	led testicles? Yes One side	Roth □ No						
Have you ever had torsion / twisting of the testicles? Yes No								
Did you have mumps after puberty? □ Yes □ No Have you had injury to your testicles requiring an ER visit or hospitalization? □ Yes □ No								
		1! 1 es No						
Have you had a fever (>101'F) in the								
Have you had a vasectomy? □ Y								
	my reversal? Yes – date	_ □ No						
Have you had varicocele surgery?								
Have you had hernia surgery? □								
Have you had other surgery to the sc		No						
Are you exposed to prolonged heat in	n the workplace? Yes No)						
Are you exposed to harmful chemica	als or fumes in the workplace? \Box Yes	es □ No						
Do you use hot tubs regularly?	□ Yes □ No							
Have any of your immediate family i	members had difficulty conceiving a ch	ild? □ Yes □ No						
ETHNICITY * Data will be used	for genetic testing recommendation pur	rposes						
□ Caucasian □ Hispanic □ .	Asian □ African American □ Othe	r						
Do you or anyone in either famil	y have?							
☐ Neural tube defects /spina	□ Cystic fibrosis□ Tay- Sachs d□ Muscular dystrophy	isease Chromosomal disord Sickle Cell disease or trait	er bifidal /anencephaly Genetic / inherited disorder					
□ Thalassemia	☐ Huntington chorea	□ Hemophilia	□ Baby with birth defects					
□ Down Syndrome	$ \ \ \Box \ Mental \ retardation/ \ fragile \ X$	□Hormonal disorder	□ Infertility					
□ Hydrocephalus	□ Epilepsy or seizures	□ Kidney Disease	□ Mental illness					
□ Stillbirth	□ Phenylketonuria	□ Neurofibromatosis	□ Myotonic dystrophy					
□ 3 or more miscarriages	□ Diabetes							
□ Any birth defects?	□ Any inherited disorders?							
Please explain a "Yes" answer to any	y of the above							

Genetic Screening:	
It is recommended that all couples attempting conception be offered cystiand the most common genetic disease. The effectiveness of the test varies creening based on you ethnicity. Are you:	cic fibrosis screening. Cystic Fibrosis is a pulmonary disease affecting childreness dependent on your ethnic background. You may be offered additional
African American Yes No Ashkenazi Jewish	□ Yes □ No
Mediterranean / Asian / French Canadian Ves No	
If you answered YES to any of these, please let your physician know a lift you have any specific genetic concerns and desire to see a geneticist	at the visit, so that the additional genetic screening can be offered to you. t, please let the physician know.
Partner's Signature	Date
I confirm that I have reviewed the above information	
Physician's Signature	 Date



Notice of Privacy Practices

PURPOSE:

This notice describes how your medical information may be used, disclosed and how you can have access to this information. Please review carefully.

This notice takes effect January 1, 2003 and remains in effect until we replace it.

1. OUR PLEDGE REGARDING MEDICAL INFORMATION

The privacy of your medical information is important to us. We understand that your medical information is personal and we are committed to protecting it. We create a record of the care and services you receive at our organization. We need this record to provide you with quality care and to comply with certain legal requirements. This notice will tell you about the ways we may use and share medical information about you. We also describe your rights and certain duties we have regarding the use and disclosure of medical information.

2. OUR LEGAL DUTY

Law requires us to:

- Keep your medical information private
- Give you this notice describing our legal duties, privacy practices, and your rights regarding your medical information
- Follow the terms of the notice that is now in effect We have the right to:
- Change the privacy practices and the terms of this notice at any time, provided that the changes are permitted by law
- Make the changes in our privacy practices and the new terms of our notice effective for all medical information that we keep , including information previously created or received before the changes

Notice of change to privacy practices:

• Before we make an important change in our privacy practices, we will change this notice and make the new notice available upon request

3. USE AND DISCLOSURE OF YOUR MEDICAL INFORMATION

The following section describes different ways that we use and disclose medical information. For each kind of use or disclosure, we will explain that we mean and give an example. Not every use or disclosure will be listed. However, we have listed all of the different ways we are permitted to use and disclose medical information. We will not use or disclose your medical information for any purpose not listed below, without your specific written authorization. Any specific written authorization you provide may be revoked at any time by writing to us.

For Treatment:

We may use medical information about you to provide you with medical treatment or services. We may disclose medical information about you to doctors, nurses, technicians, medical students or other people who are taking care of you.

We may also share medical information about you to your other health care providers to assist them in treating you.

We may disclose your medical information for payment purposes.

For Health Care Operations:

We may use and disclose your medical information for our health care operations. This might include measuring and improving quality, evaluating the performance of employees, conducting training programs, and getting the accreditation, certificates, licenses and credentials we need to serve you.

Additional Uses and Disclosures:

In addition to using and disclosing your medical information for treatment, payment, and health care operations, we may use and disclose medical information for the following purposes.

<u>Disaster Relief:</u> Medical information with a public or private organization or person who can legally assist in disaster relief efforts.

Specialized Government Functions: Subject to certain requirements, we may disclose or use health information for military personnel and veterans, for national security and intelligence activities, for protective services for the President and others, for medical suitability determinations for the Department of State, for correctional institutions and other law enforcement custodial situations, and for government programs providing public benefits.

Court Orders and Judicial and Administrative Proceedings: We may disclose medical information in response to a court or administrative order, subpoena, discovery request, or other lawful process, under certain circumstances. Under limited circumstances, such as a court order, warrant, or grand jury subpoena, we may share your medical information with law enforcement officials. We may share limited information with a law enforcement official concerning the medical information of a suspect, fugitive, material witness, crime victim, or missing person. We may share the medical information of an inmate or other person in lawful custody with a law enforcement official or correctional institution under certain circumstances.

Public Health Activities: As required by law, we may disclose your medical information to public health or legal authorities charged with preventing or controlling disease, injury or disability, including child abuse or neglect. We may also disclose your medical information to persons subject to jurisdiction of the Food and Drug Administration for purposes of reporting adverse events associated with product defects or problems, to enable product recalls, repairs or replacements, to track products, or to conduct activates required by the Food and Drug Administration. We may also, when we are authorized by law to do so, notify a person who may been exposed to a communicable disease or otherwise be a risk of contracting or spreading a disease or condition.

<u>Victims of Abuse, Neglect, or Domestic Violence:</u> We may disclose medical information to appropriate authorities if we reasonably believe that you are a possible victim of abuse, neglect, domestic violence or the possible victim of other crimes. We may share your medical information if it is necessary to prevent a serious threat to your health or safety or the health or safety of others. We may share medical information when necessary to help law enforcement officials capture a person who has admitted to being part of a crime or has escaped from legal custody.

<u>Health Oversight Activities:</u> We may disclose information to an agency providing health oversight for activities authorized by law, including audits, civil, administrative, or criminal investigations or proceedings, inspections, licensure or disciplinary actions, or other authorized activities.

<u>Law Enforcement:</u> Under certain circumstances, we may disclose health information to law enforcement officials. These circumstances include reported by certain laws (such as the reporting of certain types of wounds), pursuant to certain subpoenas or court orders, reporting limited information concerning identification and location at the request of a law enforcement official, reports regarding suspected victims of crimes at the request of a law enforcement official, reporting death, crimes on our premises, and crimes in emergencies.

4. YOUR INDIVIDUAL RIGHTS

You have the right to:

- 1. Look at or get copies of your medical information. You may request that we provide copied in a format other than photocopies. We will use the format you request unless it is not practical for us to do so. You must make your request in writing. You may get the form to request access by using the contact information listed at the end of this notice. You may also request access by sending a letter to the contact person listed at the end of this notice. You may also request access by sending a letter to the contact person listed at the end of this notice. If you request copies, we will charge you \$.75 for each page, and postage if you want the copies mailed to you. Contact us using the information listed at the end of this notice for a full explanation of our fee structure.
- 2. Receive a list of all the times we or our business associates shared your medical information for purposes other than treatment, payment, and health care operations and other specified exceptions.
- 3. Request that we place additional restrictions on our use of disclosure of your medical information. We are not required to agree to these additional restrictions, but if we do, we will abide by our agreement (except in case of emergency).
- 4. Request that we communicate with you about your medical information by different means or to different locations. You request that we communicate your medical information to you by different means or at different locations must be made in writing to contact the person listed at the end of this notice.
- 5. Request that we change medical information. We may deny your request if we did not create the information you want changed or for certain other reasons. If we deny your request, we will provide you a written explanation. You may respond with a statement of disagreement that will be added to the information you wanted changed. If we accept your request to change the information, we will make reasonable efforts to tell others, including people you name, of the change and to include the changes in any future sharing of that information.

6. If you have received this notice electronically, and wish to receive a paper copy, you have the right to obtain a paper copy by making a request in writing to the contact person listed at eh end of this notice.

We may leave messages at the phone numbers & addresses that are on file, as provided by you. It is your responsibility to notify us of any changes.

QUESTIONS AND COMPLAINTS

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS NOTICE, PLEASE CONTACT:

Colleen Savage, Office Manager (716) 839-3057

If you think that we may have violated your privacy rights, contact the person above. You may also submit a written complaint to the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. We will provide you with the address to file your complaint to the U.S. Department of health and Human Services. We will not retaliate in any way if you choose to file a complaint.

Phone numbers:



Notice of Privacy Practices

Buffalo Infertility & IVF Associates may leave messages at the phone numbers listed below & use the address that is on file.

It is the patient's responsibility to notify Buffalo IVF & Infertility of any changes.

Home:	
Cell:	
Work:	
Other:	
E-Mail:	
Acknowledgement Form	
11	e Notice of Privacy Practices that is posted on
BuffaloIVF.com or have requested a co	opy to review.
Name:	Date of Birth:
Signature:	
Date:	