

# EverCare Medical Associates

## **NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**

I understand that, under the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPPA). 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 quality assessments and physician certifications.

I have received, read and understand your Notice of Privacy Practices containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of health information. I understand that this organization has the right to change its Notice of Privacy Practices 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 Private 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 you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree than you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date:\_\_\_\_\_

### **OFFICE USE ONLY**

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