

# FOOTHILLS NEPHROLOGY, PC –PATIENT'S INFORMATION

Patient Name (Last, First, MI):		Home Telephone ( )		Cell Phone ( )		Social Security Number:	
Mailing Address:				Primary Care Physician's Name:			
				Referring Physician's Name:			
City		State		Zip		DOB:	Sex <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F
Employer Name and Address:				Employment Status		Patient Student Status	
Phone number: ( )				<input type="checkbox"/> Full time <input type="checkbox"/> Part Time <input type="checkbox"/> Retired <input type="checkbox"/> Not Employed		<input type="checkbox"/> Full Time <input type="checkbox"/> Part Time <input type="checkbox"/> Not a Student	
Marital Status		Emergency Contact					
<input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Divorced <input type="checkbox"/> Separated <input type="checkbox"/> Widowed		Phone Number: ( )					
		Name & Relationship: _____					
Required for Reporting Purposes: PLEASE CHECK ONE OF EACH							
Gender Identity: _____ Male _____ Female _____ Other (Please specify) _____							
Ethnicity: <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Non Hispanic or Latino <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to Specify							
Race: <input type="checkbox"/> American Indian or Alaska Native <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> White <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Decline to Specify							
<b>PHARMACY:</b>							
<b>Responsible Party For Billing (if patient is a minor)</b>							
Responsible Party Name:		Home Telephone ( )		Cell Phone ( )		Social Security Number:	
Mailing Address:				City		State	Zip
Patient Relationship to Responsible Party		DOB:		Employer Name & Address:			
<input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____				Phone number: ( )			
<b>Primary Insurance</b>							
Subscriber Name		DOB		Patient Relationship			
				<input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____			
Insurance Carrier		Group Number	Policy ID Number		Does your insurance require a referral to see a specialist?		
					<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
<b>Secondary Insurance</b>							
Subscriber Name		DOB		Patient Relationship			
				<input type="checkbox"/> Self <input type="checkbox"/> Spouse <input type="checkbox"/> Child <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____			
Insurance Carrier		Group Number	Policy ID #		Does your insurance require a referral to see a specialist? ___yes ___no		

**Consent to Treat and Insurance Assignment and Release:** I Authorize Foothills Nephrology, PC to render necessary treatment to the above named patient. I authorize direct payment to Foothills Nephrology, PC of any insurance benefits otherwise payable to, on, or behalf of the patient for all medical services. It is understood that I am financially responsible for the charges not covered by this assignment. Authorization is also given to release any and all medical information to the insurance companies involved to allow them to process any claims for all services rendered.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient/Parent/Guardian Signature    Relationship of other than patient    Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**AUTHORIZATION - COMPOUND**

This authorization permits **FOOTHILLS NEPHROLOGY, 126 Dillon Drive, Spartanburg, SC 29307** to use or disclose protected health information listed in the Description section below to the Entity or Person listed in the Receiving Entity section for the following patient:

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

May we discuss your medical condition/billing/financial with other person(s)  yes  no

If the answer is yes, please list below:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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This practice will verify the identity of any person/entity requesting protected health information. In order to release any protected information the patient and the above listed must present a password each time. Please list the password below and make sure you give to your names listed above:

Password: \_\_\_\_\_

**DUE TO GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS PLEASE PROVIDE ALL METHODS OF COMMUNICATION..**

**HOME/CELL PHONE** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAY WE LEAVE A MESSAGE IN REFERENCE TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_**

Appointment time \_\_\_\_\_ Results of lab test or x-rays \_\_\_\_\_ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**EMAIL:** \_\_\_\_\_

**MAY WE SEND A SECURE MESSAGE IN REFERENCE TO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING? YES \_\_\_ NO \_\_\_**

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**Purpose**

The purpose of this authorization is to meet the patient's request for information disclosures and uses.

**Expiration dates or event:** This authorization shall be enforce until revoked by the patient or \_\_\_\_\_.

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**Rights of the Patient**

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I understand that I have the right to revoke this authorization at any time by sending a written notification to the address listed at the top of this form. I understand that a revocation is not effective in cases where the information has already been used or disclosed but will be effective going forward.

I understand that information used or disclosed as a result of this authorization may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected by federal or state law.

**I CERTIFY THAT YOU MAY USE ALL OF THE ABOVE LISTED METHODS OF COMMUNICATION TO CONTACT ME AND THAT ALL PREVIOUS COMPOUND AUTHORIZATIONS WILL BE REVOKED FROM THIS DATE:**

\_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Patient or Personal Representative (as defined by HIPAA)**

Description of Personal Representative's Authority (attach necessary documentation)

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Office Use Only:

Receiving Employee: \_\_\_\_\_ Date received: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ copy given to patient

**Acknowledgement of Receipt of  
Notice of Privacy Practices  
For**

**FOOTHILLS NEPHROLOGY**  
126 DILLON DRIVE  
SPARTANBURG, SC 29207

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**Signature: Patient's Name / Personal Representative (as defined by HIPAA)**

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**Description of Personal Representation and please attach copy of documentation.**

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Employee preparing document signature:

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

## FINANCIAL POLICY OF FOOTHILLS NEPHROLOGY, PC

Please read all information and acknowledge by signing below.

1. We ask that you present your insurance card and picture ID at the time of your initial visit and/or if needed at follow-up visit. It is your responsibility to provide us with the correct information to bill your insurance.
2. If you have a change of name, address and/or telephone number, please notify the receptionist.
3. We will collect your estimated deductible, co-payment, coinsurance, and/or non-covered services/supplies at the time of service. Each year, you will be expected to pay the allowed amount until your deductible is met. If you have a balance after your insurance(s) have paid you will be expected to pay that amount. If your insurance denies all or part of our charge, you will be billed for that amount.
4. Patients with no insurance are expected to pay in full at the time of service unless other arrangements have been made prior to date of service.
5. We are participating providers with most major insurance companies, and will bill accordingly for all covered charges.
6. You are expected to pay your balance in full within 30 days or call our billing department to establish a payment plan.
7. We accept Cash, Most Credit Cards. There is a \$45.00 returned check fee.
8. When an appointment is scheduled, time is especially allocated for you. We understand that there may be times when you are unable to keep an appointment, however, we ask the courtesy of a phone call to cancel your appointment. Please give us a 24 hour notice of cancellation. Foothills Nephrology reserves the right to charge a \$35.00 fee for missed appointments and no shows.

If you have questions or concerns regarding our financial policy, please contact our office at 864-327-1212.

I have read the above and a full understanding of the financial policy of Foothills Nephrology. I understand that is of courtesy that Foothills Nephrology is filing my insurance and that any charges or money incurred are only estimated and whether or not my insurance pays, I will be responsible for the balance.

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