Authorization For AHCCCS To Disclose Psychotherapy Notes

(For use by AHCCCS members who want AHCCCS to disclose their psychotherapy notes to another person/entity)

Name:	AHCCCS ID Number or ACN:
Date of Request:	Date of Birth:

I give my permission for AHCCCS to give copies of my psychotherapy notes or provide information found in my psychotherapy notes to:

Name and Address:

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Name and Address:

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(If you need more space, please attach an additional sheet)

Please choose one of the following:

☐ This disclosure is being made at my request and I choose not to state the reasons for permitting AHCCCS to disclose this information.

☐ I specifically authorize AHCCCS to disclose this information for the following purpose(s):

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If the information being disclosed is substance abuse information, please fill out this box:

NOTE: FEDERAL REGULATIONS REQUIRE A DESCRIPTION OF THE REASONS FOR DISCLOSING SUBSTANCE ABUSE INFORMATION.

☐ I specifically authorize AHCCCS to disclose psychotherapy notes from any federally-assisted substance abuse program for the following purpose(s):

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By signing this Authorization, I understand that:

- If the person or entity receiving the information is not a health care provider or health plan covered by federal privacy regulations, the information described above may be disclosed again by that person or entity, and your information will no longer be protected by the regulations. However, the Federal Substance Abuse Confidentiality Requirements may prohibit any further disclosure.

- I may refuse to sign this authorization, and my refusal will not affect my eligibility for benefits.

- I may inspect or copy any information to be disclosed under this authorization.

- I may **revoke** this authorization, in writing, at any time, by completing an AHCCCS "Revocation of Authorization" form, and sending it to:

  Arizona Health Care Cost Containment System
  Office of Legal Assistance
  Attention: Privacy Officer
  701 E. Jefferson, MD 6200
  Phoenix, AZ 85034
  Phone 602-417-4232
  Fax 1-602-253-9115

Once AHCCCS receives the revocation, this authorization will be revoked, except to the extent that AHCCCS has already taken action in reliance upon this authorization.

Please choose one of the following:

This authorization will expire on:

☐ Insert specific date: _____

☐ Insert specific event: _____

Member or Member's Representative

Signature:	Date:
Name of Member or Member Representative	Representative's Relationship to Member
For AHCCCS use only: Received by _____	Date of Receipt _____