



**Authorization to release Protected Health Information in accordance with HIPAA law.**

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

Current Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

1. I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize Sacramento Ear, Nose, & Throat and/or S.E.N.T. Hearing Aid Center and their authorized agents to disclose the above named individual's health information as described below. **Please clearly circle what portion(s) of your medical records you are requesting below.**

Office Notes	Procedure Notes	Labs
Imaging	Audiology	ALL
Allergy	Other _____	

2. This information may be disclosed and used by the following individual or organization.

3. I request a copy of \_\_\_\_\_  
Be sent to the above named party via **(circle one)**:

**Electronic      CD      FAX# \_\_\_\_\_      Mail      Pt. Pick Up**

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

4. I understand that I have a right to revoke this authorization at any time. I understand that if I revoke this authorization, I must do so in writing and send it to Sacramento Ear, Nose & Throat, Medical Records Department, 1111 Exposition Blvd., Suite 700, Sacramento, CA 95815-4335. I understand that the revocation **will not** apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization. Unless otherwise revoked, this authorization will expire on the following date, event, or condition: \_\_\_\_\_ . If I fail to specify an expiration date, event, or condition, this authorization will expire in 6 months.
5. I understand that authorizing the disclosure of this information is voluntary. I can refuse to sign this authorization. I need not sign this form in order to ensure treatment.
6. I understand that any disclosure of information carries with it the potential for an unauthorized re-disclosure and the information may not be protected by federal privacy regulations in accordance with 45 CFR 164.524. If I have questions about disclosure of my health information, I can contact Sacramento Ear, Nose & Throat, 1111 Exposition Blvd., Suite 700, Sacramento, CA 95815-4335.

**Patient Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**FREE** From our office to another physician's office via electronic messaging  
**FREE** From our office to the patient via electronic messaging  
**\$15** From our office to the patient via CD  
**\$15 + \$0.25/ page** From our office to patient via paper record

**OFFICE USE**

**Date Executed** \_\_\_\_\_

**Records**     ELEC     CD  
 FAX     MAIL     PT PU

**FEE:** \$15 + \$0.25 x \_\_\_\_\_ pg

**TOTAL:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Pursuant to 123110 (b) of California Health and Safety Code, healthcare providers are entitled to charge a fee to defray the cost of copying patient records, at the discretion of the practice. Our costs to copy records are as follows.**