



# Authorization to Release/Obtain Protected Health Information

## Client Information

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_ - \_\_\_ - \_\_\_ Primary Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

## Recipient Information

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby authorize ***Love & Laughter***, to (circle all applicable) release/obtain a copy of my mental health information to the person or facility below.

Name of person/facility to receive medical information: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

Date Authorization is to begin (today's date): \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

**Authorization to expire exactly one year after date of authorization.**

## Information to be Shared

- My entire mental health record
- Authorization for Psychotherapy Notes ONLY
- Mental Health Assessments
- Only those portions pertaining to: \_\_\_\_\_

## Purpose of Information Release (circle all that apply)

Further mental health care

Payment of insurance claim

Legal investigation

Applying for insurance

Vocational rehab evaluation

Disability determination

Individual request

Job performance evaluation

Other (specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Authorization and Signature

I authorize the release of my confidential protected health information, as described in my directions above. I understand that this authorization is voluntary, that the information to be disclosed is protected by law, and the use/disclosure is to be made to conform to my directions. The information that is used and/or disclosed pursuant to this authorization may be re-disclosed by the recipient unless the recipient is covered by state laws that limit the use and/or disclosure of my confidential protected health information.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

*If signed by a personal representative:*

(a) Print your name: \_\_\_\_\_

(b) Indicate your relationship to the client and/or reason and legal authority for signing:

Client is:

Minor                      Legally                      Disabled                      Deceased

Your Legal authority:

Parent/ Legal Guardian                      Representative of Deceased