



BROWN DERMATOLOGY
BROWN PHYSICIANS, INC.

Please complete this form in its entirety

AUTHORIZATION to RELEASE MEDICAL RECORD INFORMATION

Patient Name:	Date of Birth:
Address:	
City/State/Zip:	

I hereby authorize my medical record **and all healthcare information** including alcohol and/or drug abuse, HIV testing, behavioral health, genetics testing, sexual and/or domestic abuse and venereal disease to be:

RELEASED TO:

OBTAINED FROM:

Name:		Name:	
Address:		Address:	
City/State/Zip:		City/State/Zip:	
Phone:		Phone:	
Fax:		Fax:	
Information to be Released:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Records	<input type="checkbox"/> Treatment dates from _____ to _____	
		<input type="checkbox"/> Other:	
For what purpose?	<input type="checkbox"/> Transfer out of BDerm*	<input type="checkbox"/> Insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> Legal
	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuity of Care	<input type="checkbox"/> Other	
Medical Record Delivery:	<input type="checkbox"/> US mail <input type="checkbox"/> Fax	<input type="checkbox"/> Patient will pick up: 110 Elm St. Providence, RI 02903	

* If the medical record is being copied for a provider who is **not a member of Brown Dermatology (or for any other purpose)** there is a small copying fee. ***Please review and complete the reverse side of this form for fees.***

Medical information is protected under Federal law and Rhode Island General law 5_37.3 and, except as provided by law, cannot be disclosed without written consent. Information released with authorization will not be given, sold, transferred, or in any way relayed to any other person not specified above.

This AUTHORIZATION will expire one (1) year from the date signed and may be withdrawn at any future time and is subject to revocation with written notice to Brown Dermatology.

Signature of Patient or Authorized Representative

Date

Signature of Parent/Legal Guardian
(If patient under 18)

Date

***All questions and special requests may be directed to: Brown Dermatology Medical Records, 110 Elm St. Providence, RI 02903; phone (401) 572-3760 X4977. Fax: (401) 383-7090. Email: Med.HIM@brownphysicians.org**

The information released may be re-disclosed by the receiving institution or individual to other individuals or organizations that are not subject to privacy protection laws. Brown Dermatology will not condition treatment on payment of the provision of this authorization.



Patient Record Reproduction Fee Approval Form

Medical records and medical bills may be requested by the patient and/or the patient's personal representative. All medical record requests shall be made in writing through a properly executed Authorization for Release of Medical Record Information form. Reimbursement to the physician for providing a copy of medical records from electronic to paper format will be a flat fee of \$15.00 per record based on an average cost per record calculation. The fee for transmitting records in electronic format, if possible, will be a flat fee of \$6.50 per record. A special handling fee of an additional \$20.00 may be charged if the records must be delivered to the patient or authorized representative within forty-eight (48) hours of the request.

Fees for providing copies to attorneys and/or authorized third parties are in accordance with **RI Code of Regulations R5-37-MD/DO: Rules & Regulations Pertaining to Licensure and Discipline of Physicians 11.2 (d)**

The healthcare provider shall ensure that the copies are transmitted (mailed) within 30 days after receiving a valid written request. An additional 30 days is permitted under federal regulations if an explanation is provided regarding the reason for the delay.

Fee Schedule *(check off all selections that apply)*

It is the goal of Brown Dermatology to provide our patients various options based on level of need. Based on that principle, please review the following fee schedule:

- Paper copies of record: \$15.00 flat fee per record.
- Electronic Copy (not including fax delivery): \$ 6.50 flat fee per record. *(Please Note: Not all offices accept electronic records, please check with your provider before requesting this option.)*
- Expedited Records: There is a special handling fee of \$20.00 for records required in **less than 48 hours**. *In some instances, this turn-around time may not be feasible.*

Please indicate selection(s) above and remit payment with the completed form to:

Brown Dermatology, 110 Elm Street, Providence, RI 02903.
ATTN: Medical Records.

Please be advised that we accept checks, VISA, MasterCard and American Express.

Parent or Guardian if patient is a minor:	
Patient Printed Name:	Date of Birth:
Address:	Phone:
City/State/Zip:	Patient Signature:
Email Address for Electronic Copies:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Bill my credit card	
<input type="checkbox"/> Card type/number: Exp. Date:	
<input type="checkbox"/> Check Enclosed (Payable to Brown Dermatology)	



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