

Welcome to our Compass Health Systems Family! Thank you for choosing us for your behavioral, medical, and wellness needs. Our mission is to provide the best possible patient care to every patient and help you reach your goals through our comprehensive services.

Before your first visit to Compass Health Systems (CHS), it is important you complete our New Patient Packet. This will allow us to expedite your first visit and inform you of all the services we provide.

Our clinical staff at Compass believe in a team oriented approach to your wellness plan, including integrated services, such as pharmacy, laboratory, specialists, and primary care physicians. MedzDirect, our pharmacy, provides your medication accurately, timely, and with provider oversight while providing special services such as free next day delivery. In addition, we have clinical research studies at Segal Institute for Clinical Research, providing you with additional care options. These added specialized services CHS offers allows us to give you the best personalized care possible.

We want you to enjoy your experience with CHS. To achieve this goal, we also offer a specialized patient portal (web), as well as Healow (app), which allow you to request appointments, make changes to your appointments, and view all information that pertains to your wellness plan. Please be advised along with this welcome email, you should also receive an email with instructions to log into our online patient portal, as well as another email with instructions to download the healow app. If you do not receive these emails, please check your Junk/Spam email folders and look for emails from "no-reply@eclinicalworks.com" or "Compass Health Systems". If you do not see these emails, please contact us to have them resent.

In addition, our most updated business hours and locations are located on our website, <a href="https://www.compasshealthsystems.com">www.compasshealthsystems.com</a>, or you can give us a call at (888) 85-COMPASS.

From all of us here at CHS, we thank you for choosing us as your solution for all your wellness needs. We look forward to seeing you for your first appointment!

Best Regards,

Dr. Scott Segal and the Compass Health Systems Family





## **Instructions for Completing your New Patient Packet**

We want to make your first appointment as quick and as simple as possible. Our New Patient Packet can be easily filled out electronically. This will allow you to check-in for your first appointment with all the necessary paperwork already completed.

- 1) Complete all <u>required</u> sections, and as many additional sections as possible.
  - \*Please note that many of the information fields are auto-fill. For example, if you fill in your name in the first field, it will automatically fill in your name throughout the rest of the packet.
- 2) Review and sign the policies related to your treatment.
- 3) Review and sign the applicable Advance Directive statement.
- 4) Click 'SUBMIT' to send your completed New Patient Packet to CHS. Your information will be uploaded to your patient profile.

You will be able to access your patient profile to review and update any information when necessary. You will also have access to interesting features related to your wellness plan.

Please remember to bring your Driver's License/ID and your Insurance Card(s) to your first appointment.

If you experience any issues or have any questions when completing your New Patient Packet, please call (888) 85-COMPASS, and we will help guide you through the process.





	PATIENT INFORMA	ATION		C	ONTACT INFORMATION
Name:			MI:	Work Pl	hone:
SSN:	DOB:		Minor	Home P	hone:
Gender: O M	○ F Primary Langua	ge:		Cell Pho	one:
Address:					PREFERRED CONTACT
City:	Sta	ite:	Zip:	О м	ail
Email:	Prim	ary Phor	ne:	O En	nail
Driver's License/	ID #:			O Pr	imary Phone
State:	Expira	tion:		O Pa	itient Portal
MARITAL STATUS	ETHNICITY			RAC	E
○ Single	O Hispanic or Latino		O White		American Indian or
O Married	Other		O Asian		
O Divorced	O Unreported/Refuse to	Report	O Hispanic or Latino		Black or African
○ Separated			O Unreported/Refuse	9	American
O Widowed			Other Race:		Native Hawaiian or
O Life Partner			<del></del>		Other Pacific Islander
EMERGENCY CO	NTACT INFORMATION	HOW	DID YOU HEAR ABOUT US		PREFERRED LANGUAGE
Name:		O Insu	irance		○ English
Relationship:		O Hos	pital		<ul><li>Spanish</li></ul>
Phone #:		O Phys	sician Referral		O Russian
		O Onli	ne		O Haitian Creole
		Oth	er		Other
RI	ESPONSIBLE PARTY/GUARAN	NTOR/LE	GAL GUARDIAN		SAME AS PATIENT
Name:	MI:	_ DOE	3: Relatio	nship to I	Patient:
Address:			City:	St	ate: Zip:
Employer:			Occupation:		
Phone:					
Driver's License/	ID#:		State: I	Expiration	1:
Are you the legal	guardian? O Yes O No	Please	e provide proper documentation	1	

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# Custodial Parent and Legal Guardian Attestation

Dear Parents:

State law requires you consent to most medical treatments for your minor child/ ward.

Regarding parents who are divorced, the term "shared custody" refers to shared physical living arrangements, and the term "joint custody" refers to shared decision making. Joint custody addresses issues that are fundamental to the children's life, such as religious upbringing, medical care, and education. Barring a hostile relationship between parents, the court expects them to make such decisions together.

To expedite your child's treatment, please be advised that Compass Health Systems requires parental attestation to provide services. Please be advised that your signature below obligates you to share details pertaining to your child's treatment with the child's other parent. Both parents are invited to attend the child's appointments. If the other parent is unable to attend appointments, they do have a right to access the child's medical records. Therapy notes are excluded from this access.

### Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) is a federal law that, among other things, protects the privacy of individually identifiable health information. HIPAA's <u>Privacy Rule</u> generally allows a parent, as the minor child's representative, to access his child's medical records.

There are three situations in which a parent wouldn't be the minor child's personal representative under the Privacy Rule. The exceptions are:

- 1. When the minor is the one who consents to care and the consent of the parent isn't required under State or other applicable law
- 2. When the minor obtains care at the direction of a court or a person appointed by the court
- 3. When, and to the extent that, the parent agrees that the minor and the health care provider may have a confidential relationship (therapist)

Sole Custody	
I(Signature of Parent or Leg	gal Guardian) hereby attest that I am the
parent/legal guardian of (full legal name)	and have sole and/or can provide
medical decision making for my child/ward. Date:	
Shared Custody	
I(Signature of Parent or Leg	gal Guardian) share guardianship and agree
to discuss all care provided with other parties involved in the care of	of my child/ward.
(legal name). Date:	

Please provide a copy of any custody agreement for the medical record.

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SOCIAL,	EDUCATION, AND WORK HISTORY			
Do you drink alcohol? O Yes O No	How many drinks per week?	HOBBIES		
Are you a current smoker? ○ Yes ○ No	How many packs per week?	Biking		
Are you a former smoker? $\bigcirc$ Yes $\bigcirc$ No	What year did you quit?	Running		
How many years of smoking?	Reading			
Rate your average stress level: (1- least s	tress and 5- most stress):	Swimming		
SEXUAL I	HISTORY	Computer/TV		
Are you sexually active? ○ Yes ○ No		Other:		
Do you have sex with: O Men O Women O Both				
Do you have sex with. O ivien O	women O Both	EMPLOYMENT STATUS		
How many partners have you had during		Employed		
,	the past 12 months?			
How many partners have you had during	the past 12 months?	O Employed		
How many partners have you had during Are you concerned you may have been e	the past 12 months? exposed to HIV? O Yes O No	Employed     Unemployed		
How many partners have you had during Are you concerned you may have been e	the past 12 months?exposed to HIV? O Yes O No  OCCUPATIONAL INFORMATION	<ul><li>Employed</li><li>Unemployed</li><li>Retired</li></ul>		
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	F.	AMILY HISTOR	Y		
	N/A	<u>Father</u>	Mother	<u>Siblings</u>	<u>Children</u>
High Blood Pressure					
Stroke					
Cancer:					
Glaucoma					
Melanoma					
Diabetes:					
Epilepsy/Convulsions					
Mental Illness:					
Heart Disease					
Parkinson's Disease					
Migraines					
Kidney Disease					
Thyroid Disease					
Unknown/Adopted					
Other:					

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YOUR MEI	DICAL HISTORY (Fill in all that apply)	
None Anemia Angina Anxiety Arthritis Asthma Atrial Fibrillation Blood Clots Bronchitis Cancer (Type) Cerebrovascular Accident Coronary Artery Disease COPD (Emphysema) Crohn's Disease Diabetes Frequent Infections	Irritable Bowel Disease Lactose Intolerance Liver Disease Osteoporosis Peptic Ulcer Disease Peripheral Vascular Dis. Pneumonia Polycystic Ovarian Synd. Prostate Disease Renal (Kidney) Disease STD: Sexual Problems Shortness of Breath Thyroid Disease Uterine Fibroids Venereal Disease: Permatology History Rashes Lesions Skin Cancer Skin Melanoma Acne (Facial/Body) Wrinkles Age Spots	Neurological History Peripheral Neuropathy Tremors Difficulty Speaking Dizziness Migraines Light Sensitivity Nausea Weakness/Fainting Pain: Numbness/Tingling Seizures Spinal Injuries Epilepsy Behavioral History Depression Memory Loss Hallucinations Loss of Interest/Pleasure Loss of Energy/Fatigue Weight Loss/Gain Insomnia Anxiety Drugs Use
Hyperlipidemia Hypertension	_ Eczema ] Dryness	Alcohol Abuse Attention Problems
пурепенѕюн	] Di yiless	Attention Problems
WOMEN  Are you pregnant? O Yes O No	None HEALTH MAIN	TENANCE (Fill all that apply)  PAP Test
Are you planning on being pregnant?  O Yes O No Are you lactating? O Yes O No Are you currently on birth control pills? O Yes O No Menstrual Problems? O Yes O No	Pneumonia Vaccine Tetanus Vaccine Hepatitis Vaccine Shingles Vaccine Gardasil Vaccine Mammogram	Physical Examination STD Examination EKG Heart Stress Test Ab Aneurysm Screen Colonoscopy
Vaginal Infections? O Yes O No		SPITILIZATION
None ALLERGIES  1 2 3 4 5.	Year: Reason:	r surgeries and hospitalizations

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# MEDICATIONS, VITAMINS, & HERBAL SUPPLEMENTS I do not take any medications, vitamins, or herbal supplements Medication Dosage Directions Medication Dosage Directions Example: Tylenol 500 mg 1 pill twice daily

INSURANCE INFORMAT  **Please bring Insurance Card		Check Here for Self-Pay icense/ID to your first appointment**
Patient Name:	DOB:	Employer Name:
Primary Insurance Co:	Policy #:	Group #:
Insurance Co. Address:		Phone #:
Subscriber Name:	Relationship to Patient	: DOB:
Secondary Insurance Co:	Policy #:	Group #:
Insurance Co. Address:		Phone #:
Subscriber Name:	Relationship to Patient	: DOB:
Worker's Compensation Co. Name:		Claim #:
Attorney Name:		Phone #:
Rx Insurance: Rx BTN:	Rx Group:	Rx PCN:
Member ID #:	Pharma	acy Helpdesk #:

SEGAL <u>Trials</u>	I allow Compass Health Systems to share my medical information with Segal Institute for Clinical Research for studies and clinical trial purposes.
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# **AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE HEALTHCARE INFORMATION TO PRIMARY CARE PROVIDER (PCP)**

of treatr	·	s (CHS) to forward information regarding my current cours and of my treatment. Any revocation to this release will b	
0	Check here if you prefer NOT to rele	ase your healthcare information to your PCP	
0	I DO NOT have a PCP		
0	I request and authorize Compass He PCP.	alth Systems to release my healthcare information to my	
This requ	uest applies to: (Check all that apply)		
O All hea	althcare information $ igcirc$ Treatment $ igcirc$	Condition O Date Other	-
	ize the release of any records as indic or mental health services to my Primary	cated by checkmarks above, regarding treatment of drugs care Provider.	5,
Parent/G	Guardian Signature:	Date:	_
	PRIMARY CARE	PHYSICIAN AND SPECIALISTS	
wellness convenie If you cu	needs. Our team of doctors strive to a ent access to quality care. Join our family	eam of specialists that take care of many aspects of you achieve the highest level of patient satisfaction and provid y to receive the best possible patient care. Oking to change, please see our front desk to schedule a ASS.	e
	Please list your Po	CP and other Physicians below	
PCP Nam	ne:	Specialist Name:	-
Clinic Na	me:	Type of Specialty:	-
Address:		Clinic Name:	-
City:	StateZip:		
Phone: _	Fax:	Phone: Fax:	
Specialis	t Name:	Specialist Name:	_
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Clinic Na	me:	Clinic Name:	_
Address:		Address:	-
Phone: _	Fax:	Phone: Fax:	





Address:

Can't stand having to wait in a pharmacy after your visit? We have an exclusive pharmacy just for you!

- ✓ Amazing Customer Service
- ✓ Integrated
  Doctor/Pharmacy
  Convenience
- ✓ Free Next-Day Delivery

Fax:

✓ Price Matching

	YOUR PHARMACY INFORMATION
ame:	Phone:

I agree to use MedzDirect as my preferred pharmacy of choice.

### **CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM**

I hereby authorize Compass Health Systems, MedzDirect, Compass Medical and Ingenious Personalized Medicine to charge my Credit Card as follows. I agree that this form will act as substitution for any UCC or other authorization form. I take full financial responsibility should any problems arise with the credit card company. I authorize Compass Health Systems, MedzDirect, Compass Medical and Ingenious Personalized Medicine to charge for any amounts not covered by my insurance including but not limited to, Co-Pay's, Deductibles, and for services and/or goods (products) not covered. I acknowledge that the details, terms, and conditions under which I am accepting services or purchasing services or goods from Compass Health Systems, MedzDirect, Compass Medical, and Ingenious Personalized Medicine have been explained to me in full.

Credit Card Accour	it Numbe	r:				
Expiration Date:			Security Code:			
	Month	Year				
Print Your Name as Appears	on Card		Signa	ture as It Appears on Card (Re	quired)	
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Billing Street Address			Billing	g City	State	Zip
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Home Street Address (If diff	erent than biiii	ng address)	Home	city	State	Zip
Home Telephone (Include A	rea Code)		———Cell P	hone Number (Including Area	Code	

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### **AUTHORIZATION FOR TREATMENT**

I hereby authorize treatment by Compass Health Systems (CHS) and have agreed to voluntarily receive such treatment. I consent to treatment and services deemed advisable by CHS clinicians including urine/saliva drug testing. I acknowledge that any questions I have regarding this treatment may be directed towards CHS clinicians or staff.

Patient Signature:	Date:
LIFETIME ASSIGNMENT (MEDICARE PATIENTS	ONLY) AND COMMERCIAL INSURANCE AGREEMENT
Name of Beneficiary:	Medicare Number:
	Health Insurance:
I request that payment of authorized Medicare benefits furnished to me by that provider. I authorize any holder of financing administration and its agents any information need	medical information about me to release to the health care
This authorization is in effect until I choose to revoke it.	
I request that the payment for services rendered to me at Compass Health Systems for the year(s) that I received said	nd my dependents by Compass Health Systems be made to dtreatment(s).
Patient Signature:	Date:
ADVANCE DIRECT	IVE NOTIFICATION
I acknowledge I am being provided a copy of the Advance I Living Will, and DW-CPR for my state of residency.	Directive, including Medical Durable Power of Attorney,
Please Check One:	
O Patient is a minor in the state of residency.	
O I elect on my behalf not to execute an Advanc	e Directive.
<ul> <li>I have executed an Advance Directive previous to be placed in my chart.</li> </ul>	sly, or will execute a new one, and will provide a copy to CHS
Blank Advanced Directives for your state	of residency are available on our website,
www.compasshealthsyst	ems.com, of in our office.
Patient Signature:	Date:
Office Use Only: Copy of Advance Directive was received on:	

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### FINANCIAL POLICY

Thank you for choosing Compass Health Systems as your health care provider. We are committed to your treatment being successful. The following is a statement of our financial policy.

### All clients must complete our information and financial policy form before seeing their clinician.

We bill your insurance as a courtesy. You are responsible for not only your deductible and co-payment, but also for any amounts for services not covered by insurance. If your insurance company has not paid your account in full within 90 days, you will be automatically billed for the entire balance and responsible for it. Please be aware that some, and perhaps all, of the services provided might not be covered or be unauthorized services not considered reasonable and necessary under your insurance guidelines.

- You are responsible for your portion of the bill at the time of service.
- We accept cash, checks, or VISA/MasterCard/American Express
- We offer an extended payment plan with preceding credit approval.

### Maxed Benefits/Pre-Existing Conditions or Denials of Authorization for Treatment

During your treatment, your insurance benefits may be terminated for the year, for your lifetime, or further treatment may be denied authorization. In this event, you will be billed in full for each service thereafter. Please contact our office if there is any change in insurance policies or addresses/phones.

### **Usual and Customary Rates**

Our practice is committed to providing the best treatment for our clients, and we charge what is usual and customary for our area. You are responsible for payment regardless of any insurance company's arbitrary determination of usual and customary rates.

### Direct Payments to Clients

If your insurance company reimburses you directly, you are required to investigate these payments and turn them over to your health care provider immediately, or you will be required to pay for all services in full and terminated as a patient. Keeping payments meant for your health care provider is a serious offense and can lead to legal proceedings.

### Potential HMO Coverage

If your claim is denied for being on an HMO, you have not advised the office, and you did not obtain authorization for the services being rendered to you, then you are liable for the cost of these services and will be charged for them.

### **Missed Appointments**

Unless cancelled at least 24 hours in advance, our policy is to charge for missed appointments at the rate of \$25.00 per missed appointment. Please help us serve you better by keeping scheduled appointments, or call us 24 hours prior to your scheduled appointment to cancel or reschedule your appointment.

Understand and Agree to this Finance	<u>cial Policy</u>		
Patient Signature:		Date:	
Patient Signature:		Date:	

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### **MEDICATION AGREEMENT AND REFILL POLICY**

As part of your treatment, our medical staff may prescribe medication(s) to you. As you know, medication(s) can have serious side effects if they are not managed properly. Your health and safety are very important to us, so we need your help to make sure your treatment follows approved guidelines. With your signature below, you are agreeing that you have read, understood and agreed with the following policies:

- I agree to keep all scheduled appointments to ensure the receipt of my medication(s) on a timely basis. If you are unable to keep
  your appointment, you may be required to wait until the next available appointment to receive a refill. This will be determined
  on a case-by-case basis. I understand if I am more than fifteen (15) minutes late to my scheduled appointment, I may be required
  to reschedule for a different date and time.
- I agree to follow the dosing schedule prescribed to me by my doctor. Should I have any questions or concerns regarding my
  prescribed medication(s), I will contact my provider. I will not make adjustments to the dosing schedule myself. I understand any
  such changes in medication, if made without the advice of a licensed physician could pose harm to my health.
- I agree to notify Compass Health Systems if I experience any adverse effects or dosing problems with my prescribed medication(s). I may be asked to bring any unused medication to Compass Health Systems to ensure proper treatment adherence.
- 4. I understand that I should not drive or operate heavy machinery while I am taking medication(s) that may cause drowsiness or impair my cognitive functioning.
- Compass Health Systems phone triage hours are from 8:00 am to 6:00 pm, Monday through Friday for Non-Emergency medication questions.
- 6. I understand that **Compass Health Systems** will provide controlled prescriptions once every thirty days. I must schedule another office visit within 30 days of the date on my current prescription so my doctor can properly evaluate my progress.
- 7. I agree that if I receive a controlled substance prescription from **Compass Health Systems**, I am not allowed to accept controlled substance prescriptions from any other physician without my provider's consent. I will give information regarding all my prescribed medication(s) to all providers who care for me, and will allow communication among these providers, per signed release(s) of information. I am aware that my controlled prescriptions can be monitored via a government website.
- 8. I agree to use only one pharmacy for my controlled medication(s). In the event that circumstances require the use of another pharmacy, I will notify **Compass Health Systems** of this immediately and provide them with all pertinent contact information.
- I understand that prescription refills involving controlled substances require a scheduled appointment with my provider. These medication(s) will not be called into your pharmacy or increased via phone.
- 10. I understand that **Compass Health Systems** reserves the right to **PERFORM A URINE DRUG TOXICOLOGY SCREEN** on a random basis. This will be used to assess compliance with my prescribed treatment and/or gain insight into my habits, ensure no interactions occur among prescribed substances and those consumed, as well as to provide appropriate referrals and treatment alternatives when substance impairment becomes a concern.
- 11. I understand that in order to be prescribed my medication(s) on a regular basis, I will receive referrals for laboratory studies and will need to provide the results before the next office visit. Failure to do the required laboratory studies will result in delayed medication refills.
- 12. I understand that abusive behavior, abuse of medications, harassment toward any **Compass Health Systems Staff** or any of our patients will not be tolerated. **Compass Health Systems** will determine what actions are considered harassment or medication abuse on a case-by-case basis and, if warranted, can result in dismissal from the practice.
- 13. I understand that I am *solely* responsible for the safekeeping of my medication(s). I understand that Compass Health Systems does not replace LOST OR STOLEN prescriptions for controlled medication(s).
- 14. I will never share, sell, or exchange my medication(s) with anyone, for any reason.
- 15. I understand that involvement with a forged, falsified, or altered prescription will result in my immediate dismissal from **Compass Health Systems**, and/or police involvement.

I affirm that I have the full right and power to be bound by this agreement and that I have read, understood, and accepted these terms. Non-compliance with this agreement may be cause for dismissal from our practice.

Patient/Guardian Signature:	Date:
Printed Name:	•

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# **HIPAA NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES (Revised: 1/2017)**

### Practice Locations: (888)-85-COMPASS

1601 N. Palm Ave., #211 Pembroke Pines, FL 33026

7481 W Oakland Blvd., #100 Lauderhill, FL 33319 1065 NE 125th St., #206 North Miami, FL 33161

8671 S. Quebec St., #200 Highlands Ranch, CO 80130 11440 N. Kendall Dr., #208 Miami, FL 33176

6915 Tutt Blvd., #110B Colorado Springs, CO 80923 10301 Hagen Ranch Rd., #B6 Boynton Beach, FL 33437

1483 Tobias Gadson Blvd., #107 Charleston, SC 29407

# THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

This Notice of Privacy Practices describes how we my use and disclose your protected health information (PHI) to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations (TPO), and for other purposes that are permitted or required by law. It also describes your rights to access and control your protected health information. "Protected Health Information" is information about you, including demographic information, that may identify you and relates to your past, present, or future physical or mental health conditions and related health care services.

### **USES AND DISCLOSURES OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION**

Your protected health information may be used and disclosed by your physician, our office staff, and others outside of your office that are involved in your care and treatment for the purpose of providing health care services to you, to pay your health care bills, to support the operation of the physician's practice, and any other use required by Law.

<u>Treatment:</u> We will use and disclose your protected health information to provide, coordinate, or manage your health care and any related services. This includes the coordination or management of your health care with a third party. For example, we would disclose your protected health information, as necessary, to a home health agency that provides care to you. For example, your protected health information may be provided to a physician to whom you have been referred to ensure that the physician has the necessary information to diagnose or treat you.

<u>Payment:</u> Your protected health information will be used, as needed, to obtain payment for your health care services. For example, obtaining approval for a hospital stay may require that your relevant protected health information be disclosed to the health plan to obtain approval for the hospital admission.

<u>Healthcare Operations:</u> We may use or disclose, as needed, your protected health information in order to support the business activities of your physician's practice. These activities include, but are not limited to, quality assessment activities, employee review activities, training of medical students, licensing, and conducting or arranging for other business activities. For example, we may disclose your protected health information to medical school students that see patients at our office. In addition, we may use a sign-in sheet at the registration desk where you will be asked to sign your name and indicate your physician. We may also call you by name in the waiting room when your physician is ready to see you. We may use or disclose your protected health information, as necessary, to contact you to remind you of your appointment.

We may use or disclose your protected health information in the following situations without your authorization. These situations include: as Required By Law, Public Health issues as required by law, Communicable Diseases: Health Oversight Abuse or Neglect: Food and Drug Administration requirements: Legal Proceedings: Law Enforcement: Coroners, Funeral Directors, and Organ Donation: Research: Criminal Activity: Military Activity and National Security: Workers' Compensation: Inmates: Required Uses and Disclosures: Under the law, we must make disclosures to you and when required by the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services to investigate or determine our compliance with the requirements of Section 164.500.

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### USES AND DISCLOSURES OF PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION (continued)

**Other Permitted and Required Uses and Disclosures** Will Be Made Only with Your Consent, Authorization, and Opportunity to Object unless required by law.

**You may revoke this authorization**, at any time, in writing, except to the extent that your physician or the physician's practice has taken an action in reliance on the use or disclosure indicated in the authorization.

Your Rights: Following is a statement of your rights with respect to your protected health information.

<u>You have the right to inspect and copy your protected health information.</u> Under federal law, however, you may not inspect or copy the following records; psychotherapy notes; information compiled in reasonable anticipation of, or use in, a civil, criminal, or administrative action or proceeding, and protected health information that is subject to law that prohibits access to protected health information.

You have the right to request a restriction of your protected health Information. This means you may ask us not to use or disclose any part of your protected health information for the purposes of treatment, payment or healthcare operations. You may also request that any part of your protected health information not be disclosed to family members or friends who may be involved in your care or for notification purposes as described in this Notice of Privacy Practices. Your request must state the specific restriction requested and to whom you want the restriction to apply.

Your physician is not required to agree to a restriction that you may request. If physician believes it is in your best interest to permit use and disclosure of your protected health information, your protected health information will not be restricted. You then have the right to use another Healthcare Professional.

You have the right to request to receive confidential communications from us by alternative means or at an alternative location. You have the right to obtain a paper copy of this notice from us, upon request, even if you have agreed to accept this notice alternatively i.e. electronically.

<u>You may have the right to have your physician amend your protected health information.</u> If we deny your request for amendment, you have the right to file a statement of disagreement with us and we may prepare a rebuttal to your statement and will provide you with a copy of any such rebuttal.

You have the right to receive an accounting of certain disclosures we have made, if any, of your protected health information.

We reserve the right to change the terms of this notice and will inform you by mail of any changes. You then have the right to object or withdraw as provided in this notice.

### **Complaints**

You may complain to us or to the Secretary of Health and Human Services if you believe your privacy rights have been violated by us. You may file a complaint with us by notifying our privacy contact of your complaint. We will not retaliate against you for filing a complaint.

This notice was published and becomes effective on/or before April 14, 2003.

We are required by law to maintain the privacy of, and provide individuals with, this notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to protected health information. If you have any objections to this form, please ask to speak with our HIPAA Compliance Officer in person or by phone at our Main Phone Number.

Signature:	Date:	
Print Name:		

Noralys Mallo, HIPAA Compliance Officer Compass Health Systems, PA 1065 NE 125<sup>th</sup> Street, Ste 300 North Miami, FL 33161

Phone: (888) 85-COMPASS Ext. 2042 Fax: (305) 503-7363 Email: <a href="mailto:nmallo@compass.md">nmallo@compass.md</a>

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### STATEMENT OF PATIENT'S RIGHTS

### Patients have the right to:

- Be treated with dignity and respect.
- Fair treatment. This is regardless of their race, religion, gender, ethnicity, age, disability, sexual orientation, or source of payment.
- Have treatment and other patient information kept private. Only by Subpoena may records be released without their permission.
- Easily access care in a timely fashion.
- Know all about their treatment choices. This is regardless of cost or coverage by the patient's benefit plan.
- Share in developing their plan of care.
- Information in a language they can understand.
- Have a clear explanation of their statement options.
- Get information about services and role in the treatment process.
- The clinical guidelines used in providing and managing their care.
- Information about a provider's work history and training.
- Provide input on policies and services.
- Information about laws that relate to their rights and responsibilities.

### STATEMENT OF PATIENT'S RESPONSIBILITES

### Patients have the responsibility to:

- Treat those giving them care with dignity and respect.
- Give providers the information they need. This is so providers can deliver the best possible care.
- Ask their providers questions about their care. This is so they can understand their role in that care.
- Follow treatment plans for their care. The plan of care is to be agreed upon by the patient and the provider
- Follow their agreed medication plan accordingly.
- Tell their provider about medication changes, including medications given to them by others.
- Keep their appointments or reschedule the visit. Patients should call their providers as soon as possible if they need to cancel or reschedule any visit(s).
- Let their provider know when the treatment plans no longer work for them, or requires updating.
- Let their provider or office manager know about problems with paying fees.
- Not take actions that could harm others.
- Report fraud or abuse.
- Openly report concerns about the quality of care.

Patient Signature:	Date:
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### **WEB PATIENT PORTAL ACCESS**

The Patient Health Portal provides a secure communication channel between you and your doctor's office. You can access your up-to-date medical records and lab results, track appointments, request refills of authorized prescriptions, referrals, and education materials. After submitting your New Patient Packet, you will receive an email with login information to access your Patient Health Portal.



Web Patient Health Portal:

https://health.healow.com/compass

To request an appointment with Compass Health Systems, you can download the quick and easy app healow™



### Mobile APP Available at:

- Apple iOS App Store
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