



Transfer Consent

Medical Condition:

Condition (Required, Check one): Stable Critical

Diagnosis (Required): _____

Reason for Transfer/Benefit (Required, Check all that apply):

Expedite Bed Assignment Higher Level/Specialty Care Patient Preference Continuity of Care

Other Reason for Transfer (if applicable): _____

Risks:

All transfers have the inherent risks of traffic delays, accidents, bad weather, rough terrain or turbulence, and the limitations of equipment and personnel present in the vehicle if there is a change in my medical condition on the way to the facility.

Other risks including those related to the patient's medical condition (required but if not applicable, leave blank):

Patient Consent to Transfer

The attending physician(s) or designee below have explained to me, in my preferred language, the potential risks and benefits of my transfer specific to my medical condition. I have been given the opportunity to ask questions and all of my questions have been answered to my satisfaction.

**Patient,* Guardian
or Representative****

_____ *Print name* _____ *Signature* _____ *Date* _____ *Time* _____ *Relationship or "self"*

Signature Witness

_____ *Print name* _____ *Signature* _____ *Date* _____ *Time* Witnessed Patient confirming signature (check box if applicable)

**Preferred Language
Interpreter
Name or Number**

_____ *Print name and/or number* _____ *Signature (if present)* _____ *Date* _____ *Time* Patient refused interpreter (check box if applicable)

Telephone/Video Consent with Representative (Check box if applicable)**

Name of designee appointed by Attending Physician to explain the risks and benefits of transfer for the patient's medical condition if applicable:

_____ *Printed name of designee (If not applicable, leave blank)*

Attending Physician Certification of Transfer

I hereby certify that based on the information available to me at the time of transfer, to a reasonable degree of medical certainty, the expected medical benefits from the provision of appropriate care at another facility outweigh the risk to the individual or unborn child. I have confirmed that this patient/representative** is able to give informed consent. If the patient is unable to provide consent and does not have a representative**, a second attending physician has concurred with the appropriateness of the transfer (Complete FHCDA Form 3). I have explained the risks and benefits of the transfer to the patient/representative** specific to their medical condition. I have offered to answer any questions and have fully answered all such questions. In the event that I was not present when the patient signed the form, I understand that the form is only documentation that the informed consent process took place. I remain responsible for having obtained consent from the patient.

_____ *Print Attending Physician Name*

_____ *Attending Physician Signature*

_____ *Date*

_____ *Time*

* The signature of the patient must be obtained unless the patient is under the age of 18 or lacks capacity.

** Throughout this document, the term "representative" refers to a legally authorized representative or guardian.