Northwest Iowa Care Connections
Release of Information

For individuals living in: Clay, Dickinson, Lyon, O'Brien, Osceola, and Palo Alto Counties

CLIENT ____
ADDRESS:__________________________________DATE OF BIRTH: ____________

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize the staff of Northwest Iowa Care Connections to release and / or obtain the information indicated below, regarding the above named consumer, with:

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Name of Person or Agency

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Complete Mailing Address

The information being released will be used for the following purpose:

- ☐ Planning and implementation of Services
- ☐ Coordination of services
- ☐ Monitoring of services
- ☐ Referral for new or other services
- ☐ Other (Specify)______________________ ______________________________

Your eligibility for services or funding ☐ **is** ☐ **is not** dependent upon signing this release. {See CFR 164.508(b)(4)}

INFORMATION TO BE RELEASED FROM COMMUNITY SERVICES:

Yes	No	
☐	☐	SOCIAL HISTORY
☐	☐	PROGRESS SUMMARY REPORT
☐	☐	INDIVIDUAL COMPREHENSIVE PLAN
☐	☐	ANNUAL REVIEW
☐	☐	DISCHARGE SUMMARY
☐	☐	RE-RELEASE OF 3RD PARTY INFO (Specify)

(Your information will not be re-released without a signed authorization)

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Yes	No	
☐	☐	OTHER (Specify)________________________

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INFORMATION TO BE OBTAINED FROM THE AGENCY INDICATED ABOVE:

Yes	No	
☐	☐	SOCIAL HISTORY
☐	☐	EDUCATIONAL / VOCATIONAL PLANS
☐	☐	PROGRESS SUMMARY
☐	☐	PSYCHOLOGICAL EVALUATION / REPORTS
☐	☐	PSYCHIATRIC ASSESSMENT / REPORTS
☐	☐	MEDICAL HISTORY
☐	☐	TREATMENT PLAN
☐	☐	DISCHARGE SUMMARY
☐	☐	RE-RELEASE OF 3RD PARTY INFO (Specify) ____________________________
☐	☐	FINANCIAL DOCUMENTATION
☐	☐	OTHER (Specify)____________________________ ____

This authorization shall expire on:_______________
(Not to exceed 12 months)

At that time, no express revocation shall be needed to terminate my consent. I understand that this consent is voluntary and I may revoke this consent at any time by sending a written notice to Northwest Iowa Care Connections. I understand that any information released prior to the revocation may be used for the purposes listed above and does not constitute a breach of my rights to confidentiality. I understand that any disclosure of information carries with it the potential for un-authorized re-disclosure and once the information is disclosed, it may no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations. I understand that I may review the disclosed information by contacting the recipient named or Northwest Iowa Care Connections.

SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION PROTECTED BY STATE OR FEDERAL LAW:
I specifically authorize the release of data and information relating to Mental Health.

Signature of Client or Legal Guardian: ____________________________ ______________
Date

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Relationship if NOT The Client

SPECIFIC AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION PROTECTED BY STATE OR FEDERAL LAWS:
I specifically authorize the release of data and information relating to:

☐ Substance Abuse (must be signed by the consumer) ☐ HIV-Related Information

________________________	__________	________________________	__________
Client Signature	**Date**	**Guardian Signature**	**Date**

In order for this information to be released, you must sign here and on the signature line above.

Copy given to Client on:__________________ *OR* Client refused copy on:__________________