

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION					
Name		Preferred Name			
Address 1		Address 2			
City		State		Zip Code	
SS#		Date of Birth			
Sex		Marital Status	<input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Other		
Home Phone		Mobile Phone			
E-Mail		Preferred Contact Method	<input type="checkbox"/> Home <input type="checkbox"/> Cell <input type="checkbox"/> Work		
<b>Are there any restrictions to contacting you?</b>					
Race	<input type="checkbox"/> Caucasian <input type="checkbox"/> African American <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Asian <input type="checkbox"/> Other		Ethnicity	<input type="checkbox"/> Non- Hispanic <input type="checkbox"/> Hispanic (please specify):	
Language	<input type="checkbox"/> English <input type="checkbox"/> Spanish <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify):				

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION			
Name		Relationship	
Home Phone		Work Phone	

WITH WHOM MAY WE SPEAK ABOUT YOUR CARE?			
Name		Telephone	
Relationship			

EMPLOYMENT INFORMATION					
Employer		Occupation			
Address 1		Address 2			
City		State		Zip Code	

DOCTOR INFORMATION	
Referring Doctor	
Primary Care Physician	

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT OUR OFFICE?	
Referral Source	

PHARMACY INFORMATION			
Pharmacy Name		Pharmacy Phone	
Pharmacy Location (City, State, Intersection, etc.)			

INSURANCE INFORMATION					
Ins. Policy Holder		Relationship			
Date of Birth		SS #			
Address 1		Address 2			
City		State		Zip Code	

<b>I have read and understand the following forms that were provided to me today:</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/> Do you need a referral? <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Privacy & HIPAA <input type="checkbox"/> Responsibility of Payment <input type="checkbox"/> Refraction Policy	
Signature: _____	Date: _____



## **DO YOU NEED A REFERRAL?**

In accordance with many health insurance plans, patients must often obtain a referral form or authorization number from their insurance plan or primary care doctor before they can be examined by physician specialists. ***It is your responsibility to determine whether or not your insurance plan requires prior authorization or a referral to be seen by one of our doctors prior to your visit.***

If your health plan requires special authorization to see a specialist, it is your responsibility to obtain the necessary paperwork prior to your visit. As much as we would like to help, we cannot obtain authorization for you. In fact, many health plans will not allow us to call for same-day authorization. If you do not have a referral, a non-emergency appointment may have to be rescheduled. Alternatively, you may pay us directly at the time of service if you wish.

Those of our patients who need to obtain prior authorization for service must remember that, unless instructed otherwise by one of our staff, ***you will need a referral form or authorization number for each and every visit to our office.*** In addition, separate referral authorizations are often required for visual field tests, nerve fiber tests, fundus photography and surgical procedures.

I have read the above and understand that if my health insurance requires me to obtain prior authorization to see a specialist or have any tests performed, and I chose to proceed with the examination or tests without prior authorization, that I am responsible for payment at the time of the visit.



**CONSENT FOR RELEASE AND USE OF CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**  
**AND RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES FORM**

I hereby give my consent to Arbor Centers for EyeCare to use or disclose, for the purpose of carrying out treatment, payment or health care operations, all information contained in my patient record.

I acknowledge receipt of the doctor's Notice of Privacy Practices. The Notice of Privacy Practice provides detailed information about how the practice may use and disclose my confidential information. I understand that the doctor has reserved a right to change his or her privacy practices that are described in the Notice. I also understand that a copy of any Revised Notice will be provided to me at the time of my next visit after such revision and will be posted in the office.

I understand that this consent is valid until it is revoked by me. I understand that I may revoke this consent at any time by giving written notice of my desire to do so to the doctor. I also understand that I will not be able to revoke this consent in cases where the doctor has already relied on it to use or disclose my health information. Written revocation of consent must be sent to the doctor's office.



### **RESPONSIBILITY FOR PAYMENT**

I understand that my health insurance carrier, employer, or workman's compensation may not cover the cost of services rendered. I understand that the fee for these services may be counted against any deductible or out-of-pocket expenses mandated by my insurance plan. If my health insurance carrier, employer, or workman's compensation denies payment for any reason, including failure to obtain the proper referral, I agree to be personally and fully responsible for payment of services rendered.

I also agree that I am responsible for immediately notifying Arbor Centers for EyeCare of any changes in my insurance prior to surgery or service. If I fail to notify Arbor, and the changes in my insurance result in non-payment of services, I will be responsible for all fees due for any services rendered.