

How We May Use and Share Your Health Information

(A Brief Summary)

- We may use and share your information with other health care providers to care for and treat you.
- We may use and share your information with your health insurance company to get paid for care and treatment we provided you.
- We may use and share your information in our health system to make sure all of our patients receive quality care.
- We may use and share your information to remind you of an upcoming visit with the doctor or hospital.
- We may use and share your information to let you know about treatment options that may help you.
- We may use and share your information to send you health information about services and programs that may help you.
- We may use your information to contact you in an effort to raise funds for our health system.
- We may use and share your information so that your family and friends can find you when they call or visit you in the hospital.
- We may use and share your information with family and friends who help with your care or help pay for your care.
- We may use and share your information at times to conduct research.
- We may use and share your information with the government if we are required by law to report certain health information.
- We may use and share your information with the police if needed to stop a serious threat to your health or safety or the health and safety of another person or the general public.
- We may use and share your information with an organ donation group if you are an organ donor.
- We may use and share your information with a worker's compensation program if your injury or illness is related to your job.
- We may use and share your information with public health authorities to report certain health information.
- We may use and share your information with groups that oversee the health care industry.
- We may use and share your information in response to an order from the court or other legal order.
- We may use and share your information with law enforcement in certain situations.
- We may use and share your information with coroners, health examiners or a funeral director when needed for them to perform their job.
- We may use and share your information for special government activities.

To obtain a copy of the complete Notice of Privacy Practices, speak to a staff member in this registration area/physician office.