

The Spine Institute

Patient Consent for Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information

With my consent, The Spine Institute may use and disclose protected health information (PHI) about me to carry out treatment, payment and healthcare operations (TPO). Please refer to The Spine Institute's Notice of Privacy Practices for a more complete description of such uses and disclosures.

I have the right to review the Notice of Privacy Practices prior to signing this consent. The Spine Institute reserves the right to revise its Notice of Privacy Practices at anytime. A revised Notice of Privacy Practices may be obtained by forwarding a written request to Spine Institute, Attn: Privacy Officer at 2811 Wilshire Blvd. Suite 850, Santa Monica, CA 90403.

With my consent, The Spine Institute may call my home or other designated location and leave a message on voice mail or in person in reference to any items that assist the practice in carrying out TPO, such as appointment reminders, insurance items, and any call pertaining to my clinical care, including laboratory results, among others.

With my consent, The Spine Institute may mail to my home or other designated location any items that assist the practice in carrying out TPO, such as appointment reminder cards and patient statements as long as they are marked Personal and Confidential.

With my consent, The Spine Institute may e-mail to my home or other designated location any items that assist the practice in carrying out TPO, such as appointment reminder cards and patient statements. I have the right to request that The Spine Institute restrict how it uses or discloses my PHI to carry out TPO. However, the practice is not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if it does, it is bound by this agreement.

By signing this form, I am consenting to The Spine Institute use and disclosure of my PHI to carry out TPO.

I may revoke my consent in writing except to the extent that the practice has already made disclosures in reliance upon my prior consent. If I do not sign this consent, The Spine Institute may decline to provide treatment to me.

Print Patient's Name

Signature of Patient or Legal Guardian

Relationship to Patient

Date