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AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF INFORMATION

I hereby authorize the use or disclosure of my individually identifiable health information as described below. Patient name _____ SS Number_____ DOB _____ Persons/organizations providing the information: Persons/organizations receiving the information: Name _____ Name _____ Address _____ Address _____ Fax _____ Specific description of information, including date(s) The patient or the patient's representative must read the following statements: 1. Missoula Bone & Joint will not condition my treatment on whether I provide authorization for the requested use of disclosure and I understand that this authorization is voluntary. I understand that if the organization authorized to receive the information is not a health plan or health care provider, the released information may no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations. I understand that my health care and the payment for my health care will not be affected if I do not sign this form. I understand that I may see and copy the information described on this form if I ask for it and that I get a copy of this form after I sign it. I understand that this authorization will expire 1 year from the date of signature. I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by notifying the providing organization in writing, but if I do it won't have any affect on my actions they took before they received the revocation. By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read and understand the conditions of this authorization. Signature of patient or patient's representative Date Printed name of patient or patient's representative

MEDICAL RECORDS FROM OTHER FACILITIES IN OUR POSSESSION NOT ORDERED BY OUR PHYSICIANS WILL NORMALLY <u>NOT</u> BE RELEASED

Relationship to patient _____