

AUTHORIZED ASSISTANT FORM

- If you want to give another person permission to assist you with your Independent Medical Review (IMR) or complaint, complete Parts A and B below. **(Both parties must sign the form)**
- If you are a parent or legal guardian filing this IMR or complaint for a child under the age of 18, you do not need to complete this form.
- If you are filing this IMR or complaint for a patient who cannot complete this form because the patient is either incompetent or incapacitated, and you have legal authority to act for this patient, please complete Part B only. Also attach a copy of the power of attorney for health care decisions or other documents that say you can make decisions for the patient.

PART A: PATIENT

I allow the person named below in Part B to assist me in my IMR or complaint filed with the Department of Managed Health Care (Department). I allow the Department and IMR staff to share information about my medical condition(s) and care with the person named below. This information may include mental health treatment, HIV treatment or testing, alcohol or drug treatment, or other health care information.

I understand that only information related to my IMR or complaint will be shared.

My approval of this assistance is voluntary and I have the right to end it. If I want to end it, I must do so in writing.

Patient Name (Print) _____

Patient Signature _____ Date _____

PART B: PERSON ASSISTING PATIENT

Name of Person Assisting (print) _____

Signature of Person Assisting _____

Address _____

City _____ State ____ Zip _____

Relationship to Patient _____

Primary Phone # _____

Secondary Phone # _____

Email Address _____

My power of attorney for health care decisions or other legal document is attached.