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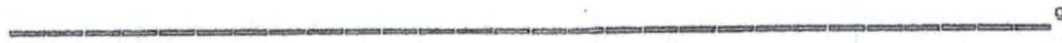
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PLEASE COMPLETE FRONT AND BACK  
PAGES AND RETURN TO OUR OFFICE AT  
LEAST 2 WEEK PRIOR TO YOUR APPT ON



IF THE PAPERWORK IS  
NOT RETURNED AS REQUESTED, WE  
WILL RESCHEDULE THE APPT.

Welcome to the Cardiology practice of Howard Tee, MD, FACC. The staff and nurses in this practice will provide the utmost concern and compassion to our patients as well as being professional at all times. We expect that our patients treat the staff with the same professionalism.

The following will be the new policies effective immediately:

----- This office is a Cardiology practice with assigned appointments made by the front desk. If there is an emergency, please be mindful that the ER would be the best place for you or by calling 911. There is a triage line when calling our office, where you may leave a message, and our nurses will get back to you after discussing the matter with the Dr. This will be based on the urgency of the matter and will be treated as a visit.

----- Effective 01/01/24, any patient who does not show up for their scheduled appointment 3 times, will be discharged from the practice.

----- Due to the overwhelming number of patients, all New patients who do not show up for their scheduled appointments, will be discharged and unable to reschedule.

----- This is an extremely busy practice and there will be times that you will have to be seen by a Nurse Practitioner. Every patients' case will be discussed with the provider, and if needed, will be seen by the provider during special circumstances. The provider may have emergencies in the hospital and will have the Nurse Practitioner see the patients to take care of your needs. Refusing to see the Nurse Practitioner initially is not an option.

----- The practice of taking care of patients is a two way street. Please be respectful to the staff and raising your voice, being rude, or using foul language will not be tolerated.

Please sign that you have read and understand: \_\_\_\_\_

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Patient Registration

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex:  Male  Female

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home \_\_\_\_\_ Work: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Race: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status: Married Widowed Single Divorced Spouse's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Language:

English  Spanish  French  Other

Dominant Hand:  Right  Left  Ambidextrous

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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Primary Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_

(Circle One): PPO POS HMO Indemnity

ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Insured's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Insured's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Insured's Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_

ID Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Group Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Insured's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Insured's Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Insured's Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_



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Authorization to Use or Disclose My health Information

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

**I. My Authorization**

You may use or disclose the following health care information (circle yes or no):

All my health information maintained by Dr. Tee	YES	NO
My health information related to drug abuse	YES	NO
My health information related to alcohol abuse	YES	NO
My health information related to HIV/AIDS	YES	NO
My health information related to psychological or psychiatric conditions	YES	NO

My health information relating to the following treatment or condition \_\_\_\_\_

My health information for the date(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

You may disclose this information to:

Name or Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Check all that apply:

My Spouse	Name: _____	Phone: _____
My Son/Daughter	Name(s): _____	Phone: _____
My Mother/Father	Name(s): _____	Phone: _____
My Friend	Name(s): _____	Phone: _____
My Lawyer	Name(s): _____	Phone: _____
My Caretaker or Living Facility:	_____	Phone: _____
My Power of Attorney	Name: _____	Phone: _____
Other	Specify: _____	Phone: _____

This Authorization Ends On: Date: \_\_\_\_\_ When the following event occurs: \_\_\_\_\_

**II. My Rights**

I understand that I do not have to sign this authorization in order to get health care benefits (treatment, payment or enrollment). However, I do have to sign an authorization form to take part in research study or to receive health care when the purpose is to create health information for a third party. I may revoke this authorization in writing. If I do, it will not affect any actions already taken by the above named practice based upon this authorization. I may not be able to revoke authorization if its purpose was to obtain insurance. Two ways to revoke authorization are: Fill out a revocation form, which is available from the office or write a letter to the office. Once the office discloses health information, the person or organization that receives it may re-disclose it. Privacy laws may no longer protect it.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient or legally authorized individual signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Time

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name if signed on behalf of patient

\_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to Patient

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Referring M.D.: \_\_\_\_\_ Primary M.D.: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Pharmacy: \_\_\_\_\_ Pharmacy Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been treated for or do you have any complaints of:

- Yes [ ] No [ ] Chest Discomfort  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Shortness of breath when walking or lying down  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Irregular heartbeats or palpitations  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Calf cramps when walking  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Heart Failure  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Heart murmur or heart valve problem  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Heart valve replacement If yes, give date(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Heart attack If yes, give date(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Blacking out or passing out  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Stroke If yes, give date(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Rheumatic Heart Disease  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Coronary Artery Bypass Grafting (open Heart surgery) If yes, give date(s): \_\_\_\_\_  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Coronary angioplasty (PTCA or balloon technique, stents) If yes, give date(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Yes [ ] No [ ] Have you ever been told you have diabetes or "high blood sugar"?  
If yes, how long have you had diabetes?: \_\_\_\_\_  
How is your diabetes treated?: (Circle one) \_\_\_\_\_ pills \_\_\_\_\_ insulin

Yes [ ] No [ ] Have you ever been told you have high blood pressure?  
If yes, how long have you had high blood pressure?: \_\_\_\_\_  
How long have you received medication for your high blood pressure?: \_\_\_\_\_

Yes [ ] No [ ] Have you ever been told you have high cholesterol or triglycerides (blood fats)?  
What was your last cholesterol level? \_\_\_\_\_  
What were your last triglycerides?: \_\_\_\_\_  
When was the above cholesterol/triglyceride level done?: \_\_\_\_\_

Women Only:

Yes [ ] No [ ] Are you postmenopausal?  
Yes [ ] No [ ] Have you had a hysterectomy?  
If yes, give date: \_\_\_\_\_



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How many siblings do you have?

Sisters \_\_\_\_\_

Brothers \_\_\_\_\_

Please answer the following:

Relationship	Sex: Male (M) Female (F)	Living (1) Deceased (2)	If deceased, age at death	Heart Attack	Heart Surgery	High Blood Pressure	High Cholesterol	Stroke
Father								
Mother								
Sibling #1								
Sibling #2								
Sibling #3								
Sibling #4								
Sibling #5								
Sibling #6								

Marital Status:  Married, number of years \_\_\_\_\_  single  Divorced  Widow

Live with:  Spouse  Children  Alone  Friend  Relative  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Employment Status:

Employed  Unemployed  Retired  Homemaker  Other \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  Do you drink alcohol or beer?

If yes, how many drinks per: Day \_\_\_\_\_ Week \_\_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  Do you drink coffee, tea, or soda with caffeine?

If yes, how many cups per day? \_\_\_\_\_

Yes  No  Have you ever smoked cigarettes?

What age did you start smoking?: \_\_\_\_\_

How many years did you smoke?: \_\_\_\_\_

How many packs per day did you smoke?: \_\_\_\_\_

When did you stop smoking?: \_\_\_\_\_

How many children do you have?: \_\_\_\_\_

Do any of your children have heart disease?  yes  No

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ Patient's Age: \_\_\_\_\_

PMH Describe on the lines below any problems you have had with the following:

ROS Brain or Neurological Problem(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
Thyroid Disease \_\_\_\_\_  
Carotid Artery Disease \_\_\_\_\_  
Lung/Breathing \_\_\_\_\_  
Stomach/Ulcers/Intestines \_\_\_\_\_  
Blood/Bleeding Problems \_\_\_\_\_  
Liver \_\_\_\_\_  
Kidney \_\_\_\_\_  
Bladder \_\_\_\_\_  
Prostate \_\_\_\_\_  
Peripheral Vascular Disease(Leg blood vessels) \_\_\_\_\_  
Leg Cramps \_\_\_\_\_  
Cancer \_\_\_\_\_  
Glaucoma \_\_\_\_\_  
Arthritis/Gout \_\_\_\_\_

OP Please list all operations you have had and dates of surgery

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Yes [ ] No [ ] Have you ever had a vein stripping of your legs?

Yes [ ] No [ ] Are you allergic to contrast or IVP dyes used in medical tests?

Yes [ ] No [ ] Are you allergic to shell fish?

Yes [ ] No [ ] Are you allergic to any medications?

If yes, describe the reactions you had below.

AL

Medication	Reaction Type





**1. ASSIGNMENT OF INSURANCE BENEFITS/PROMISE TO PAY:**

I hereby assign and authorize payment directly to the Physician Clinic all insurance benefits, sick benefits, injury benefits due because of liability of a third-party, or proceeds of all claims resulting from the liability of a third party, payable by any party, organization, et cetera, to or for the patient unless the account for this Physician Clinic, outpatient visit or series of outpatient visits is paid in full upon discharge or upon completion of the outpatient series. If eligible for Medicare, I request Medicare services and benefits. I further agree that this assignment will not be withdrawn or voided at any time until the account is paid in full. I understand that I am responsible for any charges not covered by my insurance company.

I understand that I am obligated to pay the account of the Physician Clinic in accordance with the regular rates and terms of the Physician Clinic. If I fail to make payment when due and the account becomes delinquent or is turned over to a collection agency or an attorney for collection, I agree to pay all collection agency fees, court costs and attorney's fees. I also agree that any patient or guarantor overpayments on the above Physician Clinic visit may be applied directly to any delinquent account for which I or my guarantor is legally responsible at the time of the collection of the overpayment. I consent for the Physician Clinic to work with my insurance company/companies on my behalf on authorization, appeal on my behalf any denial for reimbursement, coverage, or payment for services or care provided to me.

**2. PATIENT CONSENT FOR E-PRESCRIBING (ELECTRONIC PRESCRIBING):**

I have been made aware and understand that the medical practices and offices may use an electronic prescription system which allows prescriptions and related information to be electronically sent between my providers and my pharmacy. I have been informed and understand that my providers using the electronic prescribing system will be able to see information about medications I am already taking, including those prescribed by other providers. I give my consent to my providers to see this protected health information. I have been provided the Electronic Prescribing Notice.

**3. NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES:**

Required pursuant to Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), I acknowledge that I have received a copy of the Physician Clinic's Notice of Privacy Practices. I hereby consent to the use and disclosure of my protected health information as described in the Notice of Privacy Practices. This will include all of my protected health information generated during hospitalization and outpatient treatment at the Physician Clinic, including but not limited to treatment for mental health, drug and alcohol abuse, communicable diseases such as HIV/AIDS, developmental disabilities, genetic testing, and other types of treatment received.

**4. GENERAL CONSENT FOR TESTS, TREATMENT, AND SERVICES:**

I have been informed of the treatment procedures considered necessary for me and that the treatments/procedures will be directed by a physician or independent Advanced Practitioner, in accordance with state laws, scope of practice, and licensure of medical staff.

I hereby consent to engaging in virtual health/telemedicine services, where available, as part of my treatment. I understand that "virtual health" or telemedicine services includes the practice of health care delivery, diagnosis, consultation, treatment, transfers of medical data, and education using interactive audio, video, or data communications.

**5. ADVANCE DIRECTIVE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT:**

Federal law requires that patients be provided information about their rights to make advance health care decisions, including Living Will, Durable Medical Power of Attorney or designation of surrogate decision maker for healthcare decisions. If you have already completed any of these documents, please inform your physician and the Physician Clinic.

*Please check one:*

- I have executed an advance directive and have supplied a copy to the Physician Clinic.
- I have executed an advance directive and have been requested to supply a copy to the Physician Clinic.
- I have reviewed the directive(s) on file with this Physician Clinic and it is/they are my current directive(s).





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Your Privacy is very important to us. In order for us to speak with anyone other than yourself, we must have your permission.

If you give permission for us to communicate with anyone other than yourself, please complete the list below:

Name/Phone Number	Relationship	Options
1		<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Information <input type="checkbox"/> Appointment Information <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Health Information
2		<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Information <input type="checkbox"/> Appointment Information <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Health Information
3		<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Information <input type="checkbox"/> Appointment Information <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Health Information
4		<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Information <input type="checkbox"/> Appointment Information <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Health Information
5		<input type="checkbox"/> Billing Information <input type="checkbox"/> Appointment Information <input type="checkbox"/> Medical/Health Information

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient/Responsible Party

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Patient/Responsible Party (Print)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship to patient



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AUTHORIZATION TO RELEASE MEDICAL RECORDS

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
SSN: \_\_\_\_\_  
DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: (     ) \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize: (To get records from)

Facility Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Facility Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I hereby authorize: (To release records to)

Facility Name:     Howard Tee, M.D.

Facility Address: 960 37<sup>th</sup> Place, Suite 105  
Vero Beach, FL 32960  
Phone: 772-299-1901  
Fax: 772-299-1904

To release any or all: (Please be specific on records requesting) this release is to include any and all HIPAA protected medical records.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I understand and direct that this authorization is to remain in effect indefinitely or until I revoke it in writing.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date