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## Notice of Privacy Practices and Patient Consent For Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information

## PATIENT NAME

**I understand** that under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), I have certain Patient Rights regarding my protected health information.

**I understand** that Gadsden Pediatric Clinic, P.A. may use or disclose my protected health information for treatment, payment or health care operations—which means for providing health care to me, the patient; handling billing and payment; and, taking care of other health care operations. Unless required by law, there will be no other uses and disclosures of this information without my authorization.

Gadsden Pediatric Clinic, P.A. has a detailed document called the **'Notice of Privacy Practices**'. It contains a more complete description of your rights to privacy and how we may use and disclose protected health information.

**I understand** that I have the right to read the *'Notice'* before signing this agreement. If I ask, Gadsden Pediatric Clinic, P.A. will provide me with the most current *Notice of Privacy Practices*.

**My signature** below indicates that I have been given the chance to review such copy of the *Notice of Privacy Practices*. My signature means that I agree to allow Gadsden Pediatric Clinic, P.A. to use and disclose my protected health information to carry out treatment, payment, and health care operations. I have the right to revoke this consent in writing at any time, except to the extent that Gadsden Pediatric Clinic, P.A. has taken action relying on this consent.

**SIGNATURE** (Patient or Legal Custodian/Authorized Representative)

Relationship to Patient if signed by another party

You may obtain a copy of our *Notice of Privacy Practices*, including any revisions of our '*Notice*' at any time by contacting: Gadsden Pediatric Clinic, P.A., 501 Bay Street, Gadsden, Alabama 35901.



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