



Atlanta Institute for ENT, PC

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New Patient Information

First Name _____ Middle Initial _____ Last Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ County _____ Zip Code _____

Home Phone # _____ Work Phone # _____ Cell Phone # _____

Social Security# _____ - _____ - _____ Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____ Sex: Male Female

E-Mail: _____ Employer _____ Martial Status _____

Primary Care Provider _____ Referring Doctor _____

Primary Insurance

Insurance Company _____ Employer _____

Effective Date _____ Expiration Date _____

Name of Subscriber _____ Subscriber Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____

Subscriber Relation to Patient Self Spouse Child Other Policy Phone # _____

Policy ID # _____ Group Name _____ Group # _____

Secondary Insurance (if applicable)

Insurance Company _____ Employer _____

Effective Date _____ Expiration Date _____

Name of Subscriber _____ Subscriber Date of Birth ____ / ____ / ____

Subscriber Relation to Patient Self Spouse Child Other Policy Phone # _____

Policy ID # _____ Group Name _____ Group # _____

Additional Information

Race _____ Are you Hispanic or Latino? Yes No

(The above questions are required for federal reporting purposes only)

Emergency Contact Name _____ Emergency Contact # _____

Emergency Contact Relationship to Patient _____

Current Weight: _____ lbs

Current Height: _____ ' _____



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Pharmacy Information

Please list which pharmacy you use. Address is required:

Name _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____

Reason for Visit- Please let us know what brings you in today

Onset Acute Sudden Gradual Variable

Duration Hours ____ Days ____ Weeks ____ Months ____ Years ____

Pattern Intermittent Persistent Episodic

Course Increasing Decreasing Constant Recurrent

Severity Mild Moderate Severe

Characterized As Itching Dull Aching Sharp Pain Stabbing Pressure Pulling Sensation
 Burning Sensation Painful Painless Other _____

Location External (Ear) Inner (Ear) Behind (Ear) Other _____

Side Right Left Both Sides

Conservative Treatments Tried (if applicable, please list names)

Antibiotics: _____

Oral/Injected Steroids: _____

Nasal Steroids/Sprays: _____

Oral Decongestants: _____

Other: _____



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Review of Systems- Please check all that apply

- General** Fever Night Sweats Weight Loss >10 lbs. (unintentional) Other
- Skin** Dryness Rash Other
- Head and Neck** Headache Head Injury Eye Pain Vision Loss Deafness Earache
 Ear Discharge Ear Infection Decreased Hearing Tinnitus (ringing/noise in ear)
 Dizziness Nasal Bleeding Runny Nose Sinus Pain Hoarseness
 Sore Throat Voice Changes Swollen Glands Other
- Respiratory** Cough Coughing Blood Coughing Mucus Wheezing Other
- Cardiovascular** Chest Pain Hypertension Heart Palpitations Shortness of Breath Other
- Gastrointestinal** Difficulty Swallowing Nausea Vomiting Other
- Neurologic** Headache Tingling/Numbness Seizures Visual Changes Weakness Other
- Psychiatric** Anxiety Depression Hypersomnia Insomnia Inability to Concentrate
 Other
- Endocrine** Cold Intolerance Heat Intolerance Hair Changes Other
- Hematology** Easy Bruising Enlarged Lymph Nodes Nasal Bleeding Prolonged Bleeding
 Other

Past Medical History

Please list all past or active medical history below: If none, please check box

Ear, Nose & Throat

- Allergy Problems Yes No
Hearing Loss Yes No
Ménière's Disease Yes No
Snoring/Sleep Apnea Yes No
Other _____

Respiratory

- Asthma Yes No
Emphysema Yes No
Pneumonia Yes No
Other _____

Liver Problems

- Liver Disease Yes No
Hepatitis Yes No
Other _____

Cardiopulmonary

- Heart Attack Yes No
Stroke Yes No
Heart Disease Yes No
High Blood Pressure Yes No
Other _____

Bleeding/Oncology

- Thyroid Cancer Yes No
Easy Bleeding/Bruising Yes No
Frequent Infections Yes No
Other _____

Neurology Problems

- Seizures Yes No
Depression Yes No
Weakness Yes No
Schizophrenia Yes No
Other _____



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Past Medical History (cont.)

Please list all past or active medical history below: If none, please check box

Condition / Disease

Year

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Allergies

Do you have any known medication allergies? Yes No

If yes, please indicate which medications (including over the counter) that you have had adverse reactions to:

Medication

Adverse Reaction

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Do you have any other known allergies? Yes No

If yes, please indicate known allergies:

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Immunizations- Please check all that apply

- | | | |
|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hepatitis B | <input type="checkbox"/> Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis (DTP) | <input type="checkbox"/> Oral Polio Vaccine (OPV) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> MMR | <input type="checkbox"/> HIB | <input type="checkbox"/> EIPV |
| | | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

Family Medical History

Please list all family medical history: If none, please check box

Condition / Disease

Family Member Affected

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

Have you or your immediate family members ever had complications with anesthesia? Yes No

Have you or your immediate family members ever had a history of bleeding disorders? Yes No



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Social History

Tobacco Use? Never Smoker Former Smoker Current Smoker

- If current, how many years? _____ How many packs/day? _____
- If never or former, are you exposed to tobacco/smoke? Yes No

Alcohol Use? Yes No

Do you have pets in your house? Yes No If yes, what kind? _____

Any recent international travel? Yes No

If yes, where _____ and when _____

Current Medications

Please list all medications you are currently taking: _____ If none, please check box

Name of Medication	Strength	# Taken	Doses/Day	Reason
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Gynecological History (Females)

Date of last menstrual period ____/____/____ # of Pregnancies _____ # of Deliveries _____

Past Surgical History

Please list all surgical medical history below: _____ If none, please check box

Name of Surgery	Date	Complications (if any)
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____



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Medical Wellness Questionnaire

Hearing --- Please mark the situations that sound familiar to you.

- Yes No Do you often have to ask people to repeat what they said?
- Yes No Do others say you turn up the volume of the television too loud?
- Yes No When you are in a group or in a crowded place, is it difficult for you to follow the conversation?
- Yes No Has someone close to you mentioned that you may have a problem with your hearing?
- Yes No Do you have difficulty hearing on the phone?

Allergy --- Do you suffer from the following?

- Yes No Sneezing, Nasal Congestions, Runny Nose
- Yes No Sore Throat, Cough, Post-Nasal Drip
- Yes No Hives, Eczema, Food Intolerance
- Yes No Itchy, Watery Eyes
- Yes No Seasonal Symptoms

Sinus --- Do you suffer from any of the following?

- Yes No Headache (forehead, eyes or cheek)
- Yes No Runny nose or dripping from the back of your nose into your throat
- Yes No Persistent or recurrent symptoms despite taking antibiotics or nasal sprays
- Yes No Difficulty breathing through nose or nasal congestion
- Yes No Coughing, Sore Throat, Ear Symptoms, Teeth Pain
- Yes No Symptoms lasting longer than 90 days or 4 or more episodes a year

Sleep/Snoring --- Do you have any of the following symptoms?

- Yes No Snore Loudly
- Yes No Been observed to stop breathing, choke or gasp while sleeping
- Yes No Neck/Collar size greater than 17 inches
- Yes No Feel tired, fatigued, or sleepy during the daytime
- Yes No High blood pressure



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Financial Consent

I hereby authorize Atlanta Institute for ENT PC (AIENT PC) to release all information necessary to secure payment.

I certify that the information given by me for payment by my insurance plan(s) is correct. I authorize any holder of medical or other information about me to release to the above plan or its intermediaries or carriers any information needed for this or any related insurance claim. I request that the payments of authorized benefits be made to AIENT PC on my behalf. I assign the benefits payable for medical services to the physician or organization furnishing the services and authorize such physician/organization to submit a claim to the above insurance on my behalf.

I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether paid by my insurance, including any deductibles, co-pays, and co-insurance, and that payments are due at the time services rendered.

I understand and agree that in the event that I fail to make payment for services rendered to me, my name and account may be turned over to an attorney and/or a 3rd party collection agency and I agree to pay the additional collection fee of 30% of the outstanding amount owed, including any court cost, and/or reasonable attorney fees that may be incurred in the collection of any outstanding balance.

Consent for Treatment: I hereby voluntarily consent to outpatient care at AIENT PC, encompassing routine diagnostic procedures, examination, and medical treatment including, but not limited to, routine laboratory work (such as blood, urine and other studies), endoscopy, CTs, audiology testing, allergy testing and treatment, and administration of medications prescribed by the physician. I understand that the above diagnostic procedures and testing are separate from my office visit and may be subject to deductible and co-insurance.

I further consent to the performance of those diagnostic procedures, examination and rendering of medical treatment by the physicians and their assistants, including audiologist, medical assistants, or their designees as is necessary in the physician judgment.

Message Consent: It is our policy to verbally notify you, the patient, of all test results ordered by your care provider and to confirm scheduled appointments. By indicating a response below, you are authorizing our staff to leave a detailed message on your voicemail and/or answering machine.

Signature of Patient/Representative

Date

Relationship to Patient

PBM Consent/Electronic Information Change

By signing this consent form, I am authorizing AIENT PC to request and use my prescription medication history from other health care providers and/or third-party pharmacy payers for treatment purposes.

Pharmacy Benefits Manager (PBM) are third-party administrators/prescription programs, whose primary responsibility is processing and paying prescription drug claims. They also develop and maintain formularies which are lists of dispensable drugs covered by a particular benefit plan.

Appointment reminders/Marketing E-Mails: AIENT PC uses a third-party appointment reminder and marketing e-mail system to notify patients of their upcoming appointments and treatment options via e-mail, text messages and phone.

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Medicare Consent – Applies to Medicare Beneficiaries ONLY

I certify that the information given to me in applying for payment under Title XVIII and/or Title XIX, of the Social Security Act, is correct. I authorize any holder of medical or other information about me to release the Social Security Administration or its intermediary carriers, any information needed for this or a related Medicare or Medicaid claim. I request that payment of authorized benefits be made on my behalf. I assign the benefits payable for physician/audiology services. I understand I am responsible for my health insurance deductibles and co-insurance.

Signature of Patient/Representative

Date

Relationship to Patient

Assignment of Benefits

Financial Responsibility: I have read, understand, and agree to AIENT PC's Financial Policy. I understand that charges not covered by my insurance company, as well as any applicable co-payments and deductibles are my responsibility. All professional services rendered are charged to the patient and are due at the time-of-service, unless other arrangements have been made in advance by either the patient or his/her health insurance carrier. Necessary forms will be completed to file for insurance carrier payments.

Assignment of Benefits: I hereby assign all medical and surgical benefits, to include major medical benefits to which I am entitled. I hereby authorize and direct my insurance carrier(s), including Medicare, private insurance and any other health/medical plan, to issue payment check(s) directly to AIENT PC, affiliated companies or authorized billing agent for medical services rendered to myself and/or my dependents. I understand that I am responsible for any amount not covered by insurance.

Authorization to Release Information: I hereby authorize AIENT PC to: 1.) Release any information necessary to insurance carriers regarding my illness and treatments; 2.) To process insurance claims generated in the course of examination or treatment; and 3.) To allow photocopy of my signature to be used to process insurance claims. This order will remain in effect until revoked by me in writing. I have requested medical services from AIENT PC on behalf of myself and/or my dependent(s) and understand that by making this request that I become fully financially responsible for any and all charges incurred in the course of the treatment authorized. I understand that I will be responsible for any court costs or collection fees should it become necessary to take action to collect for services/supplies rendered. I further understand that fees are due and payable on the date that services are rendered and agree to pay all such charges incurred in-full and immediately upon presentation of the appropriate statement. A photocopy of this assignment is to be considered as valid as the original.

Request for Summary Plan Description: ERISA grants a plan beneficiary/participant the right to require the plan administrator to provide certain specified documents by making a written request. This right is granted by 29 U.S.C. 1024(b)(4) which provides as follows:

The administrator shall, upon written request of any participant or beneficiary, furnish a copy of the latest updated summary, plan description, and the latest annual report, any terminal report, the bargaining agreement, trust agreement, contract, or other instruments under which the plan is established or operated.

A plan administrator's failure to provide this information within 30 days results in a cause of action in favor of the beneficiary/participant against the administrator for the recovery of a penalty of up to \$110 per day for each day of noncompliance. 29 U.S.C. 1132(c)(1)(B). The statute sets the amount at \$100 per day, but a federal regulation, 29 CFR § 2575.502c-1, effective August 1999, authorizes up to \$110 per day.

By signing below, I request that a copy of all contracts of which I participate for health care coverage, including but not limited to, Summary Plan Descriptions, Summary Benefit Descriptions, Insurance Contracts, Health Insurance Contracts, Amendments to Plan Documents for the current benefit plan year be mailed directly to: Atlanta Institute for ENT at 5670 Peachtree Dunwoody Road NE, Suite 1280, Atlanta, GA 30342. I am requesting this information be sent directly to my provider's office, pursuant to my rights under ERISA.

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Notice of Privacy Practices

ATLANTA INSTITUTE FOR ENT, PC NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

I. Our Duty to Safeguard Your Protected Health Information:

We understand that medical information about you is personal and confidential. Be assured that we are committed to protecting that information. We are required by law to maintain the privacy of protected health information and to provide you with this Notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to protected health information. We are required by law to abide by the terms of this Notice, and we reserve the right to change the terms of this Notice, making any revision applicable to all the protected health information we maintain. If we revise the terms of this Notice, we will post a revised notice and make paper and electronic copies of this Notice of Privacy Practices for Protected Health Information available upon request. We are required by law to notify you in the event of a breach of your protected health information.

In general, when we release your personal information, we must release only the information needed to achieve the purpose of the use or disclosure. However, all your personal health information that you designate will be available for release if you sign an authorization form, if you request the information for yourself, to a provider regarding your treatment, or due to a legal requirement. We will not use or sell any of your personal information for marketing purposes without your written authorization.

II. How We May Use and Disclose Your Protected Health Information:

For uses and disclosures relating to treatment, payment, or health care operation, we do not need an authorization to use and disclose your medical information:

For treatment: We may disclose your medical information to doctors, nurses, and other health care personnel who are involved in providing your health care. We may use your medical information to provide you with medical treatment or services. For example, your doctor may be providing treatment for a heart problem and need to make sure that you do not have any other health problems that could interfere. The doctor might use your medical history to determine what method of treatment (such as drug or surgery) is best for you. Your medical information might also be shared among members of your treatment team, or with your pharmacist(s). To obtain payment: We may use and/or disclose your medical information in order to bill and collect payment for your health care services or to obtain permission for an anticipated plan of treatment. For example, for Medicare or an insurance company to pay for your treatment we must submit a bill that identifies you, your diagnosis, and the services provided to you. As a result, we will pass this type of health information on to an insurer to help receive payment for your medical bills. For health care operations: We may use and/or disclose your medical information in the course of operating our practice. For example, we may use your medical information in evaluating the quality of services provided or disclose your medical information to our accountant or other professionals for audit purposes.

In addition, unless you object, we may use your health information to send you appointment reminders or information about treatment alternatives or other health-related benefits that may be of interest to you. For example, we may look at your medical record to determine the date and time of your next appointment with us, and then send you a reminder or call to help you remember the appointment. Or, we may look at your medical information and decide that another treatment or a new service we offer may interest you.

We may also use and/or disclose your medical information in accordance with federal and state laws for the following purposes:

We may disclose your medical information to law enforcement or other specialized government functions in response to a court order, subpoena, warrant, summons, or similar process.

We may disclose medical information when a law requires that we report information about suspected abuse, neglect, or domestic violence, or relating to suspected criminal activity, or in response to a court order. We must also disclose medical information to authorities who monitor compliance with these privacy requirements.

We may disclose medical information when we are required to collect information about disease or injury, or to report vital statistics to the public health authority. We may also disclose medical information to the protection and advocacy agency, or another agency responsible for monitoring the health care system for such purposes as reporting or investigation of unusual incidents.

We may disclose medical information relating to an individual's death to coroners, medical examiners or funeral directors, and to organ procurement organizations relating to organ, eye, or tissue donations or transplants.

In certain circumstances, we may disclose medical information to assist medical research. In order to avoid a serious threat to health or safety, we may disclose medical information to law enforcement or other persons who can reasonably prevent or lessen the threat of harm, or to help with the coordination of disaster relief efforts.



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If people such as family members, relatives, or close personal friends are involved in your care or helping you pay medical bills, we may release important health information about you to those people. We may also share medical information with these people to notify them about your location, general condition, or death.

We may disclose your medical information as authorized by law relating to workers' compensation or similar programs.

We may disclose your medical information in the course of certain judicial or administrative proceedings.

Other uses and disclosures of your medical information not covered by this notice or the laws that apply to us will be made only with your written authorization. If you provide permission to use or disclose medical information about you, you may revoke that permission, in writing, at any time. You understand that we are unable to take back any disclosures we have already made with your permission, and that we are required to retain our record of the care that we provided you.

III. Your Rights Regarding Your Medical Information:

You have several rights regarding your health information. If you wish to exercise any of these rights, please contact our Privacy Officer at 404-257-7215. Specifically, you have the following rights:

You have the right to ask that we limit how we use or disclose your medical information. You have the right to ask that we send you information at an alternative address or by an alternative means. We will consider your request but are not legally bound to agree to the restriction. We will agree to your request if it is reasonably easy for us to do so. To request confidential communications, you must make your request in writing to our medical records department. We will not ask you the reason for your request. Your request must specify how or where you wish to be contacted.

You have the right to restrict disclosure of medical information to a health plan if you have paid out of pocket in full for such service or healthcare item.

With a few exceptions (such as psychotherapy notes or information gathered for judicial proceedings), you have a right to inspect and copy your protected health information if you put your request in writing. If we deny your access, we will give you written reasons for the denial and explain any right to have the denial reviewed. We may charge you a reasonable fee if you want a copy of your health information. You have a right to choose what portions of your information you want copied and to have prior information on the cost of copying.

If you believe that there is a mistake or missing information in our record of your medical information you may request that we correct or add to the record. Your request must be in writing and give a reason as to why your health information should be changed. Any denial will state the reasons for denial and explain your rights to have the request and denial, along with any statement in response that you provide, appended to your medical information. If we approve the request for amendment, we will amend the medical information and so inform you.

In some limited circumstances, you have the right to ask for a list of the disclosures of your health information we have made during the previous six years. The list will not include disclosures made to you; for purposes of treatment, payment or healthcare operations, for which you signed an authorization or for other reasons for which we are not required to keep a record of disclosures. There will be no charge for such list in each 12-month period. There may be a charge for frequent requests.

You have a right to receive a paper copy of this Notice and/or an electronic copy from our Web site. If you have received an electronic copy, we will provide you with a paper copy of the Notice upon request.

IV. How to Complain about our Privacy Practices:

If you want more information about our privacy practices or have questions or concerns, we encourage you to contact us.

If you think we may have violated your privacy rights, or you disagree with a decision we made about access to your medical information, we encourage you to speak or write to our Privacy Officer. You also may file a written complaint with the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services at the Office for Civil Rights Region IV office. We will provide the mailing address at your request.

We support your right to the privacy of your health information.

If you have questions about this Notice or any complains about our privacy practices, please contact our Privacy Officer, either by phone or in writing at:

AIENT Privacy Officer, 5670 Peachtree Dunwoody Road NE, Suite 1280, Atlanta, GA 30342, 404-257-1589

Signature of Patient or Patient Representative

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Consent Forms Acknowledgement

I, the patient, hereby have read and understand the following:

- Financial Consent, Message Consent and Consent for Treatment
- PBM Consent & Electronic Information Exchange
- Medicare Consent (If Applicable)
- Notice of Privacy Practices

Any information that is documented in this new patient packet is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Furthermore, I acknowledge I have been given the opportunity to review AIENT's Privacy Policy. It will be made available to me upon the request at the front desk.

Signature of Patient/Representative	Date	Relationship to Patient

Patient Agreement for Communication

I understand that as part of my healthcare, Atlanta Institute for ENT will need to contact me in order to remind me of an appointment, provide test results, give instructions, or provide other information.

I authorize Atlanta Institute for ENT to contact me in the following ways (check those which you authorize):

- Home Phone: _____ Voicemail OK
- Work Phone: _____ Voicemail OK
- Cell Phone: _____ Voicemail OK Text OK
- E-Mail Email Address: _____

I understand that Atlanta Institute for ENT will use the minimum necessary information needed when communicating with me indirectly. I understand that I may revoke or modify this agreement at any time. Any revocation or change will not apply to past communications.

I further authorize Atlanta Institute for ENT to discuss matters related to my condition/care with the following:

(Please Print)	Relationship to Patient
(Please Print)	Relationship to Patient
(Please Print)	Relationship to Patient

Patient Signature (Guardian if patient is a minor)	Date
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