

IN BALANCE PHYSICAL THERAPY

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**Patient Registration Form**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ MI: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_

Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone carrier: \_\_\_\_\_ Please initial for reminder calls: \_\_\_\_\_ (circle: text/email)

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

Family Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Location (City, State): \_\_\_\_\_

Referring Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Location (City, State): \_\_\_\_\_

Would you please tell us how you found our office? (check all that apply)

- Doctor Referral     Friend/Family Member     Insurance Company
- Internet Search     Other (please explain): \_\_\_\_\_

Policy Acknowledgements : My signature below serves as my confirmation of having read and understood the following policies: (Please check)

- Condition and Consent for Evaluation and Treatment
- HIPAA Notification
- Financial Policy

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Name (Print) Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature Signature of Guardian (if applicable)

## CONSENT

### Condition and Consent for Evaluation and Treatment of Pelvic Floor Dysfunction

I acknowledge and understand that I have been referred to In Balance Physical Therapy & Pelvic Health, LLC for evaluation and treatment of pelvic floor dysfunction. Pelvic floor dysfunctions include but are not limited to urinary or fecal incontinence, difficulty with bowel, bladder or sexual functions, painful scars after childbirth or surgery, persistent sacroiliac or low back pain, and vulva or pelvic pain conditions.

I understand that to evaluate my condition it may be necessary, initially and periodically, to have my therapist perform an internal pelvic floor muscle examination. This examination is performed by observing and palpating the perineal region including the vagina and/or rectum. This evaluation will assess skin condition, reflexes, muscle tone, length, strength and endurance, scar mobility and function of the pelvic floor region. I understand that this evaluation and/or treatment could potentially elicit pain or discomfort. This discomfort is usually temporary; if it does not subside in 24 hours, I agree to contact my physical therapist.

Your physical therapist is female. No chaperone will be provided during your physical therapy evaluation and treatment sessions unless you request a chaperone to be present. You may choose to bring a friend or family member during the physical therapy evaluation or treatment at any time.

Treatment may include, but not be limited to the following: observation, palpation, use of vaginal weights, vaginal or rectal sensors for biofeedback and/or electrical stimulation, ultrasound, heat, cold, stretching and strengthening exercises, soft tissue and/or joint mobilization and educational instruction.

I understand that no guarantees have been or can be provided regarding the success of therapy. I have informed my therapist of any condition that would limit my ability to have an evaluation or to be treated. I hereby request and consent to the evaluation and treatment to be provided by the therapists and therapy assistants and technicians of In Balance Physical Therapy & Pelvic Health, LLC.

Conditions:

In order for physical therapy treatment to be effective, I must come to scheduled appointments unless there are unusual circumstances. I understand and agree to cooperate with and perform the home physical therapy program intended for me. If I have trouble with any part of my treatment program, I will discuss it with my therapist.

**I understand that if I cancel more than 24 hours in advance, I will not be charged. I understand that if I cancel less than 24 hours in advance, I will pay a cancellation fee of \$50.**

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Patient Name (Please Print)

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Parent or Guardian (If applicable)

## Assignment of Benefits

By signing below you are verifying your consent to allow your insurance carrier to make payments directly to In Balance Physical Therapy at 21 Crossroads Drive, Ste 210, Owings Mills, MD 21117 for all services rendered at the same location. You are also confirming that you have are aware that the verification of benefits is not a guarantee of payment by your insurance carrier and any claims unpaid by your insurance become your responsibility.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient's Signature      Date

## In Balance Physical Therapy Authorization for Use, Disclosure or Release of Protected Health Information and/or Medical Records

I hereby request and authorize the use, disclosure and/or release by In Balance Physical Therapy and its employees of medical records and/or medical information, including my social security number (if I gave it at admission) or other protected health information as described below:

Patient's name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Patient's address: \_\_\_\_\_ Patient's Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Please identify who is to receive the medical records or other health information that may be used or released:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Please describe specifically what medical records or other health information may be used or released:  
\_\_\_\_\_

Unless the "No" box is marked, this Authorization extends to such psychiatric, mental health, and drug and alcohol abuse treatment information, if any, as may be contained in said medical record including information protected by I.C. 16-39-1-9, I.C. 16-39-2-1 through 16-39-4-2 and I.C. 16-41-8-1. This release permits re-disclosure in accordance with 42 C.F.R., Part 2, which is a federal regulation governing release and use of medical information pertaining to treatment for alcohol and drug abuse.  NO

Unless the "No" box is marked, the Authorization also extends to information regarding communicable diseases, including human immunodeficiency virus (HIV), and AIDS related complex (ARC) and acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (AIDS), if contained in said medical record.  NO

I understand that upon release and disclosure of the protected medical records and information, the records and information may be subject to re-disclosure by the recipient and may no longer be protected by federal privacy regulations.

I understand that In Balance Physical Therapy will not deny treatment or eligibility for benefits based upon whether I sign this authorization. I also understand that an authorization may be necessary in order to process any request I have made for a release of medical records or other medical information. I may inspect or copy any information used or disclosed under this authorization.

I understand that I may revoke this authorization in writing at any time by mailing or delivering a written revocation to In Balance Physical Therapy. The revocation will be effective upon receipt by In Balance Physical Therapy, except to the extent that In Balance Physical Therapy has taken action in reliance on this authorization. I further understand that this authorization will expire sixty (60) days from the Signature Date for all records unless I specify a different expiration date or event here: \_\_\_\_\_.

I understand that there may be a charge to cover actual costs incurred by In Balance Physical Therapy up to \$15.00 in preparing and delivering the information requested in this authorization, in accordance with Maryland statutes and In Balance Physical Therapy policies.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed if legal representative: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to the patient: \_\_\_\_\_  
Printed name: \_\_\_\_\_

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

**PAST MEDICAL HISTORY**

REASON FOR YOUR VISIT TODAY:

ALLERGIES (MEDICATION/FOOD, INDICATE REACTION):  NONE

MEDICATION LIST: (PLEASE LIST NAME/DOSE/FREQUENCY IF KNOWN)

**Habits:** Alcohol:  None  Yes: How many drinks/day \_\_\_\_\_ frequency/week \_\_\_\_\_ What kind \_\_\_\_\_  
Tobacco:  None  Yes: Chew or smoke? \_\_\_\_\_ How many/day \_\_\_\_\_ since \_\_\_\_\_  
Caffeine:  None  Yes: What kind \_\_\_\_\_ How many/day \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Recreational Drugs:  None  Yes: What kind \_\_\_\_\_ How many/day \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you drive?  Yes  No Do you exercise?  Yes  No  
Sexual preference:  Men  Women  Both History of sexual abuse?  Yes  No  
Are you sexually active? Y N If No, would you like to be sexually active?  Yes  No

Children (age): \_\_\_\_\_  
Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_  
Sports: \_\_\_\_\_  
Pets: \_\_\_\_\_  
Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**PAST SURGICAL HISTORY (INDICATE DATE IF KNOWN)**

- None
- Cardiac Stents \_\_\_\_\_
- Heart Valve \_\_\_\_\_
- Appendectomy \_\_\_\_\_
- Hemorrhoidectomy \_\_\_\_\_
- Hysterectomy \_\_\_\_\_
- Spinal Surgery \_\_\_\_\_
- Bladder surgery \_\_\_\_\_
- C-Section \_\_\_\_\_
- Other \_\_\_\_\_
- Coronary Bypass \_\_\_\_\_
- Pacemaker \_\_\_\_\_
- Gall Bladder \_\_\_\_\_
- Bowel/Stomach Resection \_\_\_\_\_
- Bariatric surgery \_\_\_\_\_
- Hernia \_\_\_\_\_
- Tubal Ligation \_\_\_\_\_
- Prostate surgery/resection \_\_\_\_\_
- Orthopedic/joints \_\_\_\_\_

**Past Medical History**

- |                             |  |                              |  |
|-----------------------------|--|------------------------------|--|
| Stroke                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | HIV / AIDS                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Diabetes (Type 1 or Type 2) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Chronic Wounds               | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Hearing Loss                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Cancer (type) _____          | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| High Blood Pressure         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Incontinence                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Blood Clots                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Kidney Stones                | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Pulm Emboli (lung clots)    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | COPD (Emphysema, Bronchitis) | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Reflux                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Asthma                       | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Heart Disease               | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Depression                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Coronary Disease            | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Bipolar Disorder             | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| MI/heart attacks            | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Anxiety                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Congestive Heart Failure    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Fibromyalgia                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Atrial Fibrillation         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Chronic Fatigue Syndrome     | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| STD _____                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Arthritis                    | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Gastrointestinal Bleeding   | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Osteoporosis                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Hepatitis (A, B, C)         | <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No | Other _____                  |  |

**If you are here for issues specifically related to Women's Health please also complete the following questions:**

**OB:** Are you Pregnant? Y N If yes, when was your last Ob-gyn visit? \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of Pregnancies: \_\_\_\_\_ Vaginal Deliveries: \_\_\_\_\_ C-Sections: \_\_\_\_\_ DandC: \_\_\_\_\_ Miscarriages: \_\_\_\_\_ Abortions: \_\_\_\_\_  
Longest Length of pushing: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of episiotomies: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of tears: \_\_\_\_\_  
Do you have a painful episiotomy scar? Y N Do you have a painful C-section scar? Y N

**GYN:** Do you experience menstrual pain? Y N Do you have endometriosis? Y N  
Have you experienced menopause? Y N Approximate date of onset? \_\_\_\_\_  
Have you been on hormone replacement therapy? Y N If yes, what type? \_\_\_\_\_

**UROLOGY:** Do you have a history of frequent UTI? Y N Do you have a history of urine loss as a child? Y N  
Do you have a history of urine loss as an adolescent? Y N Do you have a history of urine loss during pregnancy or after childbirth? Y N  
Do you have Interstitial Cystitis? Y N Do you have IBS? Y N

**If you are here for issues specifically related to MENS HEALTH please also complete the following questions:**

**Sexual Function:**

Do you have any difficulty getting or keeping a firm (hard) erection? Y N  
Do you have trouble maintaining a firm (hard) erection to completion of intercourse (i.e. Do you lose your erection too quickly)? Y N  
Can you achieve an orgasm? Y N Can you ejaculate normally? Y N  
Do you experience pain with erections? Y N Do you experience pain with orgasm? Y N

**Prostate:**

Have you ever been treated for prostate cancer? Y N Have you had surgery for prostate cancer? Y N  
Have you had radiation for prostate cancer? Y N Have you had surgery for benign prostate enlargement? Y N  
Are you on androgen deprivation therapy for prostate cancer? Y N

**Urology:**

Do you have a history of frequent UTI? Y N Do you have a history of urine loss as a child? Y N  
Do you have a history of urine loss as an adolescent? Y N Do you have Interstitial Cystitis (Painful Bladder Syndrome)? Y N

**HIPAA Notification**

**Notice of Privacy Practices :** We care about our patients' privacy and strive to protect the confidentiality of your medical information at this practice. New federal legislation requires that we issue this official notice of our privacy practices. You have the right to the confidentiality of your medical information, and this practice is required by law to maintain the privacy of that protected health information. This practice is required to abide by the terms of the Notice of Privacy Practices currently in effect, and to provide notice of its legal duties and privacy practices with respect to protected health information. If you have any questions about this notice, please contact the Privacy Officer at this practice. If you would like detailed information regarding how we may use and disclose medical information about you and your individual rights regarding your medical information, please let us know and you will be provided with a copy of our Privacy Practices.

**Patient Statement :** I am aware that this practice, as required by law, maintains the privacy of protected health information as prescribed by HIPAA and that I have access to its provisions. I have been provided an opportunity to review the Notice of Privacy Practices. I understand that, by signing this form, I am confirming my authorization for use and/or disclosure of the protected health information described in the Notice. I may revoke this authorization at any time in writing.

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **In Balance Physical Therapy: FINANCIAL POLICY**

We are pleased that you have selected our office to address your women's health and orthopedic physical therapy needs. As part of that care, we have developed this statement of our financial policy. Please carefully read the following and then initial in the space provided near each paragraph, and then sign below.

1)  Health Insurance Participation: In Balance Physical Therapy participates with many, but not all health insurance plans. If we do participate with your health insurance plan, you must present a valid insurance identification card at check-in. Without a valid insurance card, or if we do not participate in your health insurance plan, you will need to speak with the office manager or owner prior to treatment.

2)  Co-Payments/Co-insurance: Some insurance plans require payment of a Co-pay or Co-insurance. Payments are due at check-in or check-out. Payments may be made by check, cash, MasterCard or VISA.

3)  Referrals: Some insurance plans require a written referral from a primary care provider. Referrals must be presented at check-in. Having a valid referral is a patient's responsibility. It is your responsibility to know how many visits are allowed on your referral and the expiration date of your referral. Without a valid referral if you need one for your insurance, you may reschedule your appointment or payment for your visit will be due upon treatment.

4)  Financial Responsibility: Patients are responsible for all co-payments, deductibles, and charges not covered by health insurance.

5)  Deductibles: If you have a large deductible (\$500/contract year or more) that has not yet been met, you will pay \$75.00 per visit up front until you receive your Explanation of Benefits (EOB) from your insurance company. Once your EOB has been sent and the exact amount due is learned, you will be responsible for the remainder of your deductible (if any) at that time. If you have overpaid on your deductible, you will be reimbursed within 7 to 14 days of IBPT receiving your EOB from your insurance company.

6)  Account Balances: All outstanding balances must be paid at time of check-in, or if you need, you may set up a payment plan with the office manager or owner. Failure to pay outstanding balances in a timely manner may result in the practice forwarding your account to a Collection Agency or Collection Attorney of our choice and may result in additional fees, including an administrative fee of 30%. Again, you may set up a payment plan with the owner, and this will be set up on an individual basis. You will be given plenty of fair notice prior to any balance being sent to a Collection Agency. Any unpaid balances will be subject to a \$15 per month late charge for each month left unpaid.

7)  Cancellation: Any cancellation made over the weekend or on a holiday for the very next business day will be subject to a \$50.00 cancellation fee.

8)  Cancellation/No-Show: You must cancel any appointment with a full 24 hour business days notice on the telephone or via email (jberger@inbalancephysicaltherapy.com) or you are subject to a \$50.00 cancellation/No-Show fee.

I ( the client of In Balance Physical Therapy) have read and understand the office policies explained above:

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

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

OFFICE USE ONLY - Do not sign:

Therapist who reviewed financial policy with this client:

(Print Name): \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_