

## INTERIM HEALTH CARE DIRECTIVE

I, hereby authorize the disclosure	and release of any of my
individually identifiable health information and any other med	lical records to my agent,
, who resides at	, and whose
telephone number is ( ) This Authorizati	on is intended to satisfy the
requirements of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability A	act (42 U.S.C. Section 1320d)
(HIPAA) and similar State statutes.	
I also hereby designate, who resides at	
and whose telephone number is ( ), as my me	edical agent to make medical
decisions for me if I am not able.	
The entities who are authorized to disclose and release my ind	lividually identifiable health
information and any other medical records to my agent are any entity	or entities that are subject to
the privacy requirements of HIPAA and CMIA.	
I intend that my agent be treated as I would be with respect to my	rights regarding the use and
disclosure of my individually identifiable health information or other	r medical records. My agent
who receives any such information and records pursuant to this authorized	orization may make whatever
use of such information as is necessary for purposes of carrying out t	that agent's duties toward me,
as determined by my agent.	
This Authorization is effective only upon my incapacity.	
Date:	
Subscribed and sworn before me, this day of, 20	
Notary Public (Se	eal)
(Acknowledgment page may be required-check with your Notary)	



An important part of expressing your private wish is to, "make it official", or further memorialize your wish. We at wishes4life have compiled simplified documents that are free and intended to help you with this very important next step. These are "bare bones" documents. We recommend that you seek the advice of an attorney in your State to prepare a more comprehensive estate plan when you are able. In the meantime, we hope the documents provided will help make it easier for you to, "make it official".

\*Check with you local state statutes regarding the proper execution of estate documents

<u>If document is notarized</u>: Many state statutes require that these types of documents be notarized by a notary public. Check with a notary public in your state for proper execution procedures to make your document official.

If document is witnessed: Many state statutes require that the testator's signature be at the end of the will. If it is not, the entire will may be invalidated in those states, and the testator's property will pass according to the laws of descent and distribution. The testator should sign the will before the witnesses sign, but the reverse order is usually permissible if all sign as part of a single transaction. Witnesses. Statutes require a certain number of witnesses to a will. Most require two, although others mandate three. The witnesses sign the will and must be able to attest (certify) that the testator was competent at the time he made the will. Though there are no formal qualifications for a witness, it is important that a witness not have a financial interest in the will and be at least 18 years of age."

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