

Dr. [REDACTED]

**Independent Medication Examination
Consent for Examination and Limits of Confidentiality**

It is important that you are aware that a traditional doctor-patient relationship will not exist in that no form of treatment will be provided, that you understand the nature of the assessment and consent to a thorough assessment, and that you agree to neither note taking, nor operation of recording or transmitting devices during the assessment. Also, you acknowledge that you are free to discontinue the examination at any time or to refuse to answer any questions.

Following commencing the assessment there are specific limitations to confidentiality which may apply and they have been listed below. By signing the below, you are acknowledging that you are consenting to the examination and are aware of the limitations to confidentiality.

1. If Dr. [REDACTED] is concerned that you may be a serious danger to yourself, you may be certified and admitted to hospital against your will for monitoring and psychiatric treatment, if necessary.
2. If Dr. [REDACTED] is concerned that you may be a serious danger to another person, you may be certified and admitted to hospital against your will for monitoring and psychiatric treatment, if necessary. Additionally, the police and other relevant individuals may need to be contacted as well.
3. At any time in the future, it is possible that a judge may subpoena your clinical record if he or she determines that your record is relevant to the **civil** (divorce, child custody matters or a lawsuit, for example) or **criminal** proceedings at that time, unless this assessment is privileged, and you and your lawyer do not release it to the Court.
4. The Child and Family Services Act (CFSA) requires Dr. [REDACTED] if he has reasonable grounds to suspect emotional, physical or sexual abuse of a child, to report this suspicion and the information on which it is based.
5. Under the Highway Traffic Act, a physician is required to report any individual who, in the opinion of the medical practitioner, is suffering from a condition that may make it dangerous for that person to operate a motor vehicle, specifying whether the concern is based on mental health, or substance-related grounds.
6. Under the Aeronautics Act, a physician is required to report any individual who, in the opinion of the medical practitioner, is suffering from a medical or optometric condition that is likely to constitute a hazard to aviation safety.
7. If a physician becomes aware that another health care provider has sexually abused a patient, this must be reported to the relevant regulatory body.

DATE: _____

Patient name: _____

Patient signature: _____

Reviewed with patient by: Dr. [REDACTED] _____