Notice of Disclosure To The PelEX Health Information Exchange

This is to notify you that Jefferson Parish Human Services Authority, including its program, JeffCare (JPHSA), shares certain protected healthcare information with PelEX. PelEX is an electronic health information exchange that provides participating healthcare providers access to data in your electronic health records. The information shared in PelEx includes your diagnosis, name of treatment provider, medications, and prescriber notes. This information is shared in the system in order to assist JPHSA as well as other participating providers you see make an informed decision about your treatment.

**You have the right to opt-out of the disclosure of your protected healthcare information to this exchange.**

If you decide to opt-out, you are required to do so in one of the following ways:

* + Go to the PelEX website at <https://pelexhie.org/contact-main/patient-opt-out-contact-form/>

Or

* + Call (504) 301-9835 and ask to opt out.

JPHSA staff can assist you with the opt-out process and answer any questions you may have about PelEX and the benefits of participation. If you decide to participate, you still have the option to opt-out at any time.

**You must take Action to opt-out of PelEX if you do not want your information to be included in PelEX.**

PelEX will have access to your information on the fourth day following this visit with a JPHSA provider. If you choose to consent and allow JPHSA, including its program, JeffCare, to share this information, then you do not need to do anything.

Your signature on this form acknowledges that you have read this notice and that JPHSA staff answered your questions. Your signature also shows that you understand you have 3 days from this visit with JPHSA to opt-out of PelEX before your information is automatically shared.

Sign Name Parent or Guardian Signature (if applicable)

Print Name Print Name of Parent/Guardian (if applicable)

Date Date