



**Shama Saqi, Physician, PLLC**  
Adult, Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist

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**PATIENT'S INFORMATION**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

Last

First

MI

DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ MALE \_\_\_\_\_ FEMALE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

HOME PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ CELL \_\_\_\_\_

PATIENT'S  
EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_

**MEDICATIONS** \_\_\_\_\_

**ALLERGIES** \_\_\_\_\_ Referred By \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred Pharmacy \_\_\_\_\_

EMERGENCY CONTACT \_\_\_\_\_

Name

Relationship

Best Number for Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Payor Information (Must be filled out if the patient is under 18 years of age  
OR when another party responsible for payment BY SAID PARTY)**

Individual Financially Responsible \_\_\_\_\_

Best Number to reach you at \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Email for Invoice \_\_\_\_\_

HOME  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ WORK \_\_\_\_\_ CELL \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Responsible party **X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

# Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC

## PAYMENT POLICY

**Payment is expected at the time of your visit.** All bills that are 90 days or more past due will be referred to a collection agency. If you are over 18, the collections request will go under YOUR name, not your parents.

An itemized paid superbill will be provided to you via email, normally within 1 week, for you to submit to your insurance carrier for reimbursement.

**Appointments must be cancelled at least 24 hours in advance or there will be a charge in the full amount of the scheduled visit. We do not confirm appointments.**

## **CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION**

Our policy is to maintain a current credit card on file so that payments not made at the time of the appointment may still be processed at the time the billing is done. Your credit card will not be billed if you pay by cash, credit card or check at the time of service.

I agree to pay by cash, credit card or check at the time of service and I acknowledge my credit card number on file will be charge in the event that non payment for a visit or if my account becomes past due, unless other arrangements have been made. Payment is due at the time of service.

Type of Credit Card (Tick one)      MasterCard      Visa      Amex      Discover  
Name as it appears on card \_\_\_\_\_  
Credit card number \_\_\_\_\_ security code \_\_\_\_\_  
Address of card holder \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of cardholder \_\_\_\_\_

## **ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF BILLING POLICIES AND PRACTICES**

I acknowledge that I have read, understand and agree with the policies of Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC.

Patient or Guardian \_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name

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

Signature of person responsible for payment If different from patient or guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC

**INSURANCE INFORMATION IS NEEDED AT TIMES FOR AUTHORIZING TESTING AND OR MEDICATIONS. PLEASE COMPLETE THE SECTION BELOW FOR OUR RECORDS. THANK YOU.**

Patient's Insurance

carrier \_\_\_\_\_ ID# \_\_\_\_\_ Group# \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Mailing address \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Phone # \_\_\_\_\_

### IF PATIENT IS NOT THE INSURED PLEASE COMPLETE

Name of insured \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to patient \_\_\_\_\_ SS# \_\_\_\_\_

### PATIENT COMMUNICATIONS RELEASE FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_ request to have video (Zoom or phone) Session(s) with Dr Shama Saqi. I know my privacy will be assured at the office of Shama Saqi physician, PLLC, although the security of the connection can not be guaranteed. I accept the risks inherent in this form of communication.

For more information about the security via zoom telecommunications, please refer to their website at [www.zoom.com](http://www.zoom.com). \*Patients eligible for zoom 16yo and older, at the doctor's discretion. Thank you.

This authorization will be valid from the date of signature, until revoked in writing.

**Zoom ID #** \_\_\_\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC

## AUTHORIZATION

### Authorization for release of medical, psychiatric and billing records (Protected Health Information)

The information covered by this authorization includes all medical, psychiatric and billing information pertaining to your care at Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC and Dr. Shama Saqi. The information may be used and/or disclosed by the physicians and staff pertaining to your care.

Please list the names and phone numbers of any private physicians, therapists and/or family members that you wish to have authorization to speak with Dr. Saqi. Patients over 18 years of age must give permission for their provider to speak to their parents.

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If you wish to restrict your private medical information from disclosure to an individual or entity (including your insurance company) – please list the names below.

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This authorization is effective through life unless revoked or terminated by the patient or the patient's legal representative. You may revoke or terminate this authorization by submitting a written revocation to the office.

Potential for re-disclosure of information that is disclosed under this authorization may be that it is disclosed again by the person or organization to which it is sent. The privacy of this information may not be protected under federal privacy regulations.

Name of Patient \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Patient **X** \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parent or guardian if patient is a minor **X** \_\_\_\_\_

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# Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC

## Patient Consent for Treatment and Use and Disclosure of Protected Health Information

I hereby give my consent for Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC to use and disclose protected health information (PHI) about me to carry out treatment, payment, and health care operations (TPO) as specifically outlined on my authorization. The Notice of Privacy Practices provided by Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC describes such uses and disclosures more completely.

I have the right to review the Notice of Privacy Practices prior to signing this consent. Shama Saqi Physician PLLC reserves the right to revise its Notice of Privacy Practices at any time. A revised Notice of Privacy Practices may be obtained by forwarding a written request to **Shama Saqi, HIPAA Compliance Officer** for Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC, 79 E Post Road, White Plains, NY 10601. With this consent, Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC may call my home or other alternative location\*\* and leave a message on voicemail or in person in reference to any items that assist the practice in carrying out TPO such as appointment reminders, insurance items and any calls pertaining to my clinical care, including laboratory test results, among others.

With this consent, Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC may mail to my home or other alternative location\*\* any items that assist the practice in carrying out TPO such as appointment reminder cards and patient statements. With this consent, Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC may email to my email address on file or alternative email\*\* any items that assist the practice in carrying out TPO such as appointment reminders and patient statements. I have the right to request that Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC restrict how it uses or discloses my PHI in order to carry out TPO. The practice is not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if it does, it is bound by this agreement.

By signing this form, I am consenting to allow Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC to provide treatment for myself or my child (which ever applicable). I may revoke my consent in writing except for treatment already provided and to the extent that the practice has already made disclosures in reliance upon my prior consent. If I do not sign this consent, or later revoke it, Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC may decline to provide treatment to me/or my child.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient or Legal Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Patient's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Patient or Legal Guardian, if applicable

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

Alternative Location or email (please indicate):  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC**

**CONSENT TO TREAT MINOR CHILDREN  
(Please send this page to us BEFORE YOUR APPOINTMENT)**

I (we), the parent(s) or legal guardian(s) of \_\_\_\_\_,  
born(date):\_\_\_\_\_ do hereby consent to the medical care  
and the treatment determined by Dr. Shama Saqi to be necessary for the welfare  
of my child while child is under her care at Shama Saqi, Physician, PLLC.

This authorization is effective from (date): \_\_\_\_\_ to (date): \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Mother or Legal Guardian**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Father or Legal Guardian**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Date**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness Name (please print)

This consent form should be sent or dropped off to the physician's office before the child  
is taken for treatment.

Father's Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mother's Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\* Please have each parent complete this form. You may email it to  
[ssaqimd@gmail.com](mailto:ssaqimd@gmail.com), Or drop drop it off in the office, thank you.

# Shama Saqi Physician, PLLC

## PATIENT-PROVIDER ELECTRONIC COMMUNICATION AGREEMENT

E-mail, Phone calls and Text messaging offer an easy and convenient way for patients and doctors to communicate. In many circumstances, it has advantages over office visits or telephone calls, but please be aware that there are important differences. All electronic communications carry with it certain risks. Risks of communicating via email include, but are not limited to:

- Email may be seen by unintended viewers if addressed incorrectly.
- Email may be intercepted by hackers and redistributed. Someone posing as you could access your information. Email can be used to spread computer viruses. There is a risk that emails may not be received by either party in a timely manner, as it may be caught by junk/spam filters, or the doctor may be out of the office or on vacation.
- Emails are discoverable in litigation and may be used as evidence in court. Emails can be circulated and stored by unintended recipients.
- Statements made via email may be misunderstood thus creating miscommunication and/or negatively affecting treatment.  
Nonetheless, we believe that the ease of communication which these methods afford is a benefit to patient care. Below are our guidelines for contacting us via e-mail or text.
  - E-mail or texting is never, ever appropriate for urgent or emergency problems! Please use the telephone or go to the Emergency Room of the nearest hospital, for emergencies.
  - E-mails should not be used if you are experiencing any desire to harm yourself or if you are experiencing a severe medication reaction.
  - E-mail is NOT a substitute for seeing your clinician. If you think that you might need to be seen, please book an appointment.
  - Appropriate uses of e-mail include prescription refill requests, referral and appointment scheduling requests and billing questions.
  - E-mails or texts should not be used to communicate sensitive medical information regarding sexually transmitted diseases, AIDS/HIV, mental health, developmental disability or substance abuse.
  - E-mail is not confidential. Emails may be forwarded to office staff to handle routine, non clinical matters.
- Do not use your work computer for emails .You should know that if sending e-mails from work, your employer has a legal right to read your e-mail if the email has gone through their system. E-mails will become part of the permanent medical record and, as such, they will be released along with the rest of the record upon your authorization, or when we are otherwise legally required to do so.
- You must let your provider know immediately if your email changes.  
Please note that our computers and wifi are password protected and encrypted. We do not access email from public wifi spots and emails are treated with the same HIPPA privacy rules. Either one of us can revoke permission to use the e-mail system at any time and must be done by written online communications or in writing to my office.

\_\_\_\_\_(initials please) **I DO want to communicate with my doctor electronically** by either email or text or phone. I have read the above information and understand the limitations of security on information transmitted.

Patient Name \_\_\_\_\_

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

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(if applicable)