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Welcome _____ to our state-of-the-art sleep center! We look forward to helping you achieve "better sleep for better health".

Your study has been scheduled for _____ at 8:00 PM

Please arrive at the sleep lab at your scheduled time. If you arrive early and no one is at the front desk to let you in, please press the call button (located on the wall to the left of the entrance into the lab) and one of our friendly technicians will be with you shortly.

You will be receiving a courtesy reminder call prior to your appointment. **If you do not hear from us by 4pm on the day prior to your study please call us to confirm your appointment.**

If it becomes necessary for you to cancel your appointment, we understand this, and would appreciate at least 48 hours notice. **If we do not receive proper notice you will be charged \$150 for the missed appointment.**

PREPARING FOR YOUR SLEEP STUDY:

- Bring comfortable clothes to sleep in. These may be: pajamas, shorts and a t-shirt, nightgown, etc. Please avoid wearing pants with tight elastic around the ankles.
- We do provide toiletries such as soap, shampoo, and conditioner. However if you prefer a specific brand, you are welcome to bring your own from home.
- Bring comfort items such as your favorite pillow, blanket, or a stuffed animal.
- There may be down time before your hook-up begins, so feel free to bring something to entertain yourself, such as a book, laptop, or DVD.
- If you plan to leave for work the next morning, make sure to bring the necessary items to make the transition.
- Pack any medications you may need for the night of your study and/or for the next day prior to your departure. **If you plan on using a sleeping pill for the sleep study, that medication should only be taken after arriving at the lab.** Before taking any medication, please check with the technician regarding its proper use and administration time.
- Eat all meals as usual; however, try not to consume any caffeine after 2:00 PM. Do not consume any alcohol on the day of your study unless instructed by your physician.

- Please refrain from napping on the day of your study. However, if you do usually nap, do not sleep longer than 30 minutes and not after 1:00 PM.
- Please remove dark fingernail polish from your nails. It is not necessary to remove acrylic nails.
- If it is medically necessary for you to have a caregiver with you at night, please make arrangements with us for this person to accompany you during your stay. We are able to provide sleeping accommodations for your caregiver in your room.
- For your convenience, we supply each patient with shampoo, soap, toothpaste, a toothbrush, and earplugs. We can also provide an eye mask, razor, shaving cream, and combs. ***If you have any other needs please just ask your technician, we might have it.***
- Do not bring valuables with you to the sleep center and do not leave valuables in your vehicle.

If you have any special needs or considerations, please contact us at least 2 days prior to your study at 503-288-5201

WHAT WILL HAPPEN AT THE SLEEP CENTER:

The purpose of a sleep study is to document any physiological events that may be related to a sleep disorder.

Here is a step-by-step explanation of what to expect during your stay:

1. Upon arrival you will be greeted by one of our technicians who will escort you to your room. They will orient you to your room, and present you with some paperwork to fill out.
2. After completion of your paperwork, it will be time to prepare for the “hook up” or electrode application. You'll be asked to get into your nightclothes. The technicians try to perform hook-ups in the order of everyone's bedtimes. *However, because these times and the technician's patient loads may vary, please be prepared for the possibility of some down time before your hook-up.*
3. During the hookup, your technician will apply electrodes with tape or paste. Electrodes will be applied to your scalp, face, chest, and legs. The electrodes will monitor brain waves, muscle movement, and heart rhythms. Elastic bands will be placed around your chest and abdomen. These bands monitor breathing effort. A cannula will be placed in your nose to monitor your breathing airflow. Wires are attached to the electrodes, and are plugged into a box that can be worn around your neck. You will still be able to move about your room. An oxygen saturation probe will be attached to your finger to monitor how much oxygen is in your blood. The equipment may seem a little overwhelming at first, but this procedure is not invasive or painful.
4. After your hook-up you may have some time to relax in your room before your bedtime. We offer cable television, Wi-Fi internet access, DVD players, and some reading material.

5. When it is time to begin the study, the box that the electrodes are plugged into will be attached to a bedside cable. The cable leads to monitoring computers in the sleep center control room.
6. The technician will then perform a routine check out calibration by asking you to repeat simple movements. Your study will then begin and you can go to sleep. If you need to use the restroom during the night, please use the intercom on the nightstand to call your technician. They will enter your room and disconnect you from the cable.
7. Try not to feel restricted. You are allowed to move freely while in bed. All equipment is secured to your body. If a sensor becomes detached a technician will enter your room to reattach it. We try to recreate a night's sleep as similar as possible to what you experience each night at home. If we can assist you in any way please let us know. We are here for you.
8. Once your study is complete your technician will perform a morning check out. After the check out is complete your technician will enter your room and remove all sensors.
9. You will be given some morning questionnaires and breakfast will be served in your room. Feel free to take advantage of your private bath at this time. You may remain in your room until the doctor arrives to speak with you.
10. In an effort to provide the highest quality of care, we would like to review the results of your sleep study in person the morning following your study. This is a service to you, and eliminates the need for an additional office visit. In order to comply with insurance regulations, this is billed as an office visit separate from the sleep study. ***It is subject to a co-pay, if applicable, which will be collected as you check out on the morning after the study.*** *If your study is scheduled for a Friday night or you were directly referred to us by an outside physician you will have a follow-up appointment with your doctor scheduled for another time.*
11. During the night, if we observe significant sleep apnea, we may correct the breathing obstructions with a CPAP machine. CPAP stands for Continuous Positive Airway Pressure. The CPAP provides a constant flow of air pressure that keeps a person's airway open as they sleep, leading to less sleep disruptions. If you qualify to use this machine the technician may apply it during the night. The airflow from the machine is delivered to your airway through a hose and mask. The mask seals around the perimeter of your nose and is secured in place by headgear. If you have any questions about CPAP, or if you have any other concerns, please feel free to contact us.

Directions

From Gresham:

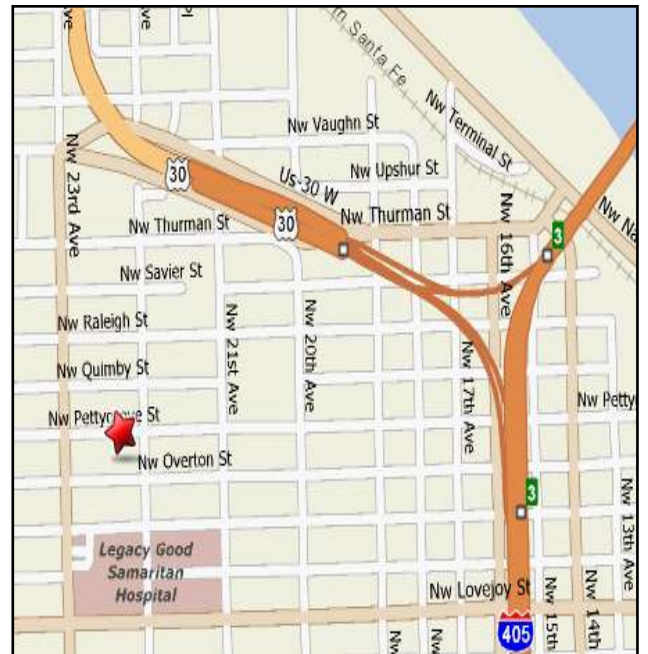
Take I-84 West to I-5 North
Take the I-405 South/Hwy 30 exit
Cross Fremont Bridge follow to Vaughn St Exit
Turn left onto NW 23rd Ave
Turn left onto NW Pettygrove St

From Vancouver:

Take I-5 South towards Portland
Merge onto I-405/US-30 W exit 302B
Merge onto US-30 W exit 3 to NW Ind. Area
Merge onto US-30 W via the Vaughn St exit
Turn left at NW 23rd Ave
Turn left at NW Pettygrove St

From Beaverton/Salem:

Take the I-405 toward Hwy 30
Take Exit #3 toward Hwy 30
Take ramp right toward Vaughn.
Turn Left onto NW 23rd Ave
Turn Left onto NW Pettygrove St



Parking available in our underground garage.
Pettygrove Medical Center

Oregon Sleep Associates
2228 NW Pettygrove St, Suite 150
Portland, OR 97210
503-288-5201

Please place this pass on the dashboard of your vehicle.



Patient Information

Name: _____ DOB: ____ / ____ / ____
Last First MI

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Social Security # _____ - _____ - _____ Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Gender: M / F Marital Status: Single Married Widow Other

Race:

American Indian or Alaskan Native Asian
 Black/African American Caucasian/White
 Pacific Islander Decline/Refuse
 Other: _____

Ethnicity:

Hispanic Non-Hispanic
 Decline/Refuse

Language:

English Spanish Other: _____

Employer: _____ Work Phone: (____) _____

Employer's Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Preferred Pharmacy: _____ Address: _____

Responsible Party (If different from self)

Name: _____ DOB: ____ / ____ / ____
Last First MI

Relationship to patient: _____ SSN: _____ - _____ - _____ Sex: M / F

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Home Phone: (____) _____ Cell Phone: (____) _____

Employer: _____ Work Phone: (____) _____

Employer's Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Emergency Contact

Name: _____ Contact Phone: _____

Insurance Information

Primary Insurance: _____ Policy # _____ Group ID # _____

Insurance Address: _____ Phone No.: _____

Policy Holder's Name: _____ DOB: ____ / ____ / ____ Relationship: _____

Employer: _____ Work Number: _____

Secondary Insurance: _____ Policy # _____ Group ID # _____

Insurance Address: _____ Phone No.: _____

Policy Holder's Name: _____ DOB: ____ / ____ / ____ Relationship: _____

Employer: _____ Work Number: _____

Referring Provider: _____ **Primary Care Provider:** _____

Have you received health care under another name? **Y / N**

If yes, name used: _____

AUTHORIZATION FOR INSURANCE BENEFIT AUTHORIZATION

IN CONSIDERATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED, I HEREBY AUTHORIZE DIRECT PAYMENT TO THE PHYSICIAN OR SUPPLIER; I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I AM FINANCIALLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL CHARGES REGARDLESS OF INSURANCE COVERAGE. IN ADDITION, I AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF ANY MEDICAL INFORMATION NECESSARY TO PROCESS THIS CLAIM.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Release of verbal Medical Information:

I. Permission to Verbally Discuss PHI with Family Members / Caregivers:

I hereby authorize medical providers and personnel of Oregon Sleep Associates to discuss my protected health information with the following person(s):

Name/Phone number: _____ Relationship: _____

Name/Phone number: _____ Relationship: _____

Name/Phone number: _____ Relationship: _____

-or- I decline. Please do not discuss my care with anyone other than as allowed by HIPAA regulations.

II. Permission to Leave a Detailed Message:

I hereby authorize the medical providers and personnel of Oregon Sleep Associates to leave a detailed message at the following **phone number:** _____

Appointment reminders only at phone: _____

Email: _____

-or- I decline. Please do not leave me detailed messages.

Signature of Patient/Personal Representative

Name of Patient/Personal Representative

Date

Description of Personal Representative's Authority



QUESTIONNAIRE FOR SLEEP PATIENTS

PLEASE FILL THIS OUT AFTER DISCUSSING IT WITH YOUR BED PARTNER OR ROOMMATE.

NAME : _____

DATE: _____

AGE: _____

Where did you hear about us? _____

SLEEP PROBLEM

1. Briefly describe your main problem, how long you have had it and how it affects your day-to-day life.

2. Have you ever had a sleep study before for this problem? Yes No

If so, when, where and what were the results? _____

3. Please check all the following that apply to your sleep problem:

- Difficulty falling asleep
- Waking up during the night
- Difficulty falling back to sleep after waking in the night
- Waking up early in the morning (before expected time)
- Difficulty awakening in the morning
- Feeling like the quality of your sleep wasn't very good
- Sleepiness during the day
- Daytime fatigue even when you're not sleepy

4. Can you identify anything that either makes your nighttime sleep problem better or worse? Yes No

If so, please describe.

5. Can you identify anything that makes your daytime impairment better or worse? Yes No

If so, please describe.

6. How upsetting is this problem to you?

- mildly upsetting moderately severe severe totally incapacitating

7. How much do you want help with your problem?

- a great deal moderate amount could do without it

8. Why do **you** think you have this particular sleep/wake problem?

SLEEP ONSET

1. What time do you usually go to bed on weekdays? _____ on weekends? _____
2. On average, how long does it usually take you to fall asleep after lights are turned off? _____
If more than 30 minutes, how many time per week does this occur? _____
3. Do you consider yourself a morning person (“early bird”) or an evening person (“night owl”)? Yes No
4. During the past several years, have you taken any medications (prescribed or over-the-counter) or tried any therapies (e.g., meditation, relaxation, etc.) to help you sleep? Yes No If so, please describe effect.

<u>TREATMENT</u>	<u>EFFECT</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

5. Do you have any routine before bedtime? Yes No If so, please describe.

	Yes/No	How often?	How long?	In the bedroom?
Read				
Watch TV				
Other media (computer, phone)				

6. Check all of the following that may keep you from falling asleep:
 - Thoughts racing through your mind
 - Worrying about things
 - Feeling sad or depressed
 - Feeling afraid of going to sleep
 - Experience vivid or frightening dream-like scenes (hallucinations) even though you know that you are awake
 - Feel unable to move (paralyzed)
 - Parts of your body startle or jerk
7. Do you experience persistent and uncomfortable feelings in your legs while sitting or lying down? Yes No
If yes, please answer the following questions:
 - a. Is there a persistent need or urge to move your legs? Yes No
 - b. Are these uncomfortable feelings or urge to move your legs worse in the evening or night compared with the morning? Yes No
 - c. Do they disappear or improve when you are active or moving around? Yes No
 - d. How often do they disturb your ability to fall asleep? Every night > 1-2 times a week Rarely Never
8. Do you suffer from chronic pain? Yes No If yes, please answer the following questions:
 - a. What diagnosis (either confirmed or provisional) have you been given by a professional regarding your chronic pain? _____
 - b. Is falling asleep impaired by pain? Yes No
 - c. Are you waking up at night due to pain? Yes No
 - d. Does your pain improve with sleep? Yes No

DURING THE NIGHT

1. How many total hours of sleep do you usually get at night? _____
2. How much sleep do you think you need to feel refreshed? _____
3. Do you sleep better in places other than your bed or bedroom? Yes No
4. What body positions do you sleep in? Back Sides Stomach Upright or head elevated
5. Do you usually awaken during the night? Yes No
 If so, how many times? _____ How long are you usually awake? _____
 What keeps you awake? _____
6. If you do awaken during the night, is it:
 Soon after falling asleep Middle of the night Early morning
7. Please rate the following questions about your sleep in the last 3 months:

	Never	Sometimes	Always
Sleep with <u>someone else</u> in your bed or room			
<u>Provide assistance</u> to someone during the night			
<u>Snore</u>			
<u>Snort</u> or <u>Awaken from your own snoring</u>			
Someone is bothered by your snoring			
Told that you <u>stop breathing</u>			
Wake up <u>gasping for air</u>			
Wake up <u>choking</u>			
Wake up <u>coughing</u>			
<u>Sweat</u> excessively			
<u>Move</u> excessively (toss and turn)			
Have <u>nasal congestion</u> or stuffiness			
Awaken with <u>dry mouth</u>			
Awaken with <u>headache</u> in the middle of the night			
Awaken with <u>palpitations</u>			
Awaken with sour taste or <u>heartburn</u>			
Awaken with an urgent desire to <u>urinate</u>			
If so, how many times? _____			
<u>Wet your bed</u> as an adult			
Have your sleep disrupted by <u>pain</u>			
Have your sleep disrupted by <u>light, noise, heat, cold</u> or <u>bed partner</u>			
<u>Grind your teeth</u>			
Have nights filled with intense <u>vivid dreams</u>			
Begin dreaming immediately after falling asleep			
Have <u>nightmares</u> or disturbing dreams			
Wake up because of a dream			
Have difficulty falling back asleep after waking from a dream			
Waken from sleep <u>screaming</u> and/or <u>confused</u>			
“ <u>Act out</u> ” your dreams			
Accidentally hurt yourself or your bed partner			
<u>Talk, walk</u> or <u>eat</u>			
Legs twitch or <u>kick</u>			
Have convulsions or <u>seizures</u>			

AWAKENING IN THE MORNING

1. Time of usual final awakening on weekdays _____ on weekends _____
2. Time you leave your bed on a typical morning _____
3. Time it takes to feel fully awake after getting out of bed _____ OR Never feel fully awake
4. Please rate how often you:

Notice that you are unusually difficult to wake up in the morning
 Depend on an alarm to wake up
 Wake up with a morning headache
 Feel unable to move (paralyzed) when waking up

Never	Sometimes	Always

DAYTIME FUNCTIONING

1. How likely are you to doze off or fall asleep in the following situations, in contrast to feeling just tired? This refers to your usual way of life in recent times. Even if you have not done some of these things recently, try to work out how they would have affected you. Use the following scale to choose the *most appropriate number* for each situation:

- 0** = would *never* doze
1 = *slight* chance of dozing
2 = *moderate* chance of dozing
3 = *high* chance of dozing

Situation:**Chance of Dozing**

Sitting and reading..... _____

Watching TV _____

Sitting, inactive in a public place (e.g., a theater or a meeting) _____

As a passenger in a car for an hour without a break _____

Lying down to rest in the afternoon when circumstances permit _____

Sitting and talking to someone _____

Sitting quietly after lunch without alcohol _____

In a car, while stopped for a few minutes in traffic _____

2. Do you take daytime naps? Yes No If yes, how often and for how long? _____
 Do you feel refreshed afterwards? Yes No If yes, for how long? _____

3. Have you recently:

	How Often or How Long?
Felt <u>sleepy</u> while driving	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Had <u>accidents</u> (work, auto) related to sleepiness	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Had " <u>near-accidents</u> " related to sleepiness	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Felt <u>fatigue</u> (exhaustion, tiredness) even when you are not sleepy	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Become increasingly <u>irritable</u> or short-tempered	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Found that your <u>mind</u> is not working as quickly or effectively as it used to	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Had decreased desire for <u>sexual</u> activity	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Felt depressed or anxious	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

4. Have you ever had episodes of sudden muscular weakness (eg, buckling of your knees) when laughing, angry or emotional? Yes No

5. How much of the following do you have?

	<u>IN A USUAL</u> <u>24 HOUR PERIOD:</u>	<u>WITHIN 8 HOURS</u> <u>OF GOING TO SLEEP:</u>
Coffee	_____ cups	_____ cups
Caffeinated Tea	_____ cups	_____ cups
Soda/Pop	_____ bottles/cans	_____ bottles/cans
Other caffeinated drinks	_____	_____
Stimulant medications	_____	_____

6. How many alcoholic drinks do you have during a usual 24 hour period?

	<u>WEEKDAYS</u>	<u>WEEKENDS</u>	<u>WITHIN 2 HOURS</u> <u>OF GOING TO SLEEP:</u>
Bottles (cans) of beer	_____	_____	_____
Glasses of wine	_____	_____	_____
Shots of liquor	_____	_____	_____

7. Do you use or have you used tobacco products? Yes No If yes, how much and for how long? _____
If quit, when? _____

8. Do you use or have you used other illicit drugs? Yes No If yes, which ones and for how long? _____

GENERAL HEALTH

1. Please check the following you have, or have had, problems with:

General

- Weight loss
- Weight gain
- Chronic pain

Eyes

- Eye disease

Ears/Nose/Throat/Neck

- Hearing loss
- Nasal allergies
- Runny nose
- Post-nasal drip
- Nose bleeds
- Sinusitis
- Nasal polyps
- Deviated septum
- Jaw pain or clicking
- Dentures
- Orthodontics (braces)
- Over-bite
- Under-bite
- Jaw surgery
- Tonsillectomy
- Adenoïdectomy
- Sinus surgery
- Neck surgery

Cardiovascular

- High blood pressure
- High cholesterol
- Heart disease
- Heart failure
- Abnormal heart rhythm
- Angina
- Swelling of the ankles
- Heart surgery
- Angioplasty
- Pacemaker
- Murmurs

Respiratory

- Hoarseness
- Chronic cough
- Shortness of breath
- Chest pain or tightness
- Wheezing
- Asthma
- Chronic bronchitis
- Emphysema

Gastrointestinal

- Difficulty swallowing
- Heartburn
- Ulcer
- Liver disease

Urologic

- Kidney disease
- Prostate problems
- Loss of urine involuntarily

Skin/Musculoskeletal

- Skin disease
- Rash
- Muscle or joint pain
- Scoliosis
- Arthritis
- Fibromyalgia

Endocrine

- Diabetes
- Heat/cold intolerance
- Cold hands/feet
- Impotence
- Thyroid imbalance
- Menstrual disorders
- Postmenopausal

Hematology/Oncology

- Anemia
- Cancer: type _____

Allergic/Immunologic

- HIV infection or AIDS

Psychiatric

- Depression
- Anxiety/Panic attacks
- Bipolar disorder
- PTSD
- ADD/ADHD
- Poor concentration
- Mood swings
- Suicidal thoughts
- Mental, physical or sexual abuse
- Excessive energy
- Claustrophobia

Neurologic

- Chronic headaches
- Numbness or tingling
- Memory loss
- Tremor
- Loss of balance
- Head injury
- Meningitis
- Seizures
- Epilepsy
- Stroke

2. Are there any other illnesses you have had that are not mentioned above?

3. Please list hospital admissions (including medical and psychiatric) and surgical operations:

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>REASON FOR ADMISSION OR SURGERY</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

4. Please list all current medications (including non-prescription medications):

<u>NAME</u>	<u>DOSAGE PER DAY</u>
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

5. Do you have allergies to medications? Yes No If yes, please explain adverse reaction.

6. Does anyone in your family have any of the following:

- | | | |
|---|-------------------------------------|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Snoring | <input type="checkbox"/> Insomnia | <input type="checkbox"/> Hypertension or Heart disease |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sleep apnea | <input type="checkbox"/> Narcolepsy | <input type="checkbox"/> Stroke |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Restless Legs Syndrome | | <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes |

7. Are you employed outside your home? Yes No If yes, what is your present occupation? _____

Are you a shift worker? Yes No

If yes, what shift do you usually work? Day shift Night shift Rotating shift

8. With whom are you now living? (spouse, partner, children, parents, etc., please list first names and ages)

9. What is/was your body weight:

- Now: _____ pounds
- 6 months ago: _____ pounds
- 2 years ago: _____ pounds
- At age 20: _____ pounds
- At your heaviest: _____ pounds

10. Do you do any physical exercise? Yes No

If yes, what do you do, when, and how often?

**Thank you so much for taking the time to fill out this questionnaire.
It will aid us greatly in helping you with your sleep problems.**



Spouse or Roommate Questionnaire

Name of patient: _____ Date: _____

Check any of the following you have observed the patient doing:

While Asleep

- Loud Snoring
- Light Snoring
- Twitching of Legs or Feet
- Pauses in breathing
- Sleep talking
- Not breathing
- Sitting up in bed not awake
- Kicking of the legs
- Struggling to breath while asleep
- Insomnia

While Awake

- Depression
- Change in personality
- Loss of intellectual function
- Excessive daytime sleepiness
- Weight gain
- Fatigue
- Morning headaches
- Irritability
- Trouble driving
- Traffic accidents

How long have you been aware of the sleep behaviors that you checked above?

Describe the sleep behaviors checked above in more detail. Include the type of activity, the time of night in which it occurs, frequency during the night and whether it occurs every night.

If you have described loud snoring, do you remember hearing short pauses in the snoring or occasional loud snorts? _____



Financial Policy

In order to assure that you receive every benefit to which you are entitled, we require your current insurance card, as well as any required referral or authorization, prior to each visit. If you have any questions regarding your insurance coverage prior to your visit, please call your insurance company and our office at **(503) 288-5201**.

You are required to pay any co-payment amount at the time of service. If you do not pay your co-pay, you may be assessed a fee of \$25.00 per co-pay not paid. Additionally, you are responsible for the timely payment of your account balance for co-insurance, deductible and other items your insurance will not pay.

For your convenience we accept cash, checks, Visa and MasterCard. All patient balances are due within 30 days of our statement date, unless prior arrangements have been made with our billing department. A list of our fees is available upon request.

Insurance is a contract between you and your insurance company. We are not a party of this contract. We will bill your insurance company as a courtesy to you. In order to properly bill your insurance company we require that you disclose all insurance information including primary and secondary insurance, as well as any change of insurance information. **Failure to provide complete insurance information will result in patient responsibility for the entire bill.** Although we estimate what your insurance company may pay, it is the insurance company that makes the final determination of your eligibility and benefits. Any amount unpaid by your insurance company becomes your responsibility.

Our office staff is always willing and available to discuss billing matters with you at any time. We know that you will agree that your clear understanding of our financial policy is important to our professional relationship. You may call the **Billing office** at **(503) 288-5201**.

As a patient, you are responsible to contact our office to re-schedule or cancel an office appointment and/or sleep lab appointment. Failure to cancel appointment on short notice or no show for appointment will result in a fee being assessed, per incident, on your patient account that will not be billed to insurance.

I have read, understand and agree to the terms of the above Financial Policy.

Patient Signature _____ Date _____

Effective Date: 7/25/2011

**Oregon Sleep Associates
Notice of Privacy Practices
September 23rd, 2013**

This notice describes how medical information about you may be used and disclosed and how you can get access to this information. Please review this notice carefully.

Your medical record may contain personal information about your health. This information may identify you and relate to your past, present or future physical or mental health condition and related health care services and is called Protected Health Information (PHI). This Notice of Privacy Practices describes how we may use and disclose your PHI in accordance with applicable law. It also describes your rights regarding how you may gain access to and control your PHI. We are required by law to maintain the privacy of PHI and to provide you with notice of our legal duties and privacy practices with respect to PHI. We are required to abide by the terms of this Notice of Privacy Practices. We reserve the right to change the terms of our Notice of Privacy Practices at any time. Any new Notice of Privacy Practices will be effective for all PHI that we maintain at that time. We will provide you with a copy of the revised Notice of Privacy Practices by posting a copy on our website, sending a copy to you in the mail upon request or providing one to you at your next appointment.

How we may use and disclose health care information about you:

For Care or Treatment: Your PHI may be used and disclosed to those who are involved in your care for the purpose of providing, coordinating, or managing your services. This includes consultation with clinical supervisors or other team members. Your authorization is required to disclose PHI to any other care provider not currently involved in your care, and your family. **Example:** *If another physician referred you to us, we may contact that physician to discuss your care. Likewise, if we refer you to another physician, we may contact that physician to discuss your care or they may contact us.*

For Payment: Your PHI may be used and disclosed to any parties that are involved in payment for care or treatment. If you pay for your care or treatment completely out of pocket with no use of any insurance, you may restrict the disclosure of your PHI for payment. **Example:** *Your payer may require copies of your PHI during the course of a medical record request, chart audit or review.*

For Business Operations: We may use or disclose, as needed, your PHI in order to support our business activities including, but not limited to, quality assessment activities, employee review activities, licensing, and conducting or arranging for other business activities. We may also disclose PHI in the course of providing you with appointment reminders or leaving messages on your phone or at your home about questions you asked or test results. **Example:** *We may share your PHI with third parties that perform various business activities (e.g., Council on Accreditation or other regulatory or licensing bodies) provided we have a written contract with the business that requires it to safeguard the privacy of your PHI.*

Required by Law: Under the law, we must make disclosures of your PHI available to you upon your request. In addition, we must make disclosures to the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services for the purpose of investigating or determining our compliance with the requirements of the Privacy Rule, if so required.

Without Authorization: Applicable law and ethical standards permit us to disclose information about you without your authorization only in a limited number of other situations. Examples of some of the types of uses and disclosures that may be made without your authorization are those that are:

- Required by Law, such as the mandatory reporting of child abuse or neglect or mandatory government agency audits or investigations (such as the health department)
- Required by Court Order
- Necessary to prevent or lessen a serious and imminent threat to the health or safety of a person or the public. If information is disclosed to prevent or lessen a serious threat it will be disclosed to a person or persons reasonably able to prevent or lessen the threat, including the target of the threat.

Verbal Permission: We may use or disclose your information to family members that are directly involved in your receipt of services with your verbal permission.

With Authorization: Uses and disclosures not specifically permitted by applicable law will be made only with your written authorization, which may be revoked. Your explicit authorization is required to release psychotherapy notes and PHI for the purposes of marketing, subsidized treatment communication and for the sale of such information.

Your rights regarding your PHI

You have the following rights regarding PHI we maintain about you. To exercise any of these rights, please submit your request in writing to our Privacy Officer:

- **Right of Access to Inspect and Copy.** You have the right, which may be restricted only in exceptional circumstances or with documents released to us, to inspect and copy PHI that may be used to make decisions about service provided.
- **Right to Amend.** If you feel that the PHI we have about you is incorrect or incomplete, you may ask us to amend the information although we are not required to agree to the amendment.
- **Right to an Accounting of Disclosures.** You have the right to request an accounting of certain of the disclosures that we make of your PHI. We may charge you a reasonable fee if you request more than one accounting in any 12-month period.
- **Right to Request Restrictions.** You have the right to request a restriction or limitation on the use or disclosure of your PHI for services, payment, or business operations. We are not required to agree to your request.
- **Right to Request Confidential Communication.** You have the right to request that we communicate with you about PHI matters in a specific manner (e.g. telephone, email, postal mail, etc.)
- **Right to a Copy of this Notice.** You have the right to a copy of this notice.

Website Privacy

Any personal information you provide us with via our website, including your e-mail address, will never be sold or rented to any third party without your express permission. If you provide us with any personal or contact information in order to receive anything from us, we may collect and store that personal data. We do not automatically collect your personal e-mail address simply because you visit our site. In some instances, we may partner with a third party to provide services such as newsletters, surveys to improve our services, health or company updates, and in such case, we may need to provide your contact information to said third parties. This information, however, will only be provided to these third-party partners specifically for these communications, and the third party will not use your information for any other reason. While we may track the volume of visitors on specific pages of our website and download information from specific pages, these numbers are only used in aggregate and without any personal information. This demographic information may be shared with our partners, but it is not linked to any personal information that can identify you or any visitor to our site.

Our site may contain links to other outside websites. We cannot take responsibility for the privacy policies or practices of these sites and we encourage you to check the privacy practices of all internet sites you visit. While we make every effort to ensure that all the information provided on our website is correct and accurate, we make no warranty, express or implied, as to the accuracy, completeness or timeliness, of the information available on our site. We are not liable to anyone for any loss, claim or damages caused in whole or in part, by any of the information provided on our site. By using our website, you consent to the collection and use of personal information as detailed herein. Any changes to this Privacy Policy will be made public on this site so you will know what information we collect and how we use it.

Breaches:

You will be notified immediately if we receive information that there has been a breach involving your PHI.

Complaints:

If you believe we have violated your privacy rights, you have the right to file a complaint in writing with our Privacy Officer at *Oregon Sleep Associates, LLC*. If you have questions and would like additional information, you may contact us at (503) 288 – 5201.

Patient Name please print

Date

Patient signature / Parent or Guardian