

## TAX EXEMPT FORM

I, \_\_\_\_\_ hereby acknowledge that I am an Independent Contractor. Therefore, I am responsible for my social security and other taxes, and will receive an IRS 1099 Form for the preceding year by February of each year which is also sent to the Internal Revenue Services (IRS).

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Social Security number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Position



(XIV) This contract is subject to automatic annual renewal, if not canceled for any party.

(XV) Our Agency has full responsibility over all contracted services.

(XVI) Our Agency has full responsibility to retain and maintain all clinical records of patients served by this Contract.

(XVII) The second party must submit evidence of liability and insurance, evidence of current licensure, education or certification, if applicable.

**PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITY**

Nothing in this Agreement shall construed to interfere with or otherwise affect the rendering of services by the Employee/Contractor in accordance with his independent and professional judgment. This Agreement shall be subject to our Policies and Procedures, the rules and regulations of any and all professional organizations or associations to which Employee/Contractor may from time to time belong and the laws and regulations governing said practice in this State.

Our Agency has full responsibility to retain and maintain all clinical records of patients served by this Contract.

Both parties agree that the Employee/Contractor shall submit clinical notes and progress reports to the Director of Nursing once every one week or more often if requested, and shall conform with prescribed scheduling of visits and, periodic patient evaluation. Both parties agree that this Agency shall coordinate all job-related activities of the Employee/Contractor, and control all job-related activities of the Employee/Contractor.

Both parties agree that the Employee/Contractor participate in our Performance Improvement Program, by suggest according they daily practices, ways to improve our services, treatment, relationship with patients/family/physicians, report needs and expectations of patients and families.

Both parties agree that patients are accepted for care, the service will be controlled, coordinated, and evaluated, only by our Agency, the Employee/Contractor must comply with all scheduling of visits according Physician order and initial admission assessment, and report any need of schedule change to the Agency immediately identified the need. Participate in periodic patient evaluation to improve our services and the goals of the Patient Plan of Care compliance, including but no limited to Participate in Case Conference, create progress/deterioration reports, periodic communication with the Agency's Supervisor and Care Managers. Participate in the Developing of the Plan of Care, suggest any change needed to achieve the treatment goals, make suggestion for improving services and patient care and safety.

**SIGNATURES**

Our Agency. (Employer):  
Administrator or Director of Nursing

Employee/Contractor: \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**W-9**

Form  
(Rev. October 2007)  
Department of the Treasury  
Internal Revenue Service

## Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

**Give form to the  
requester. Do not  
send to the IRS.**

Print or Type See Specific Instructions on page 2	Name (as shown on your income tax return)	
	Business name, if different from above	
	Check appropriate box: <input type="checkbox"/> Individual/Sole proprietor <input type="checkbox"/> Corporation <input type="checkbox"/> Partnership <input type="checkbox"/> Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (D=disregarded entity, C=corporation, P=partnership) ▶ ----- <input type="checkbox"/> Exempt payee <input type="checkbox"/> Other (see instructions) ▶	
	Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)	Requester's name and address (optional)
	City, state, and ZIP code	
List account number(s) here (optional)		

**Part I Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)**

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on Line 1 to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to get a TIN on page 3.

Social security number
or
Employer identification number

Note. If the account is in more than one name, see the chart on page 4 for guidelines on whose number to enter.

**Part 11 Certification**

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and
2. I am not subject to backup withholding because: (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest or dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and
3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

**Certification instructions.** You must cross out item 2 above if you have been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the Certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

<b>Sign Here</b>	Signature of U.S. person ▶	Date ▶
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**General Instructions**

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

**Purpose of Form**

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),
2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or
3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is not subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

**Note.** If a requester gives you a form other than Form W-9 to request your TIN, you must use the requester's form if it is substantially similar to this Form W-9.

**Definition of a U.S. person.** For federal tax purposes, you are considered a U.S. person if you are:

- An individual who is a U.S. citizen or U.S. resident alien,
- A partnership, corporation, company, or association created or organized in the United States or under the laws of the United States,
- An estate (other than a foreign estate), or
- A domestic trust (as defined in Regulations section 301.7701-7).

**Special rules for partnerships.** Partnerships that conduct a trade or business in the United States are generally required to pay a withholding tax on any foreign partners' share of income from such business. Further, in certain cases where a Form W-9 has not been received, a partnership is required to presume that a partner is a foreign person, and pay the withholding tax. Therefore, if you are a U.S. person that is a partner in a partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States, provide Form W-9 to the partnership to establish your U.S. status and avoid withholding on your share of partnership income.

The person who gives Form W-9 to the partnership for purposes of establishing its U.S. status and avoiding withholding on its allocable share of net income from the partnership conducting a trade or business in the United States is in the following cases:

- The U.S. owner of a disregarded entity and not the entity,