



**CONNECTICUT
KIDNEY & HYPERTENSION
SPECIALISTS**

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PATIENT INFORMATION <i>(please complete each section completely- PRINT)</i>			
Patient Name			Date of Birth
Sex	Marital Status	Ethnicity	Language (if other than English)
Home Address			City, State, Zip
Billing Address (if different)			City, State, Zip
Home Phone #		Cell Phone #	Work Phone #
Preferred form of contact Text Phone Email		Email	
Referring Physician		Primary Care Physician	Other Provides/Doctor to include:
Preferred Pharmacy		Location	Pharmacy Phone #
EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION			
Contact Name			Relationship
Home Phone #		Cell Phone #	Work Phone #
PRIMARY INSURANCE			
Insurance name		Address	City, State, Zip
Phone #		Policy #	Group #
SECONDARY INSURANCE			
Insurance name		Address	City, State, Zip
Phone #		Policy #	Group #
SUBSCRIBER INFORMATION FOR INSURANCE			
Name		DOB	SEX
Billing Address		City, State, Zip	Phone #
INTERNET ACCESS			
Do you have access to the Internet <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		If Yes, have you visited our website at ctkidneyspecialists.com <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
HIPPA-NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICE			
<p>The HIPPA Privacy Rule was created to give individuals the right to restrict the release of their medical information and to designate to whom their information may be given. We are required by State and Federal laws, including the HIPPA rules, to safeguard general and health related information about you. We have created a Notice of Privacy Practices that explains how your protected health information is handled. The Notice of Privacy Practices is provided to patients and or their authorized representatives when they first become a patient in our office. By signing, you are acknowledging that you were offered or received a copy of the Notice of Privacy practices.</p> <p>I acknowledge that CT Kidney and Hypertension Specialists, LLC has offered or provided me a copy of its Notice of Privacy Practices, describing how medical information about me may be used and disclosed, and how I can access this information. I understand that if I have questions or complaints I may contact the officer manager: Grace Butkevicius (203597-9733). I also understand that I am entitled to receive updates upon request if CT Kidney and Hypertension Specialists, LLC amends or changes its Notice of Privacy Practices in a material way. For additional information please see website: ctkidneyspecialists.com.</p>			
X _____		_____	
Signature of Patient or Patient's Representative		Date	
Printed Name of Patient or Patient's Representative		Relationship	
INSURANCE AUTHORIZATION - FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY POLICY			
<p>I request that payment of authorized Medicare benefits be made on my behalf directly to CT Kidney and Hypertension Specialists for services rendered to me. I understand my signature requests that payment be made and authorizes release of medical information necessary to pay the claim.</p> <p>CT Kidney and HTN Specialists, LLC participates in a multitude of insurance and health plans to better serve you. With the overwhelming complexity to collect fees from all these plans, we must ask you to take responsibility for understanding your own coverage. We expect co-payments and deductibles to be made at the time of service. The office asks: The patient will be responsible for any or all portions of his or her bill that is not covered by the insurance carrier or if erroneous insurance or health plan information prevents collection of fees from the insurance carrier or health plan. If your insurance requires that you have a referral from your Primary Care provider, it is your responsibility to ensure that our office receives the referral before your visit.</p>			
X _____		_____	
Signature		Date	
Witness _____		_____	
Date		Date	
AMBULATORY BLOOD PRESSURE MONITOR (only) RESPONSIBILITY			
By signing below, I am responsible for any damage (s) or loss to the Blood Pressure Monitor while it is in my possession.			
Signature _____		Date _____	



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PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: Please check any of the following illness you have or are suffering from:

ACUTE KIDNEY FAILURE	CONGESTIVE HEART FAILURE	THYROID DISORDER
ANEMIA	CVA/STROKE	VALVE REPLACEMENT
ATRIAL FIBRILLATION	DVT/BLOOD CLOT	KIDNEY STONES
CANCER-	DIABETES MELLITUS	SLEEP APNEA
CHRONIC KIDNEY DISEASE	HEPATITS	PROTEIN IN URINE
HEART DISEASE-HEART ATTACK	GOUT	PERIPHERAL VASCULAR DISEASE
COPD/ EMPHYSEMA/ASTHMA	HIGH CHOLESTEROL	SEIZURE DISORDER
AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE (LUPUS) (SJOGRENS) (RHEUMATOID)	HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE	URINARY TRACT INFECTION
Other (please list)	Other (please list)	Other (please list)

SURGERIES: Operation and Date (approximate)

ALLERGIES TO MEDICATIONS/ REACTIONS: (please list)

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MEDICATIONS: Please list below or attach a list of meds

Medication	Dose	Frequency	Medication	Dose	Frequency
1.			6.		
2.			7.		
3.			8.		
4.			9.		
5.			10.		

HAVE YOU EVER TAKEN (Circle): Lithium Proton Pump Inhibitors Gentamicin Tobramycin Cisplatinium

FAMILY HISTORY: DO THEY HAVE ANY OF THE FOLLOWING CONDITIONS

Member	Alive	Age	Health Status or Cause of Death	Kidney Disease (Check)	High Blood Pressure (Check)	Kidney Stones (Check)	Diabetes (Check)
Mother	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N						
Father	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N						
Brother/Sister	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N						
Brother/Sister	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N						
Children	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N						
Children	<input type="checkbox"/> Y <input type="checkbox"/> N						

SOCIAL HISTORY

Marital Status: (check)	<input type="checkbox"/> Married	<input type="checkbox"/> Single	<input type="checkbox"/> Divorced	<input type="checkbox"/> Widowed
Occupation:	<input type="checkbox"/> Retired	<input type="checkbox"/> Disabled	<input type="checkbox"/> Stay-at-home	
Hobbies:	Do you live alone?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES	<input type="checkbox"/> NO	
Do/Did you smoke cigarettes, cigars or a pipe?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO			
How many do/did you smoke per day? (packs) _____	packs per day			
For how many years? _____ years	When did you quit? _____			
Do/Did you drink alcohol? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	# of drinks per day? _____	For how many years? _____		
Do you use illegal or recreational drugs? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	What kind? _____	For how many years? _____		

IMMUNIZATIONS

PNEUMONIA	INFLUENZA	HEPATITIS B	COVID- 19	SHINGLES/SHINGRIX
Date: _____	Date: _____	Date: _____	Date: _____	Date: _____



GENERAL MEDICAL HISTORY REVIEW: Do you have chronic difficulty with:												
		Y	N			Y	N			Y	N	
GENERAL	Appetite loss			CARDIOVASCULAR	Chest Pain			MUSCLOSKELETAL	Joint pain			
	Chills				Leg swelling				Muscle aches			
	Fatigue				Leg pain				Dry eyes			
	Fever				Shortness of breath				Dry mouth			
	Weight gain				Palpitations				Hair loss			
	Weight loss				Constipation				Restless Legs			
SKIN	Rash			GASTROINTESTINAL	Diarrhea				HEMATOLOGY	Numbness/Tingling		
	Itchy Skin				Heartburn					Gout		
	Hives				Jaundice					Leg cramps		
	HEAD, EARS, EYES	Blurred vision				Liver Disease					Anemia	
Change in vision					Nausea					Bleeding Disorders		
Dry eyes					Vomiting					Easy Bruising		
Dental problems					Rectal Bleeding			History Blood clot				
Hearing loss					KIDNEY/UROLOGICAL	Blood in urine			NEUROLOGICAL	Difficulty gait		
Nose bleeds/Sinusitis			Foam in urine				Headache					
Mouth ulcers			Frequent urination				Seizures					
RESPIRATORY	Chronic cough			Painful urination				Loss of consciousness				
	Coughing up blood			Urinating at night				ENDOCRINE	Weight Gain			
	Snoring at Night			Incontinence					Weight Loss			
	Difficulty Breathing			History Kidney Stones					Low Blood Sugar			

RENAL SPECIFIC QUESTIONS		
Use of Nsaids? - Advil, Motrin, Aleve, Naprosyn, Celebrex, etc.	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Duration ____ per week
Use of Proton Pump Inhibitors?-Protonix, Prevacid, Omeprazole	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Duration ____ years
Have you ever developed acute kidney injury?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Date
Have you ever required dialysis?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Date
Were you born pre-mature (born before 38 weeks old)?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Weeks
Does anyone in your family have kidney disease or need dialysis?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Member
Have you ever had a kidney ultrasound or images of the kidney?	<input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	Where / When

Reviewed: _____



Request for Sharing of Medical Information with Family and Friends

Your privacy is important to us. By signing this form, you are acknowledging that you have reviewed the Notice of Privacy Practices of Connecticut Kidney & Hypertension Specialists which outlines how Connecticut Kidney & Hypertension Specialists may use and disclose your protected health information. I am aware that I can go to www.ctkidneyspecialists.com to get a copy of the notice or request one at any time.

I am providing permission to leave detailed messages or instructions on my personal cell phone number at _____.

AUTHORIZATION TO RECEIVE MY MEDICAL INFORMATION

Connecticut Kidney & Hypertension Specialists may disclose my personal health information to the following:

Below please identify those individual(s) BY NAME to whom we may release information or speak with on your behalf.

Name	Relationship	Phone Number
	Legal Representative	() -

I understand that I may revoke this authorization at any time by providing written notice to Connecticut Kidney and Hypertension Specialists. I understand that the request will not apply to information that has already been released in response to this authorization. CT Kidney and Hypertension Specialists will not use or disclose personal health information beyond the scope of this authorization without my written consent or authorization. I understand that the recipient(s) I designated above may disclose my private health information. Should this occur, I will not hold CT Kidney and Hypertension Specialists responsible.

X _____

Signature of Patient or Patient's Legal Representative

Date

Patient's Printed Name or Patient's Legal Representative

Relationship (if signed by another person)



OFFICE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

Cancellation / No Show Policy

At Connecticut Kidney & Hypertension Specialists, we do our best to schedule your appointment in a timely manner. We ask that you notify our office **more than 24 hours** prior to your scheduled appointment if you must cancel. It is our office policy to charge \$50 for a new patient and \$30 for established patients that **No-Show** for their appointment or do not provide more than 24 hours cancellation notice. Thank you for your understanding.

Arrival Time/ Late Policy

We make every attempt to see you at your appointed time. To ensure that we run on time, we ask that **new patients arrive 20 minutes and established patients arrive at least 5 minutes prior to their appointment time**. If you are running late we may need to reschedule your appointment. If your provider does agree to see you late, you will be handled as a work-in appointment and will be seen when the schedule allows so that other patients' appointments remain on time.

Patient Information/ Patient Portal

In order to maintain accuracy in your patient record, we require that you give our office current information at every visit. This includes your name, changes to address or telephone number, changes to your insurance, changes in your medications, and your pharmacy. At your visit, we will ensure that you have access to our portal. In addition, a summary of your visit and the results of any labs drawn in our office are available through the portal.

Insurance and Payments

Connecticut Kidney & Hypertension Specialists will file claims with most insurance companies. We ask that you pay any and all required payments at the time of service. Required payments may include your co-pay or the full visit charge if you do not carry insurance. If your insurance company requires a referral for you to see us, we will attempt to obtain this referral prior to your visit. If your Primary Care Physician does not provide a referral, we will contact you for your assistance or to reschedule your appointment. If you have questions about what you will be expected to pay or whether a referral is needed, please contact our billing department prior to your appointment. We accept the following forms of payments: cash, check or credit card (including MasterCard, Visa, Discover, and American Express).

Medication Refill Policy

We require that you bring all of your medications, including any over-the-counter medications, to your appointment. If you need a refill between these visits, you must ask your pharmacist to submit an electronic refill request, or you may call the office and leave a message on the recorded line. We will address refill requests within 48 hours. If you call after hours or on weekends, the on-call physician may only refill your prescription for up to 5 days. If the medication you take requires renewal of a prior authorization, your refill may be delayed. Our office is not responsible for the timing of prior authorization approvals by your insurance company but will work with them to get these approved as soon as possible.

Refund Policy

If you are due a refund on your account, and you have not received payment in a timely fashion, please call our billing department to assure that we have your account posted correctly.

Thank you for understanding. I acknowledge receiving and reading this information:

X _____

Patient Signature / Guardian or Authorized Representative

Date

Printed Name of Authorized Representative

Relationship to Patient