

## MICHAEL J. BROWN, M.D., P.L.L.C.

Aesthetic Cosmetic Plastic Surgery

In order for the office to best prepare for your visit, please complete the information below and bring this form with you on the day of your consultation.

#### PATIENT INFORMATION

**Confidential information:** The information herein will not be released except when you have authorized us to do so. This information will be used by the doctor in decisions regarding your care.

Today's date:					
Patient's Name:					
Parent or Guardian's Name	(for minors):				
Address:					
City:					
Telephone Numbers: Home	e:	Cellular:		Work:	
E-mail address:		pl	ease check: 🔲 ol	kay to use 🔲 p	lease do not use
Date of Birth:	Age:	Height:	Weight:	Male	Female
Marital Status: 🔲 Single	Married	Uidowed	Divorced	Separated	
Social Security Number:					
Emergency Contact Name:					
Telephone: Home:		Cellular:		Work:	
Employer (if patient is a min	or, parent's plac	ce of employment	t):		
Employer Address:			Tele	ephone:	
Referring Physician (or source	ce of reference)	:			
Physician Address:			Tele	ephone:	
Family Physician's Name:					
Address:					
Dermatologist's Name:					
Address:					

Your health is of extreme importance to us. The more we know about you, the better we can assist you. Please complete the information on the following pages as completely as possible.

What brings you to our office?	Please be as specific as possible.	
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How long has this concerned you?

Have you had any previous treatment for this? \_\_\_\_\_\_

If YES, how and when was this treated? \_\_\_\_\_\_

**Review of systems:** 

Do you have or have you had any of the following? (Please check yes or no)

	YES	NO		YES	NO
AIDS or HIV positive			Hepatitis		
Anemia	ū	ū	High blood pressure		
Arthritis		ū	Irregular heart beat		
Asthma	ū	ū	Kidney problems		
Back problems			Migraine headaches		
Blood clots in legs			Nervous breakdown		
Blood disorders			Nose/throat problems		
Bleeding problems			Pneumonia		
Breathing problems			Psychiatric condition		
Cancer			Rheumatic fever		
Chest pains			Seizures		
Colitis			Shortness of breath		
Diabetes			Skin cancer		
Ear/eye problems			Stomach problems		
Epilepsy			Stroke		
Heart problems			Thyroid problems		
Heart murmur			Tuberculosis		
Heart palpitations		Ū	Transfusion		

Past, Family and/or Social History:

List any hospitalizations and/or previous surgery, including dates: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you allergic to or have you ever had a reaction to any medication or drug; local anesthetic; or general anesthetic? If so, please list medication and type of reaction: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Are you now or have you ever taken any medications regularly (aspirin, birth control pills, herbs, vitamins, etc.)? Currently taking: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Previously taken: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you wear contact lenses? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have problems with dry eyes? \_\_\_\_\_\_

Do you use wetting drops?					
If so, how often, and for how long have	e you been usin	g them?			
Are you now or have you ever taken a difficulty breathing, sinus problems or				-	
Do you currently smoke?	Yes	No			
If yes, how many packs per day?		How man	y years?		
Have you ever smoked?	Yes	No			
If yes, how many packs per day?		How mai	ny years?		
Do you drink alcohol?	Yes	No			
yes, how much? How often?					
Do you have any relatives who have h	ad breast canc	er? 🔄 Ye	s 🖕	No	
If yes, who?					
Have you ever had a mammogram?	Yes	No If ye	es, when was you	ır last one?	
Have you had exposure to any of the	following:				
Radiation:				Yes No	
Excessive sun:				Yes 🖸 No	
Do you or a member of your family have	ve difficulty wit	h prolonged bleedin	g when cut?	Yes 🖸 No	
Do you or a member of your family bru	ise easily?			Yes No	
Have you or a member of your family e	ever had a prob	lem with anesthesia	?	Yes No	
Is your general health good?				Yes	
Have you ever had psychiatric problem			ider the care of a		
psychiatrist, psychologist or mental he	alth counselor?			Yes	
How did you learn about us? (Please of	check all staten	nents that apply.)			
My friend,		, told me abo	ut Dr. Brown.		
My doctor,		, referred me	, referred me to this office.		
Your location is convenient to my h	nome or office.				
I visited your website.					
Used search engine: Google	MSN	Yahoo	Other:		
Keyword searched:					
Referred by another site:					

Thank you for taking the time to complete this information. Please remember to bring this form with you on the day of your visit.



#### **Financial Policies**

#### Cosmetic Patients

The fees quoted for cosmetic surgery are inclusive of the following: your pre-operative examination, surgical costs, anesthesia, most supplies, and your post-operative visits. Fees for in-office treatments (referred to as ancillary) such as Microdermabrasion, Botox<sup>®</sup>, hyaluronic acid fillers (Juvederm<sup>®</sup>, Restylane<sup>®</sup>, etc.), chemical peels, laser hair removal, vascular lasers, and other similar ancillary procedures are priced on a per treatment basis or as a treatment package option. A <u>thirty percent (30%)</u> <u>cancellation</u> fee exists for any of these unused ancillary package procedures, in addition to the charging for the services already rendered at the full price per treatment rather than the reduced package price per treatment. Office treatments are payable in full at the time of your appointment. Further, there are no guarantees of result or satisfaction with any procedures. Reservations may be confirmed with a credit card.

If you elect to have surgery, you may schedule it as soon as you like by putting down a non-refundable deposit in the amount of \$500. This will improve your chances of getting the date that works for you. Surgical fees are due two weeks prior to surgery. If you have not made your payment before the <u>two week</u> deadline, your time slot will be given to another patient on the waiting list. If your surgical booking is within 2 weeks of surgery, then payment is to be made by a cashier's check, bank check, or credit card. After booking, there is a <u>thirty percent</u> (30%) non-refundable cancellation fee, if cancellation occurs less than <u>four</u> (4) business days before surgery.

Patient Initials

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

On the day of surgery, if you arrive one hour after your scheduled arrival time or fail to show for surgery, Dr. Brown reserves the right to cancel your procedure with loss of facility, anesthesia, and surgeon's fees. If you elect to reschedule surgery, all fees are required to be repaid in full.

Please complete financial arrangements at least two weeks prior to your surgery date. Patients interested in our financing options should speak with the staff before making surgical arrangements.

Insurance Patients					
Primary Insurance Information:					
Name of Subscriber:		SSN:			
DOB:	Relationship:	Effective Date:			
Insurance Name and Address:					
Insurance ID#:					
Secondary Insurance Information:					
Name of Subscriber:		SSN:			
DOB:	Relationship:	Effective Date:			
Insurance Name and Address:					
Insurance ID#:					



#### Workman's Compensation Patients

The workman's compensation system requires that you and/or your employer provide the office with your claim number and all necessary information for the office to process your claim. This will avoid any problems with your care delivery and claim processing.

#### **Billing Policy**

#### Non-covered Insurances & Medicare

You are responsible for your office visits and surgical fees. We will provide you with a receipt of your visit so you may forward this to your insurance company for reimbursement. Some insurance companies pay a greater portion of the surgical fee while others will only pay a small percentage. You will be receiving complete, partial or no reimbursement depending on the insurance plan you have. We do not submit or process claims to any insurance companies on your behalf.

This office does **not** accept **Medicaid**. Patients are responsible for their fees as described above.

#### Assignment of Benefits

I, the undersigned, hereby authorize payment of medical and surgical benefits directly to Michael J. Brown, M.D., P.L.L.C.

I, the undersigned, have insurance with \_\_\_\_\_\_ and assign directly to Michael J. Brown, M.D., P.L.L.C., all benefits, otherwise payable to me for services rendered. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges whether or not paid by insurance. I hereby authorize the doctor to release all information necessary to secure the payment of benefits. I authorize the use of my signature on all my insurance submissions.

Signature of insured or responsible party: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

#### Statement of Financial Responsibility

I, the undersigned, have read the above and realize that all medical and surgical charges incurred by me or my dependents for services rendered by Michael J. Brown, M.D., P.L.L.C., are my financial responsibility. All costs, including but not limited to counsel fees, court costs, incurred by Michael J. Brown, M.D., P.L.L.C., to collect this account are payable by me. Additionally, all costs, including but not limited to counsel fees, court costs, incurred by Michael J. Brown, M.D., P.L.L.C., in the successful defense to an action brought by me for reimbursement of monies on this account are payable by me.



### **NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES (HIPAA COMPLIANCE)**

#### THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.

# THIS NOTICE IS FROM MICHAEL J. BROWN, M.D., P.L.L.C., A PROFESSIONAL LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY.

Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC provides plastic surgery, cosmetic dermatology, outpatient surgery and related medical aesthetic services. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC is committed to maintaining the privacy of health information and to provide patients with a notice of its legal duties and privacy practices. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC will not use or disclose private health information except as described in this notice. "Private Health Information: is information about you which was created or received by Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC and that relates to a past, present or future physical or mental health condition, or the provision of, or payment for, health care and which could be used to identify the patient.

EXAMPLES OF DISCLOSURES FOR TREATMENT, PAYMENT AND HEALTH OPERATIONS: The following categories describe the ways that Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may use and disclose private health information without written authorization.

<u>Treatment</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC will use health information in the provision and coordination of healthcare. We may disclose all or any portion of private health information, such as medical reports, to attending physicians and other health care providers who have an emergent need for such information in the care and continued treatment of the patient. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC also may disclose health information to other people, such as family members, clergy and others who may be directly involved in the patient's care.

<u>Payment</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may release private health information about the patient for the purposes of determining coverage, billing, claims management, private health data processing, and reimbursement. The information may be released to a health plan or health insurer, or a workers' compensation or other insurance company responsible for payment of our services, an employer involved in a workers' compensation program, and a third party payer or other entity (or their authorized representatives) involved in the payment of the patient's medical bill, and may include copies or excerpts of the private health record which are necessary for payment of the account. For example, a bill sent to a third party payer may include information that identifies the patient, the diagnosis, and the modalities used, and may include a copy of the medical report.

<u>Health Care Operations</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may use and disclose private health information during routine healthcare operations including, without limitation, utilization review, evaluation of our staff, assessing the quality of care and outcomes in the patient's case and similar cases, internal auditing, accreditation, certification, licensing or credentialing activities, private health research and educational purposes.

<u>Scheduling and Appointment Reminders</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may use and disclose private health information obtained when scheduling medical or other healthcare services and when it contacts the patient as a reminder of an appointment for services. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may also use and disclose private health information to tell the patient or others of information about treatment alternatives or other health-related benefits and services of possible interest to the patient.

<u>Business Associates</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may use and disclose certain private health information about the patient to business associates. A business associate is an individual or entity under contract with Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC to perform or assist Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC in a function or activity which necessitates access to, or the use or disclosure of, private health information. Examples of business associates include, but are not limited to, a copy service used by Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC to copy private health records, consultants, accountants, lawyers, practice management organizations, private health transcriptionists, case managers, marketing and customer service personnel and third-party billing companies. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC will attempt to require the business associate to protect the confidentiality of private health information.

<u>Regulatory Agencies</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may disclose private health information to a health oversight agency for activities authorized by law, including, but not limited to, licensure, certification, audits, investigations and inspections.

<u>Law Enforcement/Litigation</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may disclose private health information for law enforcement purposes as required by law or in response to a valid subpoena or court order.

#### Disputes:

Defense for comments or reviews that are available to the public: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may disclose private health information for the purpose of clarification of statements made regarding Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC or to dispute the comments. If a person or known associate (i.e. family member) elects to publish comments about you or regarding Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC which allow for, or are determined to warrant/require clarification, Michael J Brown, MD, PLLC reserves the right to disclose your private health information.

<u>Public Health</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may disclose private health information to public health or legal authorities charged with preventing or controlling disease, injury or disability. For example, Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may be required to report the existence of a communicable disease to the Department of Health to protect the health and well-being of the general public.

<u>Workers' Compensation</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may release private health information to employers, health care providers, examiners, judges, insurance companies, and others with a need to know, in connection with workers' compensation or similar programs. These programs provide benefits for work-related injuries or illnesses.

<u>Military/Veterans</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may disclose private health information as required by military command authorities, if the patient is a member of the armed forces.

<u>Required by Law</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC will disclose private health information about you when required to do so by law including, without limitation, for judicial or administrative proceedings, to report information related to victims of abuse, neglect or violence, and to assist law enforcement officials in their law enforcement duties.

<u>Coroners, Medical Examiners, Funeral Directors</u>: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may release private health information to a coroner or private health examiner. This may be necessary, for example, to identify a deceased person or to determine a cause of death. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may also release private health information to funeral directors as necessary to carry out their duties.

<u>Other Uses</u>: Any other uses and disclosures will be made only with written authorization.

PATIENT HEALTH INFORMATION RIGHTS: Although all records concerning treatment are the property of Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC, you have the following rights concerning private health information. ("CFR" below stands for the Code of Federal Regulations.) To exercise any of these rights, please contact the Privacy Officer identified below, in writing.

<u>Right to Confidential Communications</u>: You have the right to received confidential communications of your private health information by alternative means or at alternative locations as provided by 45 CFR § 164.522. For example, you may request that Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC only contact you at work or by mail.

<u>Right to Inspect and Copy</u>: You have the right to inspect and copy your private health information as provided by 45 CFR § 164.524.

Right to Amend: You have the right to amend your private health information as provided by 45 CFR § 164.526.

Right to an Accounting: You have the right to receive an accounting of disclosures of your private health information as provided by 45 CFR § 164.528.

<u>Right to Request Restrictions</u>: You have the right to request restrictions on certain uses and disclosures of your private health information as provided by 45 CFR § 164.522. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC may not agree to honor the request.

Right to Receive Copy of this Notice: You have the right to receive a paper copy of this Notice, upon request.

<u>Right to Revoke Authorization</u>: You have the right to revoke your authorization to use or to disclose your private health information except to the extent that action has already been taken in reliance on your authorization.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REPORT A PROBLEM: If you have question and would like additional information, you may contact Kathleen Brown at the number and address below. If you believe your privacy rights have been violated, you may file a complaint with Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC and/or with the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. To file a complaint with Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC, please contact Kathleen Brown, Office Administrator and Privacy Officer, at 45155 Research Place, Suite 125, Ashburn, VA, 20147. All complaints must be submitted to the Privacy Officer in writing at the above address. There will be no retaliation for filing a complaint.

CHANGES TO THIS NOTICE: Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC will abide by the terms of the Notice of Health Information Practices currently in effect. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC reserves the right to change the terms of its notice and to make the new notice provisions effective for all protected health information that it maintains. Michael J. Brown, MD, PLLC will post any revised Notice (prior to the implementation of the same).

NOTICE EFFECTIVE DATE: The effective date of the notice is April 13, 2003.

**Patient's Signature**