

Check here if you need help filling out this application.

Are you an employee or student of Thomas County School Systems (check one)?  Employee  Student

Last Name	First Name	Middle Initial	Maiden or Previous Name
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Mailing Address	City	State	County	Zip Code
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Contact Number:  
 Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Alternate \_\_\_\_\_ Leave Message? \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred number for us to call:  Cell  Home  Work  
 Also notify using:  Email  Text Message  Patient Portal  
 Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Preferred time to call:  Morning  Afternoon  Evening  
 Pharmacy: \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status \_\_\_\_\_ Sex  F  M Date of Birth: Month \_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_ Year \_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Information	Residence Situation
Name _____ Relationship to Patient _____ Address _____ City, State, Zip _____ Phone Number(s) _____ Alternate Contact: _____	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent <input type="checkbox"/> Public Housing <input type="checkbox"/> Foster Care (Peds) <input type="checkbox"/> Homeless <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary with Family or Others/Doubled Up <input type="checkbox"/> Salvation Army <input type="checkbox"/> Rescue Mission <input type="checkbox"/> Transitional Housing or Program <input type="checkbox"/> Streets

Have you ever been in the military?  Yes  No  
 Are you a Veteran  Yes  No  
 Are you a Migrant  Yes  No  
 Seasonal Farm Worker?  Yes  No

**Advance Directive**  
 I have an Advance Directive  Yes  No  
 If no, would you like more information about Advance Directives?  Yes  No  
 Living Will  Durable Power of Attorney for Health Care

Race:  Black/African American  White  Multiple Race  Asian  Native Hawaiian  Pacific Islander  
 American Indian/Alaska Native **Hispanic Ethnicity:**  Yes  No  Prefer Not to Disclose Race/Ethnicity

Preferred Language: \_\_\_\_\_ Do you need an interpreter?  Yes  No

Currently Employed:  Yes  No Name & Number of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Care Provider: \_\_\_\_\_

Is Patient Covered by Insurance?  Yes  No If yes Check all that Apply \*If yes, please give current card(s) to the receptionist.

Medicare  Medicaid  Commercial  Workers Comp  PCSG's  Other  
 Part A Only  Well Care  Blue Cross  Discount Program \_\_\_\_\_  
 Parts A & B  Peach State  CIGNA  
 Amerigroup  \_\_\_\_\_  
 Planning 4hb

Contracted Lab  Quest Diagnostic  Archbold  Lab Corp.  Solstas  Unknown  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*Please note it is the patient's responsibility to verify the lab your insurance company will cover. Without this information you will be responsible for any unpaid lab fees.

Has the Patient Applied for Medicaid/Medicare Coverage? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Would you like more information on applying for coverage and other services? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Do you have access to regular Dental Care <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Barriers	Financial Statistics
	Do you have a <input type="checkbox"/> Speech Impediment and/or <input type="checkbox"/> Hearing Impaired?	For Data Reports (Not Specific to Patient) Household Income: _____ How many people living in home: _____

Name of Other Person Responsible for Bill \_\_\_\_\_ Relation to Patient  Parent  Guardian  Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 You must provide proof of guardianship/Power of Attorney if not the legal parent.

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Contact Number \_\_\_\_\_

The foregoing information is true to the best of my knowledge and I request PCSG to provide me and/or my family with medical care. I acknowledge my responsibility to pay for services according to the policies established by PCSG. I acknowledge by signing below that I have received a copy of and read the PCSG HIPAA Privacy Policy Notice along with PCSG's Patient's Rights & Responsibilities.  
 Patient or Guardian Signature X \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

## Patient Policies/Processes

Please be advised that it is the policy of Primary Care of Southwest Georgia, Inc. to hold the individual receiving services responsible for charges incurred at the time of service. If the patient is a minor, then parents or legal guardian then assume responsibility. Routine office charges are due at the time services are rendered, unless arrangements are made in advance. Medical insurance is filed as a convenience to our patients. **OUR BILL IS WITH OUR PATIENTS, NOT THEIR INSURANCE COMPANIES.** If a problem arises, it is the patients' responsibility to communicate with the insurance company to resolve the problem. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask our staff. We will be glad to help in any way possible. **THANK YOU.**

I have read and fully understand that I am responsible for payment of the services render to the patient. I promise to pay **Primary Care of Southwest Georgia** any unpaid balance due on my account, including reasonable collection charges.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Guarantor

### INSURANCE AUTHORIZATION AND ASSIGNMENT

I hereby authorize Primary Care of Southwest Georgia to furnish information to insurance carriers concerning my illness and hereby assign to the physician(s) all insurance proceeds for medical services rendered to myself or my dependent(s). I understand that I am responsible for charges not covered by insurance.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Insured

### RECEIPT OF PATIENTS RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES FORM

I have received a copy of Primary Care of Southwest Georgia's Patient Rights and Responsibilities Form.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient or Parent/Guardian

#### ***Check for needed forms:***

\_\_\_\_\_ Do you want to apply for our discount program? (please complete ***Discount Application***)

Thomas County Schools  
Primary Care of Southwest Georgia-TCMS  
School Based Health Center

**Permission for Release of Health Information**

I \_\_\_\_\_ hereby give permission for the staff of Primary Care of Southwest GA, Inc. and my provider to give **my** health information to the person that I indicate below.

You may communicate with the following individual regarding **my** condition or course of treatment.

Name: _____	Name: _____
Address: _____	Address: _____
Telephone: _____	Telephone: _____
Relationship: _____	Relationship: _____

I am fully informed as to the content of this form and understand the reason for this release of information. I understand that I have a right to revoke this authorization at any time. I understand if I revoke the authorization, I must do so in writing and present my written revocation to the practice.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Consent to Obtain External Prescription History**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, whose signature appears below, authorize Primary Care of Southwest Georgia's providers and staff to view my external prescription history in the RxHub service.

I understand **my** prescription history from multiple other unaffiliated medical providers, insurance companies and pharmacy benefit managers will be viewable by Primary Care of Southwest Georgia's providers and staff, and the information may include prescriptions that have been filled over the past several years.

MY SIGNATURE BELOW CERTIFIES THAT I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE SCOPE OF MY CONSENT AND THAT I AUTHORIZE THE ACCESS.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient/Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Witness

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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**Summary of Notice of Privacy Practices**

Our Legal Duty: We have a duty to protect the confidentiality of medical information about you. We have a Notice of Privacy Practices explaining ways we may use and disclose your medical information. The Notice also describes your legal rights and obligations regarding the use and disclosure of your medical information. We are required by law to maintain the privacy and security of your protected health information. We will let you know promptly if a breach occurs that may have compromised the privacy or security of your information. We must follow the duties and privacy practices described in this notice and give you a copy of it. We will not use or share your information other than as described here unless you tell us we can in writing. If you tell us we can, you may change your mind at any time. Let us know in writing if you change your mind. For more information see: [www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/understanding/consumers/noticepp.html](http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/hipaa/understanding/consumers/noticepp.html)

Parties Following the Notices: The Notice will be followed by Primary Care of Southwest Georgia, Inc. and its affiliates, together with their health care professionals, staff and volunteers, and those participating in managed care networks with Primary Care of Southwest Georgia, Inc., and other legal entities that provide services to Primary Care of Southwest Georgia (PCSG).

How We May Use and Disclose Medical Information About You: We may use or disclose identifiable health information about you for many reasons including:

- Treatment
- Bill for your services
- Health care operations
- Health oversight activities
- Public health purposes
- Auditing
- National security & protective services
- Research
- Worker’s Compensation; Law enforcement purposes
- Lawsuits and disputes
- Hospital directories
- Fundraising activities (with written consent from patient)
- Activities of managed care networks which we participate
- Activities of our affiliates
- Appointment reminders
- Comply with the Law
- To avert a serious threat to health/safety
- To corners, medical examiners & directors
- To military command authorities
- As required by law
- Individuals involved in your care or payment.

Your Privacy Rights:

You have the following rights with respect to your health information:

- The right to request confidential communications and alternative means of communication with you.
- The right to request restrictions on certain use of your health information
- The right to inspect and copy certain medical information that we maintain about you either paper or electronic medical record.
- The right to request an amendment of your health information.
- The right to an accounting of certain disclosures of your health information.
- Get a copy of this privacy notice
- File a complaint if you believe your privacy rights have been violated.

Additional Information: Upon request you may review our detailed Notice of Privacy Practices for further information regarding exercising your privacy rights or if you object or request a limitation of the referenced uses of disclosure.

Changes to the Notices: We can change the terms of this notice, and the changes will apply to all information we have about you. The new notice will be available upon request, in our office, and on our web site.

***Secretary of the US Department of Health and Human Services***

Patient Acknowledgement: I acknowledge that I have been made aware of the Notice of Privacy Practices for Primary Care of Southwest Georgia. I also acknowledge that I have been provided with an opportunity to ask questions regarding the Notice and its contents.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Name (Printed)

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

FOR PCSG PERSONNEL ONLY: (Complete if patient acknowledgement is not obtained)

The patient was made aware of the Notice of Privacy Practices and a good faith attempt was made to obtain the patient’s signature acknowledging awareness of the notice, an acknowledgement was not obtained because\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
PCSG Representative

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Primary Care of Southwest Georgia-TCMS**

In an effort to better serve all the patients in our communities we ask you to answer the following questions:

**Patient Additional Information**

**DATE OF BIRTH:**

**LAST NAME:**

**FIRST NAME:**

**MIDDLE INITIAL:**

**LANGUAGE PREFERENCE:**

- English  Spanish  Other Translator Required:  Yes

**RACE:**

- White or Caucasian  Black or African American  American Indian or Alaska Native  
 Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander  Other Race

**WHO IS YOUR PRIMARY CARE GIVER?**

- Self  Parent  Grandparent  Sibling  Spouse  Life Partner  Caregiver  
 Ward of Court/Guardian  Unknown

**SEXUAL ORIENTATION - WHAT DO YOU THINK OF YOURSELF AS:**

*Sexual Orientation is defined as to which gender(s) a person is physically attracted: to the opposite gender (heterosexual), to the same gender (homosexual), or to both genders (bisexual).*

- Lesbian, Gay or Homosexual  Straight or Heterosexual  Bisexual  
 Something else, please describe \_\_\_\_\_  
 Don't know  Decline to answer, please explain why \_\_\_\_\_

**GENDER IDENTITY - WHAT IS YOUR CURRENT GENDER IDENTITY? (Check all that apply)**

*Gender Identity is defined as a person's identification as male or female, which may or may not correspond to the person's body or their sex at birth (meaning what sex was originally listed on a person's birth certificate).*

- Male  Female  Female-to-Male (FTM)/Transgender Male/Trans Man  
 Male-to-Female (MTF)/Transgender Female/Trans Woman  Genderqueer, neither exclusively male nor female  
 Additional Gender Category/(or Other), please specify \_\_\_\_\_  
 Decline to Answer, please explain why \_\_\_\_\_

**SEX AT BIRTH - WHAT SEX YOU WERE ASSIGNED AT BIRTH ON YOUR ORIGINAL BIRTH CERTIFICATE**

- Male  Female  Decline to Answer, please explain why \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE INDICATE YOUR PREFERRED PROVIDER:**

**Signature of Patient/Representative:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Relationship if other than Patient:** \_\_\_\_\_