

Consent for Medical Treatment Under Texas Law and Patient rights:

AGREEMENT AS TO GOVERNING LAW AND FORUM: The patient (including the patient's representative, heirs or beneficiaries) and the health care providers at Alamo Asthma & Allergy rendering or providing medical care, or professional services directly related to health care to patient (including employees and agents of AA & A) agree:

- 1) That all health care rendered shall be governed exclusively and only by Texas Law and in no event shall the law of any other state apply to any health care rendered to patient; and
- 2) In the event of a dispute, any lawsuit, action, or cause of which in any way relates to health care provided to the patient shall only be brought in a Texas Court in the county / district (Bexar) where all or substantially all, of the health care was provided or rendered and under no circumstance will any lawsuit, action or cause of action, ever be brought in any other state.
- 3) A patient has a right to request a notation be added to their Medical Record concerning any content they believe is incorrect.
- 4) A patient has the right to request Medical Information be transmitted to them by: mail, phone or fax, but not by e-mail: unless two-way encryption is available.

***Consent for Medical Treatment and Evaluation:**

I have read and understand all information provided, including my need for a PCP to provide for my health maintenance and urgent care medical needs. I consent to the Medical Evaluation that will be provided by Alamo Asthma & Allergy Associates Physicians and Staff, and I accept and agree to abide by their office policies.

Patient Name: _____ **Date** _____
Responsible Adult: _____ **Phone #** _____

Signature of Patient or Responsible Adult: _____

General Complaints: The Physicians and Staff at Alamo Asthma & Allergy Associates continually strive to improve the quality of the medical care we provide. Constructive criticism is always welcome and should be addressed *in writing* to the owner of AAAA: Dr. Adrienne Vaughn, 115 Gallery Circle, #200, SATX 78258.

Complaints concerning billing issues are typically addressed by our Billing Staff (Monica or Liz) not by the Physicians; but many commonly encountered problems will also require you to communicate directly with your Medical Insurance provider.

The Texas Medical Board licenses and monitors the practice of Medicine by Physicians and other Physician-supervised mid-level medical providers (PAs and NPs); but not nurses, medical assistants or clerical staff.

NOTICE CONCERNING COMPLAINTS: Complaints concerning the care you receive from any Texas Licensed Physician may be reported for investigation at the following address: Texas Medical Board, Attention: Investigations, 333 Guadalupe, Tower 3, Suite 610, P.O. Box 2018, MC-263 Austin, Texas 78768-2018. Assistance in filing a complaint is also available by calling: 1-800-201-9353

*For more information please visit their website at www.tmb.state.tx.us

*Office Policies reviewed with all Office staff 10/1/19- ADV