

Medication Self Administration/Self Possession Authorization

Self-administration means _____ (the client) can administer his/her medication in a manner directed by their physician without additional direction or supervision by FIRST at Blue Ridge Inc staff. Self-possession means that under the direction of the physician, the client may carry medication on his/her person to allow for immediate and self-determined administration. For medication other than inhalers, topical creams, patches and sprays, only that day's supply (24 hours) of medication is to be carried. FIRST at Blue Ridge Inc recommends that spare medication, properly labeled in its original container, to be kept in the FIRST at Blue Ridge Medical Office.

The client agrees to:

1. Never share his/her medication with another person
2. Carry the medication in a responsible manner so as not to lose it
3. Take medication only at the prescribed frequency and dose
4. Keep a copy of this form and back up medication in the FIRST at Blue Ridge Inc Medical Office

If the client fails to meet any of the agreements listed above, FIRST at Blue Ridge Inc may discontinue the Self-Administration/Self-Possession privilege without notice. If FIRST at Blue Ridge Inc revokes the Self-Administration/Self-Possession privilege, client may be discharged from the program.

Physician's Printed Name: _____

Physician's Signature: _____ Date _____

Client's Signature _____ Date _____