



Informed Privacy Consent

The Federal Government's Privacy Act outlines the National Privacy Principles, which sets the minimum standards for how private sector organisations should handle the personal information of patients. The Privacy Principles prohibit the use of the personal information that Gastrointestinal Endoscopy Pty Ltd collects and holds about you for certain purposes in the event that you do not consent to the use of such information for those purposes.

If we collect sensitive information about you, we do so in accordance with the National Privacy Principles. We collect your personal information in various ways, such as over the phone, in our administration offices and in the many clinical records that either you or we fill in. We would like you to indicate on this form whether or not you consent to the use of the personal information we hold about you for the purposes described below.

You should note that in the event that you do provide consent, the information will be used in an identified format. That is, your identity will be clear in any material generated for the purposes for which you provide your consent. You are under no obligation to provide consent to the use of your personal information for any of the purposes described below.

I hereby consent to the use of my personal information for the purposes indicated below:

- To assist medical practitioners, suppliers of medical equipment and health care professionals involved in my treatment
- To assist other medical practitioners or institutions who may treat me in the future but only to the extent necessary to treat the particular condition I have consulted the medical practitioner or institution about
- To inform the next of kin identified in my admission form of the outcome of treatment to obtain consent to necessary treatment when I am not able to provide such consent

- To assist in the development of service delivery and planning in facilities at Gastrointestinal Endoscopy Pty Ltd
- For research and development projects that may be undertaken by Gastrointestinal Endoscopy Pty Ltd in its own right or in conjunction with medical practitioners who work in the facility or drug companies
- To assist the health care provider in providing practical training and education to medical, nursing and allied health staff
- To assist the health care provider in undertaking quality improvement activities

Irrespective of any request received, I direct you NOT to provide my personal information to (please specify name/details):

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Signature..... Date.....

Name

(please print full name)