



CONSENT FOR PROSTATE BIOPSY

I hereby authorize the physicians of Daniel Urological Center, Inc., and or such assistants as may be requested by said physician to perform **prostate biopsy** for the purpose as previously explained to me.

I understand that this procedure involves the introduction of a spring loaded needle into the prostate through an opening in the ultrasound probe placed inside the rectum to obtain a specifically oriented series of pathological specimens for microscopic examination for the determination of the presence or absence of cancerous tissue.

The medications offered for sedation in preparation for this procedure should not be taken when operating an automobile or other heavy machinery. You will need to have someone available to drive you to and from our office if you choose to take this medication. If you are unable to secure transportation, you will either need to not take this medication or we will be forced to cancel your procedure on the day scheduled.

Potential risks associated with this procedure include but are not limited to the risk of infection, bleeding, and the possible need for additional tests or procedures. It may be necessary to repeat this procedure based on the pathological findings. Some blood in the urine, stool, and ejaculate are normal and are expected following this procedure.

I accept the treatment recommendation of my physician. I acknowledge that no warranty or guarantee has been made as to the results of this procedure. I understand that any aspect of this consent form that I do not understand can and will be explained to me in further detail by asking my physician. I further certify that my physician has informed me of the nature and character of the proposed treatment, of the anticipated results of this procedure, of the possible alternative treatment choices, and the possible risks, complications, and anticipated benefits involved in the proposed treatment, including non-treatment.

The procedure as stated, including the possible risks, complications, options, and expectations have been explained to me or my representative and consent is thus given as noted by signature.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Witness: _____