

Power of Attorney

Do you have a Power of Attorney (POA)? _____ Yes _____ No

Does the Power of Attorney responsibility include decisions regarding health care? _____ Yes _____ No

Do you give permission for your CD-PASS support team to contact your POA? _____ Yes _____ No

If yes, please provide the following information:

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M.I. _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone (____) _____ - _____

****** You must attach a copy of your POA to this form prior to mailing ******

Signature of Member

Date

Signature of Guardian

Date

Signature (OKDHS)

Date

1. Authorized Representative: The designated “authorized representative” may counsel and advise the consumer regarding any and all CD-PASS activities and decisions for which the consumer is responsible and take actions on behalf of the consumer when directed by the consumer. An individual hired to provide Personal Services Assistance or Advanced Services Assistance to a consumer may not be an “authorized representative” of the consumer.

2. Power of Attorney: An instrument granting an individual the authority to act as agent or attorney-in-fact for the consumer. The purpose of this Power of attorney is to give the person the consumer designates broad powers to make health care decisions, including power to require, consent to or withdraw any type of personal care or medical treatment for any physical or mental condition and to admit the consumer to or discharge the consumer from any hospital, home or other institution, but not including psychosurgery, sterilization or involuntary hospitalization or treatment. An individual hired to provide Personal Assistance or Advanced Services Assistance to a consumer may not be a “legal representative” of the consumer.

3. Legal Guardian: An individual who has the legal authority and duty to care for the consumer’s person or property, especially because of the consumer’s incapacity or disability. An adult of eighteen (18) years or older, who is of sound mind and not acting under duress, fraud, or influence, may nominate a Guardian of his person or property. Upon incapacitation, this nomination shall be binding once approved by the Court. This nomination must be in writing. An individual hired to provide Personal Services Assistance or Advanced Services Assistance to a consumer may not be a “legal representative” of the consumer