



9915 E. Bell Rd., Suite 120, Scottsdale, AZ 85260 (480) 621-8250

---

## NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

McDowell Mountain Counseling, Inc. is required by law to provide you with a notice that explains our privacy practices with regard to your medical information and how your protected health information may be used or disclosed for purposes of treatment, payment, health care operations and other purposes that are permitted or required by law. Pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA), you have certain rights regarding the privacy of your protected health information as is described on the McDowell Mountain Counseling Notice of Privacy Practices form (available in hard copy and on website).

Authorization for Contact by Telephone/Verbally in Event of Breach of PHI:

I authorize McDowell Mountain Counseling, Inc to provide notice to me by telephone or verbally in the event of a breach of my Protected Health Information (PHI). Such conversation shall be documented by McDowell Mountain Counseling, Inc. Pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) Final Rule modifying the HIPAA Privacy, Security, Enforcement and Breach Notification Rules, the verbal or telephonic notice provided to me, pursuant to this authorization, shall not be simply for the administrative convenience of McDowell Mountain Counseling, Inc.

I acknowledge that I understand this office's Policy regarding Private Health Information and a copy of the Privacy Practices for McDowell Mountain Counseling, Inc. has been made available to me via the website or hard copy.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Patient or Legally Authorized Individual

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name