



Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, PA
Statement of Patient Financial Responsibility

Patient Name: _____ **DOB:** _____

Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, appreciates the confidence you have shown in choosing us to provide for your health care needs. The service you have elected to participate in implies a financial responsibility on your part. The responsibility obligates you to ensure payment in full of our fees. As a courtesy, we will verify your coverage and bill your insurance carrier on your behalf. However, you are ultimately responsible for bill payment.

You are responsible for payment of any deductible and co-payment/co-insurance as determined by your contract with your insurance carrier. We expect these payments at time of service. Many insurance companies have additional stipulations that may affect your coverage. You are responsible for any amounts not covered by your insurer. If your insurance carrier denies any part of your claim, or if you or your physician elects to continue past your approved period, you will be responsible for your balance in full.

I have read the above policy regarding my financial responsibility to Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, for providing services to me or the above named patient. I certify that the information is, to the best of my knowledge, true and accurate. I authorize my insurer to pay any benefits directly to Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, the full and entire amount of bill incurred by me or the above named patient; or, if applicable any amount due after payment has been made by my insurance carrier.

Co-Pay Policy

Some health insurance carriers require the patient to pay a co-pay for services rendered. It is expected and appreciated at the time the service is rendered for the patients to pay at EACH VISIT. Thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Consent for Treatment and Authorization to Release Information

I hereby authorize Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, through its appropriate personnel, to perform or have performed upon me, or the above named patient, appropriate assessment and treatment procedures. I further authorize Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, to release to appropriate agencies, any information acquired in the course of my or the above named patient's examination and treatment.

Self-Pay

I do not have health insurance and will be responsible for services rendered here at Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery. I agree to pay Ricks Advanced Dermatology and Skin Surgery, the full and entire amount of treatment given to me or to the above named patient. Payment plans may be arranged if necessary.

Cancellation / No Show Policy

We understand there may be times when you miss an appointment due to emergencies or obligations to work or family. However, we urge you to call 24-hours prior to canceling your appointment.

I have read and understand the above information, and I agree to the terms described:

Patient Signature _____ **Date** _____

Guarantor Signature _____ **Date** _____
(If guarantor is not the patient)