

Cumberland River Behavioral Health- Confidentiality of Substance Abuse Records

Confidentiality of Alcohol and Drug Abuse Patient Records

The confidentiality of your records maintained by this program is protected by Federal Law and Regulations. Generally, we may not say to a person outside the program that you attend the program, or disclose any information identifying you as an alcohol or drug abuser, unless;

1. You consent in writing; or
2. The disclosure is allowed by a court order; or
- 3 The disclosure is made to medical personnel in a medical emergency or to qualified personnel for research, audit, or program evaluation; or
4. You commit or threaten to commit a crime, either at the program or against a person who works for the program.

Violation of Federal Law and Regulations by the program is a crime. Suspected violations may be reported to the United States Attorney in the district where the violation occurs.

You should also know that Federal Law and Regulations do not protect any information about suspected child abuse or neglect from being reported under State Law to appropriate State or Local authorities.

Client Signature

Witness Signature