

CONSENT FOR TREATMENT AND TELEHEALTH SERVICES

Namaky Advanced Endometriosis Surgery

I. GENERAL CONSENT FOR CARE / TREATMENT

I voluntarily consent to receive medical care, evaluation, and treatment from Namaky Advanced Endometriosis Surgery (“the Practice”).

I understand that:

- My care may include medical evaluation, discussion of treatment options, and care planning
 - No guarantees have been made regarding the outcome of any treatment or recommendations
 - I may ask questions and withdraw consent at any time
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2. NATURE OF TELEHEALTH SERVICES

I understand that all initial consultations and certain follow-up visits are conducted via telehealth, using secure electronic communication technologies.

Telehealth may include:

- Video or audio communication
- Review of medical records and imaging
- Clinical consultation and care planning

I understand that completion of required intake information and preparation in advance may be necessary for telehealth services to proceed as scheduled

3. RISKS OF TELEHEALTH

I understand that telehealth involves inherent limitations and risks, including:

- The inability to perform a full physical examination
- Potential technical issues (such as poor connection or interruptions)

- Potential, though unlikely, risks to privacy or confidentiality due to electronic transmission

I understand that these limitations may affect diagnostic accuracy or treatment recommendations.

4. BENEFITS OF TELEHEALTH

I understand that telehealth may:

- Improve access to specialized care
- Reduce travel and time burden
- Allow more flexible scheduling

5. ALTERNATIVES

I understand that alternatives to telehealth include:

- In-person medical evaluation
- Seeking care from another provider

I choose to proceed with telehealth services.

6. PRIVACY AND SECURITY

I understand that:

- The Practice uses reasonable safeguards to protect my information
- No electronic system can be guaranteed to be completely secure
- My information will be handled in accordance with the Practice's Notice of Privacy Practices

7. COMMUNICATION POLICY

I understand that the Practice may communicate with me via:

- Phone

- Email
- Secure messaging systems

I acknowledge that:

- Standard email and text messaging may not be fully secure
- These methods should not be used for urgent or emergency medical concerns

8. NON-EMERGENCY CARE

I understand that:

- The Practice does not provide emergency medical services
- Telehealth communication is not appropriate for urgent or life-threatening conditions

If I experience a medical emergency, I will call 911 or seek immediate in-person care.

9. CARE COORDINATION AND LIMITATIONS

I understand that:

- Telehealth consultations are based on the information I provide and available records
- I am responsible for providing accurate and complete medical information
- Additional in-person evaluation, testing, or consultation may be necessary

10. SURGICAL CARE AND THIRD-PARTY SERVICES

If surgical treatment is recommended, I understand that:

- Surgical procedures will occur at a hospital or surgical facility
- Other providers (such as anesthesia, hospital staff, or consultants) are separately responsible for their services
- These services are billed independently of the Practice

11. PATIENT RESPONSIBILITIES

I agree to:

- Provide accurate, complete, and current medical information
- Participate in my care and ask questions when needed
- Follow recommended instructions to the best of my ability
- Complete required pre-visit steps, including online check-in and portal requirements, prior to scheduled appointments

12. RIGHT TO WITHDRAW

I understand that I may withdraw my consent for telehealth services at any time, though this may affect the ability of the Practice to provide care.

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND CONSENT

By signing below, I acknowledge that:

- I have read and understand this Consent for Treatment and Telehealth Services
- I have had the opportunity to ask questions
- All of my questions have been answered to my satisfaction
- I voluntarily consent to receive care, including through telehealth, from Namaky Advanced Endometriosis Surgery
