



# Northern Lakes

SURGERY CENTER

## Request for Amendment of Medical/Billing Record

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

After review of the medical record, I do not feel the entry made on (date) \_\_\_\_\_  
by (name) \_\_\_\_\_ is correct. The entry does not accurately reflect my treatment,  
condition, or diagnosis.

I would like to add a statement to change the medical record. I understand that:

- My medical team may or may not agree to the amendment (correction). If Northern Lakes refuses to amend my record, I understand I may provide a statement of disagreement to be filed with and accompany the record in any future authorized release of the record.
- Northern Lakes will add this amendment request to my medical record.
- Northern Lakes will respond to this request within 60 days of receiving it or will inform me of any delay in its ability to respond within that timeframe.

Please explain how the entry is wrong or incomplete. What should the entry say?

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Would you like this amendment sent to anyone who received or relied on this information (such as your doctor, pharmacist, health plan, or other health care provider)? If yes, please provide the name and address of the organization or individual below.

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

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date/Time

Please return the completed form to: St. Luke's Medical Records, 915 E 1st Street, Duluth, MN 55805. (St. Luke's is a co-owner of Northern Lakes Surgery Center.) Alternatively, you may email the signed form to [RequestRecords@slhduluth.com](mailto:RequestRecords@slhduluth.com) Please note that unencrypted email is not secure and the email could be intercepted by a third party.

**For Internal Use Only**

Date Received: \_\_\_\_\_

Patient Name, DOB, and MRN: \_\_\_\_\_

Assigned to: \_\_\_\_\_

Provider response:

I've reviewed the request and my response is:

Full acceptance     Full denial

Partial acceptance \_\_\_\_\_  
*Explanation*

Reason for denial:

Information was not created by this organization

Information is not part of patient's medical record

Information is accurate and complete

Federal law does not permit patient to inspect the information

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Privacy Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date/Time

Response Letter Sent: \_\_\_\_\_