

# DR. BOB MEDICAL WEIGHT LOSS CENTER

## PATIENT INFORMED CONSENT FOR APPETITE SUPPRESSANTS

I have requested and authorized **DR. BOB MEDICAL WEIGHT LOSS CENTER** to assist me in my weight reduction efforts. I understand that my treatment may involve, but not be limited to the use of appetite suppressants.

I understand that if after my initial consultation, I decided that I do not want to participate in the program, or should the physician/nurse practitioner determine that based on the exam the use of appetite suppressants is not indicated, I will not be eligible for a refund.

I understand it is my responsibility to follow all instructions carefully and to report to the provider treating me all medical problems or symptoms that I feel may be related to my weight control program as soon as they occur.

I understand that discontinuation of pharmacological agents may occur at any time under my health care providers discretion.

I acknowledge that in initiation therapy there are potential risks involved:

- 1. Most common side effects include, but are not limited to: Nervousness, Over Stimulation, Restlessness, Dizziness, Headache, Dry Mouth, Anxiety, Changes in Mood, Rapid Heart Rate, and Medication Allergies (rash, hives).**
- 2. Increased Blood Pressure.**
- 3. Developing primary pulmonary hypertension.**
- 4. Potential of causing birth defects.**
- 5. Increased difficulty in controlling diabetes, hypertension, and other chronic diseases.**
- 6. Developing Regurgitant Cardiac Valvular disease.**
- 7. Adverse effects may occur with altering the dose or stopping my medications without first consulting my doctors.**

I have read and fully understand this consent form. I have had the opportunity to discuss any questions about my weight control program. My provider has answered all of my questions.

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PATIENT SIGNATURE

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