Effective as of June 30, 2022

DaVita Notice of Privacy Practices

THIS NOTICE DESCRIBES HOW MEDICAL INFORMATION ABOUT YOU MAY BE USED AND DISCLOSED AND HOW YOU CAN GET ACCESS TO THIS INFORMATION. **PLEASE REVIEW IT CAREFULLY.**

This notice covers the following entities: DaVita Inc. managed or operated dialysis facilities as well as DVA Laboratory Services Inc., Total Renal Laboratories, Inc., Nephrology Practice Solutions, LLC, Nephrology Medical Associates of Georgia, LLC, DNP Management Company, LLC., and VillageHealth DM, LLC

If you have questions or concerns, please contact your clinic or the DaVita Privacy Office using the contact information provided at the end of this document.

Our Privacy Commitment

DaVita is committed

We may reject tell you why in writing.

Request confidential communications

You can ask us to contact you in a specific way (for example, home or office phone) or to send mail to a different address to enhance your privacy. We will work to accept all reasonable requests.

Ask us to limit what we use or share

You can ask us not to use or share certain health information for treatment, payment, or our operations.

There are some instances where we will not agree to your request. For example, we may deny your request when your request would negatively affect your care. If you pay for a healthcare service out-of-

We can use your health information and share it with other health care professionals who are treating you.

Example: treatment may include interdisciplinary conferences with team members from DaVita and support care teams from other facilities involved in your care and treatment or other providers who may be able to provide information or insight in the development and coordination of your plan of care.

Billing for your services

We can use and share your health information to bill and receive payment from health plans or other entities.

We can share health information with a coroner, medical examiner, or funeral director so they can carry out their duties.

Addressing workers' compensation, law enforcement, and other government requests We can use or share health information about you:

to the extent authorized by state law; For law enforcement purposes or to a law enforcement official if required; With health oversight agencies for activities authorized by law; or For special government functions such as prisons, military, national security, and protective services for the President of the United States.

Respond to lawsuits and legal actions

We can share health information about you in court or an administrative proceeding, or in response to a legal order, after certain requirements have been met.

Our Responsibilities

We are required by law to maintain the privacy and security of your PHI. We will let you know if the privacy or security of your information was compromised. We must follow the duties and privacy practices described in this notice and give you a copy of it.

We will not use or share your information other than as described here unless you tell us that we can in writing. You may change your mind at any time.

Changes to the Terms of this Notice

We can change the terms of this notice, and the changes may apply to all health information we have about you. The new notice will be available in our offices, on our web site, and upon your request.

Contact Information

DaVita Privacy Office: 2000 16th St., Denver, CO 80202 privacy@davita.com (855) 472-9822