



Patient/Client/Student Provider Email Agreement

As e-mail offers an easy and convenient way for us to communicate with each other, it is best to understand its uses and limitations:

- Commercial email providers (yahoo, hotmail, g-mail, etc.) are not considered secure means of communication for protected health information under HIPAA.
- If sending e-mails from your work address your employer has a legal right to read your e-mail if he or she chooses.
- E-mail may become a part of your chart.
- E-mails may be forwarded to my staff for handling, if appropriate.
- Either one of us can revoke permission to use the e-mail system at any time.
- Duffy & Bracken, Physical Therapy may email me bills/invoices.

I DO want to communicate with Ann Duffy, MA, PT or staff of Duffy & Bracken Physical Therapy electronically.

I have read the above information and understand the limitations of security on information transmitted.

Patient Name: _____

Patient Signature: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Date: _____