

## Authority to Act as an Advocate

## **Easy Read**

The following information has been explained to me (circle yes or no):

1. My right to an advocate				
Yes	<b>✓</b>	No	×	I know I can have an advocate to support me and be my voice
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	I have chosen a person I trust to be my advocate
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	I have told my trusted person I want them to be my advocate
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	My trusted person has agreed to be my advocate
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	I agree (give my authority) that my advocate can speak on my behalf
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	I understand my provider is not responsible for my advocate's actions

Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	My advocate can access my personal information	
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	My advocate's authority starts today	
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	I know I can change my advocate at any time	
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	I know how to tell my provider I want to change my advocate	
Agreement					
Yes		No	×	I agree that the information in this form has been explained to me by a staff member	
Yes	<b>~</b>	No	×	My advocate's name is written below	
Advocate name:					
Relationship to participant:					
Signature:					
Date:					
Address:					

Email	
Mobile:	
Emergency number:	

Participant name:	
Signature:	
Date:	
Staff name:	
Role:	
Signature:	
Date:	