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PAP SMEAR CONSENT

In order to stay abreast of the most recent medical advances in diagnosing and treating cervical cancer, we have adopted the following standards of care which have been recommended by the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology.

For women aged 21-29 years, it is recommended to do HPV high risk testing when a pap smear result is abnormal. Additionally, they recommend testing for Type 16 & 18, which is related to most cervical cancer. These tests may not fall under your wellness benefits. If you owe any additional amounts for this test, you will receive a bill from the pathology company.

For women aged 30-65 years, it is recommended to do HPV high risk typing along with your routine annual pap smear. If high risk HPV results are positive, an additional test will be run to test for HPV type 16 and type 18, which is related to most cervical cancers. These tests will be in addition to your routine pap smear and may not be covered under your wellness benefits. If you owe any additional amounts for these tests, you will receive a bill from the pathology company.

I have read and understand the above statements and agree to the recommended testing.

Sign: _____ Date: _____

Printed Name: _____