

Marshall Back and Body Wellness Center
River Oakes Beauty and Wellness Group
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HCG Consent Form

HCG (Human Chorionic Gonadotropin) is a prescription medication used by Marshall Back and Body Wellness Center/River Oakes Beauty and Wellness Group in its weight loss program. I request and consent to injections of HCG and strict dietary restrictions for the purpose of losing weight. I will be instructed on how to administer the injections myself. I understand that initial blood tests may be performed to rule out any condition that would disqualify me from the program or require any prior treatment before starting the program.

I understand that medications used in this program may involve an allergic reactions, side effects and unusual reaction like with any other medications. I understand there are side effects and complications from this treatment and program including but not limited to an allergic reaction, gallbladder diseases, electrolytes imbalance, ovarian tumor, testicular cancer, irregular menstrual bleeding.

I agree in case any side effects or complications occur I will stop the treatment, will inform the physician and seek medical attention from my own Primary Care Physician for all the necessary work up and treatments. If I experience an emergency situation, I understand that I need to go to an emergency facility. I acknowledge that I am responsible for my own health. I agree not to hold Marshall Back and Body Wellness Center/River Oakes Beauty and Wellness Group, the physician and its staff liable for all the claims, cost and damages which I may suffer directly or indirectly from my participation in this program.

I understand that there are **no** refunds in case I decide to discontinue with the program. I have been informed there is no weight loss guarantee with this program. I understand that I may quit the program at any time. I agree to stop the HCG if I become pregnant and agree to advise Marshall Back and Body Wellness Center/River Oakes Beauty and Wellness Group should I decide to become pregnant.

I understand that HCG injections are **not** FDA approved for weight loss. The FDA requires that patients to be informed of the following statement; "HCG has not been demonstrated to be effective adjunctive therapy in the treatment of obesity. There is no substantial evidence that it increases weight loss beyond that resulting from caloric restriction, that it causes a more attractive or "normal" distribution of fat, or that it decreases the hunger and discomfort associated with calorie-restricted diets."

YOUR SIGNATURE BELOW INDICATES THAT YOU HAVE READ THE INFORMATION ABOVE, HAVE HAD YOUR QUESTIONS ANSWERED, HAVE HAD POTENTIAL SIDE EFFECTS EXPLAINED, HAVE BEEN SPECIFICALLY INFORMED HOW TO STORE/ PERFORM INJECTIONS, AND AGREE TO PROCEED WITH THE HCG WEIGHT LOSS PROGRAM OFFERED AT MARSHALL BACK AND BODY WELLNESS CENTER.

Patient Signature

Date

Print Patient Name

Witness

Physician Signature