MRC Consent to Photograph

Purpose: To identify the procedure for photographing MRC exercise participants and/or patients treated in an MRC deployment.

Policy: Santa Barbara County Medical Reserve Corps Consent to Photograph Procedure.

Procedure or Policy:

MRC exercise participants and/or patients treated in an MRC deployment may be photographed for documentation, training, marketing or other organizational purposes. Prior to the archival and/or publication of photographs taken, consent to photograph will be obtained from photographed subjects.

Photographed subjects will be provided with the following written statement for review and signature:

Consent to photograph

I, ____________________________________________, do hereby grant permission to the Santa Barbara County Medical Reserve Corps to take and use photographs of me and/or my children for purposes of explaining services and functions of the MRC. I understand that by signing this release, all photographs become the property of the Medical Reserve Corps for use at their discretion without further permission.

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Signature of Patient, Parent or Guardian (if under 18 yrs. of age)   Signature of Witness

If signed by other than patient, indicate relationship:                      Date: _______________________

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Time: _______________________

Consent to photograph documentation will be held by the Medical Reserve Corps offices at the Emergency Medical Services Agency for a duration of 7 years.

APPROVED:

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