WVU PHYSICIANS OF CHARLESTON

NOTICE OF ORGANIZED HEALTH CARE ARRANGEMENT

The Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act ("HIPAA") allows health care providers who practice medicine in a clinically integrated setting, in which patients receive their health care from more than one provider, to function as an "Organized Health Care Arrangement" for purposes of sharing protected health information. West Virginia University Physicians of Charleston ("WVUPC") has agreed with other health care providers to share your protected health information, as permitted by law, for treatment, payment or health care operations. This helps all of us better meet your health care needs. A list of the health care providers who participate with WVUPC in this Organized Health Care Arrangement includes:

Charleston Area Medical Center, Inc. ("CAMC"), which includes CAMC General Hospital, CAMC Memorial Hospital, CAMC Women and Children’s Hospital, any of CAMC’s off-site departments and hospital based clinics, and CAMC’s research affiliate, CAMC Health Education and Research Institute, Inc.