

**Will the minor have the right to revoke an earlier parental consent unilaterally?**

Yes, minors in the position to consent for a Minor Consented Service will have the right to revoke any and all earlier consents allowing their information to be viewed through the RHIO.

**When should the RHIO Consent Form for Minor Consented Services be presented to the patient?**

When the minor receives a Minor Consented Service, including reproductive health services, the minor signs a consent form, not the parent. The Minor Consent Form should be presented to the minor in the exam room when the parent is not present.

**Do parents or guardians have access to their child's or dependent's information through the RHIO?**

Information available through the RHIO should not be re-disclosed to parents or guardians. The RHIO DOES NOT provide parents or guardians with access to minor healthcare information.

**If the minor's parent previously consented, and the minor decides to re-approve consent, do we need to make any changes on Explore?**

You do NOT need to reset consent on Explore. But you DO need to send a copy of the Minor Consent to the RHIO (fax to 585-410-6801).

**If the minor decides NOT to allow RHIO access to a practice, will the "no" follow for ALL providers in the RHIO?**

All providers will be denied RHIO access, unless the minor signs a new form choosing "yes" for any provider.

**If the minor indicates "No" for RHIO consent, will there still be access to the minor's health information in a medical emergency?**

Yes.

**If the minor approves, or re-approves, our practice's access, do they need to reaffirm their RHIO consents at other practices?**

No.