

# PelEX HEALTH INFORMATION EXCHANGE

#### WHO WE ARE?

Your health care provider is a member of PelE, formerly known as the Greater New Orleans Health Information Exchange (GNOHIE). PelEX is a health information exchange network dedicated to advancing health for all of Louisiana's communities. PelEx allows your health care providers to share your health information with each other in order to give you the best care possible. Only your health care team can access your health information. PelEX keeps your health information secure and confidential.

If you do not want PelEX to share your records, you can opt out of the PelEX at any time.

### WHAT TYPE OF HEALTH INFORMATION DOES THE PelEX SHARE?

- Medical history
- Prescriptions
- Test results
- Hospital and clinic visit summaries

#### WHO WILL SEE MY INFORMATION?

The people who already see your health information will see your information from PelEX. People who can see your information include:

- Your health care team the doctors, nurses, medical assistants, and other health care workers who take care of you at the doctor's office or the hospital.
- Certain staff at your doctor's office. Their job is to monitor the quality of the services you receive.
- Only organizations that are members of the PelEX can see your information. A list of PelEX members is available on the website gnohie.org.

## IF YOU DO NOT WANT YOUR INFORMATION SHARED BY PelEX, YOU CAN OPT OUT AT ANY TIME BY:

- Visit our website at www.pelexhie.org and complete the Patient Opt-Out Form
- Calling us at 504-301-9835
- If you are under 18 or have a legal guardian, your parents or guardian must opt out for you.

Patient, Parent or Guardian Signature

Date