

THE RIGHT TO CHOOSE YOUR PHARMACY PROVIDER



PHARMACY OPT-OUT

Your community has chosen Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis as its preferred pharmacy because of the outstanding service we provide to our residents. However, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services (CMS) guarantees a beneficiary his or her right to a choice of pharmacy providers. We sincerely hope you choose Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis as your provider, but we will honor your choice if you prefer another provider.

This form is only for those who do NOT wish to receive their medications from Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis and would like to "opt-out" or decline the services provided by Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis.

By signing this form, you are acknowledging the following:

- You are choosing to use a pharmacy provider that is not Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis.
- You agree to assume the responsibility of tracking, ordering, and having prescription medications delivered to your community.
- You agree to incur the fee charged by your community each month for utilizing a non-preferred pharmacy.
- If a prescribed medication is not available for administration, I consent for the community to order a 7-day supply from Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis arrange to have another provider deliver a full supply of the medication. The Community is obligated by the State of Missouri to administer medications as they are ordered and an excuse of "not available" is not permissible.

If you would like to use your community's preferred provider, Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis, please disregard the signature block below. Sign below ONLY if you wish to use a pharmacy other than Guardian Pharmacy of St. Louis.

Resident/Responsible Party

Date

Community Representative

Date