

Law Tips



Estate Planning Documents Checklist • Part Two

This the essential documents most Wyoming attorneys expect during estate planning consultations. Each one serves a purpose and should be designed for your life, not copied from a template.

Medical Power of Attorney and Healthcare Directive

Wyoming Statute § 35-22-403 outlines the requirements for medical decision-making on behalf of another person. A medical power of attorney names an individual to speak to doctors if you cannot. A healthcare directive explains your preferences for treatment and end-of-life care. When both are aligned, medical decisions can be made faster and with greater confidence.

HIPAA Release Form

This is a simple yet crucial document. A HIPAA release allows someone to receive medical information about your condition. Without written permission, healthcare providers are legally restricted from sharing information even with close family. Emergencies become harder to manage when communication is limited.

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