

# ADAMS PATTERSON GYNECOLOGY & OBSTETRICS

A DIVISION OF WOMEN'S CARE CENTER OF MEMPHIS

Patient: \_\_\_\_\_ Chart #: \_\_\_\_\_

## INFLUENZA VACCINE INFORMATION

INFLUENZA IS CAUSED BY A VIRUS THAT SPREADS FROM INFECTED PERSONS TO THE NOSE AND THROAT OF OTHERS. THE "INFLUENZA SEASON" IS FROM NOVEMBER TO MARCH OR APRIL OF EACH YEAR.

IN 2004, THE RECOMMENDATIONS BY THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF OBSTETRICIANS & GYNECOLOGIST AND THE U.S. PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE WERE REVISED TO STATE THAT ALL WOMEN WHO WILL BE PREGNANT DURING INFLUENZA SEASON SHOULD RECEIVE A FLU VACCINE, REGARDLESS OF THEIR STAGE OF PREGNANCY.

I HAVE READ AND UNDERSTAND THE ABOVE INFORMATION.

Yes, I want the influenza vaccination during flu season \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

No, I decline the vaccination at this time \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date

I have or will receive the vaccine elsewhere \_\_\_\_\_  
Signature Date