**Rubric for Informed Consent**

**Group #:**

Patient consent to the use of telemedicine technologies must be obtained, documented, and maintained. The consent should include:

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| Required Content | Score | Comment |
| Identification of the patient, the practitioner, and the practitioner’s credentials/role | /1 |  |
| Explanation of what telehealth is and how it will be conducted | /1 |  |
| Statement that it is the role of the practitioner to determine whether the condition being diagnosed and/or treated is appropriate for a telemedicine encounter | /1 |  |
| HIPAA - Security measures taken with use of telehealth (password protection, encryption and notification of potential risk to privacy) | /1 |  |
| Responsibility for payment | /1 |  |
| Hold harmless clause for information loss due to technical failures  | /1 |  |
| Patient may end telehealth encounter | /1 |  |
| Requirement for express patient consent to forward patient information to a third party | /1 |  |
| Place for Patients Signature | /1 |  |
| Appropriate for Patient’s level of understanding | /1 |  |
| **Total Score** | **/10** |  |