Prostate Cancer Screening Leave

New York State Civil Service Law entitles employees to take up to four hours of paid leave annually, without charge to leave credits, for prostate cancer screening. The screening includes physical exams and blood work for the detection of prostate cancer. Travel time is included in the four-hour cap. Absence beyond the four hours must be charged to leave credits. The leave is not cumulative and expires at the close of business on the last day of each calendar year. Employees who undergo screenings outside their regular work schedule do so on their own time.

To properly record this absence, please complete the information below, including a signature from the provider’s office, and return this form with your timesheet for the period in which you used the prostate cancer screening leave. Document the time off on your timesheet as PCSL.

Employee Name__________________________________________________________
(Please print)
Date and Time of Appointment______________________________________________
Place of Appointment______________________________________________________
Signature of Provider______________________________________________________
Signature of Employee_____________________________________________________