STATE OF MINNESOTA

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DISTRICT COURT

COUNTY OF HENNEPIN

In Re the Matter of:

Hennepin County Medical Center Patients who are in the Custody of the Hennepin County Adult Detention Center, Adult Correctional Facility, Juvenile Detention Center, County Home School and Detention, or Jail and Criminal Custody Facilities operated by Municipalities in Hennepin County

STANDING ORDER

WHEREAS, pre-trial detainees and inmates who are booked into the Hennepin County Adult Detention Center (HCADC), the Adult Correctional Facility (ACF), Juvenile Detention Center (JDC) and County Home School (CHS), and detention, jail and criminal custody facilities operated by municipalities in Hennepin County are, on occasion, in need of medical treatment or intervention at Hennepin County Medical Center (HCMC); and

WHEREAS, such detainees and inmates are, from time to time, discharged or furloughed to HCMC for such treatment or medical intervention; and

WHEREAS, such detainees and inmates must be returned to the HCADC, ACF, JDC, CHS, and detention, jail and criminal custody facilities operated by municipalities in Hennepin County after treatment; and

WHEREAS, the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act (Minn. Stat. § 13,384 (2000)) and the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, 45 C.F.R. Parts 160 and 164, provide that HCMC shall not provide information to non-hospital personnel regarding the discharge time and date of a patient absent a court order or patient consent;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

1. That the ADC, ACF, JDC, CHS, and detention, jail and criminal custody facilities operated by municipalities in Hennepin County shall provide HCMC with the name of the patient who is subject to being returned to custody; and HCMC personnel shall provide personnel from the ADC, ACF, JDC, CHS, and detention, jail and criminal custody facilities operated by municipalities in Hennepin County with information as to the anticipated date and time of hospital discharge of each detainee or inmate upon request.

2. This order supersedes any prior or conflicting standing orders on this subject and shall remain in effect until further notice of the court.

Peter A. Cahill Digitally signed by Peter A. Cahill Digital Digita

Date: December 19, 2012

Peter A. Cahill

Chief Judge of District Court