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Mr. Merritt completed the Active Management of Pain program and education on office posture was provided during session six. Although education was provided, he does not have the equipment that would allow him to maintain correct office posture, while completing his course work and while studying. He would benefit from ergonomic equipment and a standing desk to allow him to complete his course work without increased pain.

Sincerely,

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AMP program.

Veteran will:

[x] Continue to focus on maintenance of AMP skills independently; participant is aware they can contact providers if needed in the future.

[] Continue to focus on maintenance of AMP skills independently, however requested a referral to: {---}

AMP provider(s) will facilitate care coordination in collaboration with the Veterans' healthcare team.

[yes] Are other actions required at this time to ensure this Veterans ability to independently apply the strategies learned through the AMP program? If yes, these other actions may include: No

[] Booster session with AMP PT.

[] Booster session with AMP behavioral health.

[] Interdisciplinary BH/PT booster session.

[x] Other actions and/or recommendations not detailed above:

Pt is starting school soon and although educated on proper office posture, he does not have the equipment that would allow him to maintain that posture and increase mobility while working. He would benefit from ergonomic equipment and a

standing desk to allow him to complete his course work without increased pain.

/es/ Paul D. Parker Jr, PT, DPT

Physical Therapist

Signed: 01/08/2025 16:44

LOCAL TITLE: ACTIVEMP GROUP INTER-D PARENT NOTE

STANDARD TITLE: MENTAL HEALTH INTERDISCIPLINARY NOTE

DATE OF NOTE: JAN 08, 2025@10:00 ENTRY DATE: JAN 09, 2025@09:18:32

AUTHOR: HALL, JOHN W

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URGENCY:

STATUS: COMPLETED

AMP Interdisciplinary Group Parent Note: Session 7 & 8

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Date: 1/8/2025@1000

Time: 1000

Duration: 120 minutes

Number of Veterans in attendance: 5

Providers: Paul Parker, PT, DPT; John W. Hall, PhD, ABPP

Reason for visit: Participation in the Active Management of Pain (AMP) Program

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PATIENT NAME AND ADDRESS (Mechanical Imprinting, if available)

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