RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATION			
MORALES	ADELA		
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI	
FEMALE	11/22/48	6198133847	SHIPPING METHOD: SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC
1445 TOWN CENTER DR APT	CHULA VISTA	CA 91915	
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE	
INSURANCE INFORMATION	ON		
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MEDICARE PRIMARY INSURANCE		SECONDARY INSURANCE	_
7MH6WD9EF49			
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID	
PHYSICIAN INFORMATIO	N		
MARIA OSEGUERA, MD		1487627907	
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI#	
		619-934-2229	
653 EL PORTAL DR CHULA VIS	T CA 91914	PHONE NUMBER	
PRACTICE LOCATION		619-946-4073	
		FAX NUMBER	
PRESCRIPTION SELECTI	ON		
□ L3670 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L3960 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L3660 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L0650 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L0642 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L0457 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L0648 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ E0100 - Electric Heat Pad □ L1690 - Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ L1686 - Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ L2624 - Hip Joint Adjustable Flee L3760 - Elbow Brace (Side: □ L	R) (Waist:) R) (Waist:) R) (Wast:) R) (Wast:) kion, Extension (Side: □ L □ R)	☑ L3916 – Wrist Han ☐ L3915 - Wrist Han ☑ L1852 – Knee Bra ☐ L1833 – Knee Bra ☑ L2397 – Knee Slee ☐ E0100 – Cane ☐ L2425 – Dial Lock ☐ L2820 – Lower Ext ☐ L1971 – Ankle Bra ☐ L1906 – Ankle Bra ☐ L0174 – Cervical Bra	tremity Ortho ice (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size:) ice (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size:)
MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	rthritis left knee thritis right knee	 M25.532- Pain i M25.531 - Pain M19.072- Ostec M19.071- Ostec M25.522 Pain ir M25.521 Pain ir M54.2-Cervicals 	in right wrist parthritis Left Ankle parthritis Right Ankle n left elbow n right elbow
Length of Need: ⊠ 12+ mont	hs (long term) 🗆# of mo	onths (1-11)	

MEDICAL HISTORY

Previous treatments: RESTING

Doctor's Notes: The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST** pain for **OVER A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of **7** and pain worsens with movements. Pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** and is experienced **SOMETIMES**. Previous treatments with heat, ice and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain level.

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE	
Physician Verification: By my signature, I am prescribing the items listed above ar indicated and necessary and consistent with current accepted standards of medical	, , , ,
PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	MARIA OSEGUERA, MD DATE:
	10-15-1091

Patient Name: ADELA MORALES

Patient Address: 1445 TOWN CENTER DR APT 1346 CHULA VISTA CA 91915

Patient Phone: 6198133847

Physician Name: MARIA OSEGUERA, MD Address: 653 EL PORTAL DR CHULA VIST CA 91914

Telephone: **619-934-2229**Fax: **619-946-4073**

Patient: ADELA MORALES Date of Birth: 11/22/48 Visit Date: A MONTH AGO Reason for visit: CHECK-UP

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

Patient Name:	ADELA MORALES	Date of Birth:	11/22/48
Age:	75	Phone Number:	6198133847
Address:	1445 TOWN CENTER DR APT 1346	City:	CHULA VISTA
State:	CA	Zip Code:	91915
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'7
Weight:	167	Waist Size	м

Patient Insurance

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	7MH6WD9EF49
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Medications

Current Medication	TYLENOL
Medical History	DIABETES

Medical Diagnosis

The pain level was indicated on a	scale of 1-10 as the following: 7
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The patient's pain started on or around A YEAR

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced **SOMETIMES**

The patient has attempted the following previous treatments/therapies: RESTING

The patient described their pain as the following: ACHY

The activities that make the patient's pain worse is as follows: BENDING

The pain is located in the patient's LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST

The patient's pain is caused by ARTHRITIS

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on A MONTH AGO

Chief Complaint

The patient's main complaint is that they experience chronic pain located in the following location(s): LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST

Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE**, **BOTH WRIST** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of **7** and pain worsens with movement. The pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** and is experienced **SOMETIMES**. Previous treatments with heat, ice, and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain level.

Objective of Assessment (Review of Symptoms)

Patient has chronic pain for A YEAR located in their LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST related to M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee, M25.532- Pain in left wrist, M25.531- Pain in right wrist. Patient has been to a physical therapist and hasn't had previous surgery to treat this pain.

Patient's chronic pain is described **ACHY** and occurs **SOMETIMES**. The patient rated their pain on a scale of 1-10 (10 being the worst) on a level **7**. The following activities make the patient's pain worse: **BENDING**. Patient needs a **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE**, **BOTH WRIST** Brace to provide support and reduce pain level.

Plan & Treatment Goals

Based on my evaluation of the patient's condition, I am ordering the following device(s) L1852 KNEE ORTHOSIS (KO), SINGLE UPRIGHT, THIGH AND CALF, WITH ADJUSTABLE FLEXION AND EXTENSION JOINT (UNICENTRIC OR POLYCENTRIC), MEDIAL-LATERAL AND ROTATION CONTROL, WITH OR WITHOUT VARUS/VALGUS ADJUSTMENT, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF WHICH INCLUDES L2397 (ADDITION TO LOWER EXTREMITY ORTHOSIS, SUSPENSION SLEEVE), L3916 - Wrist hand orthosis, includes one or more nontorsion joint(s), elasticbands, turnbuckles may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf, including fitting and adjustment if needed. The patient has been instructed to wear the device daily, as needed. The benefits of this device, which is an alternative, non-invasive method to potentially relieve pain, has been explained to the patient who is interested in this treatment. Based on my assessment, I have determined it is medically necessary and appropriate to prescribe treatment today. For the patient's complaint, I am prescribing this device. The patient will benefit by helping her address any of the following: give support to weak muscles, improve patient's pain, improve patient's function, increase performance in activities of daily living, improve ambulation, reduce medications, slow degeneration, provide stability, provide support. Reduce pain by restricting the mobility of the trunk; reduce the risk of medical problems escalating the patient's present condition, facilitate healing following an injury or surgical procedure to the spine or related soft tissues; To support weak spinal muscles and/or a deformed spine. If the patient's pain persists or worsens and/or there is an acute trauma or injury related to this pain, the patient agrees and understands to go to the Emergency Room or follow-up with their Primary Care Physician for further testing and imaging that may be immediately necessary.

ICD 10 (Diagnostic Codes)

M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee, M25.532- Pain in left wrist, M25.531- Pain in right wrist

Agreements

We understand that you are choosing to use our professional medical services to receive a prescription for your new brace.

Physician Information

Provider Name: MARIA OSEGUERA, MD

Address: 653 EL PORTAL DR CHULA VIST CA 91914

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: ADELA MORALES

Patient Address: 1445 TOWN CENTER DR APT 1346 CHULA VISTA CA 91915

Patient Phone: 6198133847

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: ADELA MORALES

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 10/14/2024

Height: **5'7** Weight: **167** DOB: **11/22/48**

Ms MORALES is inquiring about utilizing orthotic bracing for his/her current conditions. His/her chief complaint at the time of this assessment is: LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST.

Ms MORALES reports chronic LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST pain for A YEAR. Patient states pain is ACHY with a pain scale of 7 and pain worsens with BENDING. Pain is experienced SOMETIMES. Previous treatments with heat, ice, medication and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain levels.

Diagnosis includes: M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee, M25.532- Pain in left wrist, M25.531- Pain in right wrist. Based on my conversation with Ms MORALES and evaluation of his/her condition, I am ordering the following: L1852 KNEE ORTHOSIS (KO), SINGLE UPRIGHT, THIGH AND CALF, WITH ADJUSTABLE FLEXION AND EXTENSION JOINT (UNICENTRIC OR POLYCENTRIC), MEDIAL-LATERAL AND ROTATION CONTROL, WITH OR WITHOUT VARUS/VALGUS ADJUSTMENT, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF WHICH INCLUDES L2397 (ADDITION TO LOWER EXTREMITY ORTHOSIS, SUSPENSION SLEEVE), L3916 - Wrist hand orthosis, includes one or more non-torsion joint(s), elasticbands, turnbuckles may include soft interface, straps, prefabricated, off-the-shelf

Patient is ambulatory and has weakness of the LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST requiring stabilization for improvement of functionality. I am prescribing this LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST orthosis for the following indication(s): to aid when the patient is BENDING, to aid in stabilization of the LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST. My treatment goal(s) for the use of the prescribed LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, BOTH WRIST orthosis are: improvement in patient's function, improvement in patient's pain. The patient has been instructed to use the brace(s) daily, as needed.

Custom fitting of the orthosis is not required and the patient or an assisting caregiver can apply the prescribed orthotic device with minimal self-adjustment. **Ms MORALES** has been provided a phone number to call if there are any additional comments or questions regarding this examination, and I have recommended that **Ms MORALES** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

Re: ADELA MORALES..... DOB: November 22, 1948

I, MARIA OSEGUERA, MD, verify and confirm this order for the above-named patient, and certify that I have personally performed the assessment of the patient for the prescribed treatment and device and verify that it is reasonably and medically necessary, according to accepted standards of medical practice within the community, for this patient's medical condition.

MARIA OSEGUERA, MD

Signatule

Date Signed: 15 - 15 - 2021

Comprehensive Knee Laxity Test (Check All Applicable)

Objective Tests: (Check ALL applicable, a minimum of 2 tests is required for each knee with a brace prescribed.)

Caution: Advise Patients to stabilize themselves properly during any standing test to avoid a fall injury.

Pivot Shift Test (Stabilization to avoid fall advised for this test. Patient can stabilize themselves by holding onto a chair or kitchen counter.)

Positive: Patient knee gives out while pivoting or twisting indication joint laxity

Negative: Patient knee DOES NOT give out while pivoting or twisting.

LEFT:	Positive
RIGHT:	Positive

Cabot's Maneuver (figure of "4" knee bend)

Positive: Patient indicates lateral joint line pain, LCL instability and ligament laxity

Negative: Patient knee DOES NOT produce lateral knee pain

(Leave positive and negative both unchecked for the knee if did not perform this test on the knee.)

LEFT:	Positive
RIGHT:	Positive