RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATIO	N			
MCQUEEN	DEBRA			
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI		
FEMALE	07/09/1948	7134473789	SHIPPING METHOD: SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS	
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC	
4509 SHARON ST	HOUSTON	TX 77020		
ADDRESS	СІТҮ	STATE & ZIPCODE		
INSURANCE INFORMA	TION			
MEDICARE				
PRIMARY INSURANCE	<u>—</u>	SECONDARY INSURANCE		
1R77PN8UQ67				
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID		
PHYSICIAN INFORMAT	TION			
STEQUITA JACKSON MD		1811480304		
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI#		
		713-798-7700		
3701 KIRBY DR STE 100 HO	ISTON TV 77000	PHONE NUMBER		
PRACTICE LOCATION		713-798-7775		
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PRESCRIPTION SELEC	CTION			
□ L3670 - Shoulder Brace (Sid	e:	□ L3916 – Wrist Ha □ L3915 - Wrist Ha □ L1851 – Knee Br □ L1852 – Knee Br □ L1833 – Knee Br □ L2397 – Knee St □ E0100 – Cane □ L2425 – Dial Loc □ L2820 – Lower E □ L1906 – Ankle Br □ L1971 – Ankle Br □ L0174 – Cervical	xtremity Ortho race (Side: ⊠ L ⊠ R) (Shoe Size: 8) race (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size:)	
MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	ecified eoarthritis left knee eoarthritis right knee der	⋈ M19.071- Oste□ M25.522 Pain□ M25.521 Pain□ M54.2-Cervica	n in right wrist eoarthritis Left Ankle eoarthritis Right Ankle in left elbow	

MEDICAL HISTORY

Previous treatments: PAIN PATCH, ICE PACK, PAIN CREAM

Doctor's Notes: The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE**, **LEFT ANKLE**, **RIGHT ANKLE** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **THROBBING** with a pain scale of **9** and pain worsens with movements. Pain is caused by **WEAR AND TEAR** 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 and certifying that the above-prescribed item(s) is medically indicated and necessary and consistent with current accepted standards of medical practice and treatment of this patient's physical condition.

PHYSICIAN NAME:

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:_

STEQUITA JACKSON MD

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Patient Name: **DEBRA MCQUEEN**

Patient Address: 4509 SHARON ST HOUSTON TX 77020

Patient Phone: **7134473789**

Physician Name: STEQUITA JACKSON MD

Address: 3701 KIRBY DR STE 100 HOUSTON TX 77098

Telephone: 713-798-7700 Fax: 713-798-7775 Patient: DEBRA MCQUEEN Date of Birth: 07/09/1948 Visit Date: 07/25/2024 Reason for visit: CHECK-UP

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

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Patient Name:	DEBRA MCQUEEN	Date of Birth:	07/09/1948
Age:	76	Phone Number:	7134473789
Address:	4509 SHARON ST	City:	HOUSTON
State:	тх	Zip Code:	77020
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'0
Weight:	145	Waist Size	м

Patient Insurance

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	1R77PN8UQ67
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Medications

Current Medication	GABAPENTIN
Medical History	NONE

Medical Diagnosis

The pain level was indicated on a scale of 1-10 as the following: 9

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: PAIN PATCH, ICE PACK, PAIN CREAM

The patient described their pain as the following: THROBBING

The activities that make the patient's pain worse is as follows: WALKING AND STANDING

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

The patient's pain is caused by WEAR AND TEAR

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on 07/25/2024

Chief Complaint

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

Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE**, **LEFT ANKLE**, **RIGHT ANKLE** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **THROBBING** with a pain scale of 9 and pain worsens with movement. The pain is caused by **WEAR AND TEAR** 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, LEFT ANKLE, RIGHT ANKLE related to M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee, M19.072- Osteoarthritis Left Ankle, M19.071- Osteoarthritis Right Ankle. Patient has been to a physical therapist and hasn't had previous surgery to treat this pain.

Patient's chronic pain is described **THROBBING** and occurs **SOMETIMES**. The patient rated their pain on a scale of 1-10 (10 being the worst) on a level **9**. The following activities make the patient's pain worse: **WALKING AND STANDING**. Patient needs a **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE**, **LEFT ANKLE**, **RIGHT ANKLE** 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), L1906 ANKLE FOOT ORTHOSIS, MULTILIGAMENTOUS ANKLE SUPPORT, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF INCLUDES L3170 HEEL STABILIZER, 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, M19.072- Osteoarthritis Left Ankle, M19.071- Osteoarthritis Right Ankle

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: STEQUITA JACKSON MD

Address: 3701 KIRBY DR STE 100 HOUSTON TX 77098

Physician's Signature:

Patient Name: DEBRA MCQUEEN

Date: 08-09-2624

Patient Address: 4509 SHARON ST HOUSTON TX 77020

Patient Phone: 7134473789

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: DEBRA MCQUEEN

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 08/09/2024

Height: **5'0** Weight: **145** DOB: **07/09/1948**

Ms MCQUEEN 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**, **LEFT ANKLE**, **RIGHT ANKLE**.

Ms MCQUEEN reports chronic LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, LEFT ANKLE, RIGHT ANKLE pain for A YEAR. Patient states pain is THROBBING with a pain scale of 9 and pain worsens with WALKING AND STANDING. 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, M19.072- Osteoarthritis Left Ankle, M19.071- Osteoarthritis Right Ankle. Based on my conversation with Ms MCQUEEN 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), L1906 ANKLE FOOT ORTHOSIS, MULTILIGAMENTOUS ANKLE SUPPORT, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF INCLUDES L3170 HEEL STABILIZER.

Patient is ambulatory and has weakness of the LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE, LEFT ANKLE, RIGHT ANKLE requiring stabilization for improvement of functionality. I am prescribing this KNEE, ANKLE orthosis for the following indication(s): to aid when the patient is WALKING AND STANDING, to aid in stabilization of the KNEE, ANKLE. My treatment goal(s) for the use of the prescribed KNEE, ANKLE 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 MCQUEEN** 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 MCQUEEN** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

Re: DEBRA MCQUEEN...... DOB: July 09, 1948

I, DR. STEQUITA JACKSON 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.

DR. STEQUITA JACKSON MD

Signature

Date Signed 8-09-2024

<u>Comprehensive Knee Laxity Test (Check All Applicable)</u>

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