# **RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM**

PATIENT INFORMATION					
DARSAW	BERNICE				
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI			
FEMALE	01/17/35	2292730850	SHIPPING METHOD:		
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	<ul><li>☒ SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS</li><li>☐ SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC</li></ul>		
1114 N 10TH ST	CORDELE	GA 31015			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE			
INSURANCE INFORMAT	ION				
MEDICARE		SECONDARY INSURANCE			
PRIMARY INSURANCE		SECUNDARY INSURANCE			
3HR3RA6CQ03		MEMBER ID			
MEMBER ID					
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	ON.				
KEVIN HOLLOWAY MD	<b>214</b>	1114107810			
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI #			
7777 5157 117 11712		2292762190			
		PHONE NUMBER			
108 E. FOURTH AVE.CORDELE	E GA 31015				
PRACTICE LOCATION		2292763639			
		FAX NUMBER			
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PRESCRIPTION SELECT					
<ul><li>□ L3671 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □</li><li>□ L3960 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □</li></ul>	, ,		, , ,		
☐ L3660 – Shoulder Brace (Side:	, ,		d Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size: )		
□ <b>L0650</b> – Lumbar Brace (Waist:			ce (Side: □ L □ R) (Size: )		
L0642 – Lumbar Brace (Waist:	•		ce (Side: D L D R) (Size: )		
<ul><li>■ L0457 - Lumbar Brace (Waist: \$</li><li>■ L0648 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:</li></ul>			ce (Side: $\Box$ L $\Box$ R) (Size: ) eve (Size: ) (Qty: )		
□ E0100 – Electric Heat Pad	)	□ <b>E0100</b> – Cane	eve (0120. ) (Qty. )		
☐ L1690 – Hip Brace (Side: ☐ L	□ R) (Waist: )	□ L2425 – Dial Lock	Hinge ROM		
□ L1686 – Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Waist: )		□ <b>L2820</b> – Lower Ex	tremity Ortho		
☐ L2624 – Hip Joint Adjustable Flexion, Extension (Side: ☐ L ☐ R)		□ L1906 – Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size: )			
□ L3760 – Elbow Brace (Side: □	L □ R)	□ L1971 – Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size: )			
		□ <b>L0174</b> – Cervical E □ <b>L317</b> 0 – Heel Stab	Brace bilizer (Side: □ L □ R)		
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MEDICAL INFORMATION	I				
ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):					
		☐ M25.532- Pain			
M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee		☐ M25.531 - Pain	•		
M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee		☐ M19.072- Osted	parthritis Left Ankle parthritis Right Ankle		
☐ M25.512-Pain in the left shoulder ☐ M25.511-Pain in the right shoulder		☐ M25.522 Pain ii	=		
☐ M25.552- Pain in Left Hip	<del>-</del> -	☐ M25.521 Pain ii			
☐ M25.551- Pain in Right Hip			☐ M54.2-Cervicalgia Pain neck		
<b>Length of Need:</b> ⊠ 12+ months (long term) □# of months (1-11)					

## **MEDICAL HISTORY**

**Previous treatments: MEDICATIONS** 

**Doctor's Notes:** The patient reports chronic **Back** pain for **OVER A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of **8** and pain worsens with movements. Pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** and is experienced **DAILY**. 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

**KEVIN HOLLOWAY MD** 

DATE 15-2029

Patient Name: BERNICE DARSAW

Patient Address: 1114 N 10TH ST CORDELE GA 31015

Patient Phone: 2292730850

Physician Name: **KEVIN HOLLOWAY MD**Address: **108 E. FOURTH AVE.CORDELE GA 31015** 

Telephone: **2292762190** Fax: **2292763639** 

Patient: **BERNICE DARSAW**Date of Birth: **01/17/35** 

Visit Date: WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

Reason for visit: Check-up

# **Clinical Summary**

**Patient Demographics** 

Patient Name:	BERNICE DARSAW	Date of Birth:	01/17/35
Age:	89	Phone Number:	2292730850
Address:	1114 N 10TH ST	City:	CORDELE
State:	GA	Zip Code:	31015
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	4'4
Weight:	140	Waist Size	SMALL

#### **Patient Insurance**

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	3HR3RA6CQ03
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#### **Medications**

Current Medication	DIABETES PILLS INSULIN AS NEEDED TYLENOL 1X A DAY
Medical History	DIABETES

# **Medical Diagnosis**

The pain level was indicated on a scale of 1-10 as the following: 8

The patient's pain started on or around OVER A YEAR

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced **SOMETIMES** 

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

The patient described their pain as the following: ACHY

The activities that make the patient's pain worse is as follows: DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES

The pain is located in the patient's Back

The patient's pain is caused by ARTHRITIS

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on WITHIN THE LAST 12 MONTHS

## **Chief Complaint**

The patient's main complaint is that they experience chronic pain located in the following location(s): Back

# Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **Back** pain for **OVER A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of **8** and pain worsens with movement. The pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** and is experienced **DAILY**. 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 **OVER A YEAR** located in their **Back** related to **M54.50- Low back pain, unspecified**. 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 **DAILY**. The patient rated their pain on a scale of 1-10 (10 being the worst) on a level **8**. The following activities make the patient's pain worse: **PERFORMING DAILY ACTIVITIES**. Patient needs a **Back** 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) L0457 (TLSO, FLEXIBLE, PROVIDES TRUNK SUPPORT, THORACIC REGION, RIGID POSTERIOR PANEL AND SOFT ANTERIOR APRON, EXTENDS FROM THE SACROCOCCYGEAL JUNCTION AND TERMINATES JUST INFERIOR TO THE SCAPULAR SPINE, RESTRICTS GROSS TRUNK MOTION IN THE SAGITTAL PLANE, PRODUCES INTRACAVITARY PRESSURE TO REDUCE LOAD ON THE INTERVERTEBRAL DISKS, INCLUDES STRAPS AND CLOSURES, 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 arthritis 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 arthritis 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)

M54.50- Low back pain, unspecified

#### **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: KEVIN HOLLOWAY MD

Address: 108 E. FOURTH AVE.CORDELE GA 31015

NB-15-2024

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: BERNICE DARSAW

Patient Address: 1114 N 10TH ST CORDELE GA 31015

Patient Phone: 2292730850

#### LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: BERNICE DARSAW

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 08/14/2024

Height: 4'4 Weight: 140 DOB: 01/17/35

Ms DARSAW is inquiring about utilizing orthotic bracing for his/her current conditions. His/her chief complaint at the time of this assessment is:

Ms DARSAW reports chronic Back pain for Months. Patient states pain is ACHY with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with PERFORMING DAILY ACTIVITIES. Pain is experienced DAILY. Previous treatments with heat, ice, medication and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain

Diagnosis includes: M54.50- Low back pain, unspecified. Based on my conversation with Ms DARSAW and evaluation of his/her condition, I am ordering the following: L0457 (TLSO, FLEXIBLE, PROVIDES TRUNK SUPPORT, THORACIC REGION, RIGID POSTERIOR PANEL AND SOFT ANTERIOR APRON, EXTENDS FROM THE SACROCOCCYGEAL JUNCTION AND TERMINATES JUST INFERIOR TO THE SCAPULAR SPINE, RESTRICTS GROSS TRUNK MOTION IN THE SAGITTAL PLANE, PRODUCES INTRACAVITARY PRESSURE TO REDUCE LOAD ON THE INTERVERTEBRAL DISKS, INCLUDES STRAPS AND CLOSURES, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF).

Patient is ambulatory and has weakness of the Back requiring stabilization for improvement of functionality. I am prescribing this Back orthosis for the following indication(s): to aid when the patient is **PERFORMING DAILY ACTIVITIES**, to aid in stabilization of the **Back**. My treatment goal(s) for the use of the prescribed Back 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 selfadjustment. Ms DARSAW 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 DARSAW continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

Re: BERNICE DARSAW...... DOB: January 17, 1935

I. KEVIN HOLLOWAY 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.

Date Signed: 18-15-2024