RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATION					
GEORGE	DIANE				
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI			
FEMALE	04/14/55	6154039702	SHIPPING METHOD: SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS		
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC		
2605 SOUTH HIGHLANDS	NASHVILLE	TN 37221			
DRIVE	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE			
ADDRESS					
INSURANCE INFORMATI	ON				
MEDICARE					
PRIMARY INSURANCE	_	SECONDARY INSURANCE			
5E23KQ2KT95					
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID			
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION)N				
LINDA BONVISSUTO, M.D.		1588789044			
PHYSICIAN NAME					
		6292552118			
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4230 HARDING PIKE STE 500 N	IASHVILLE IN 37205	6292554092			
PRACTICE LOCATION		FAX NUMBER			
PRESCRIPTION SELECT	ION				
□ L3670 – Shoulder Brace (Side: □□ L3960 – Shoulder Brace (Side: □			 ∠ L3761 – Elbow Brace (Side: ⋈ L ⋈ R) (Size: MEDIUM) ⋈ L3916 – Wrist Hand Finger (Side: ⋈ L ⋈ R) (Size: MEDIUM) 		
□ L3660 – Shoulder Brace (Side:	☐ L ☐ R) (Size:)		and Finger (Side: D L D R) (Size:)		
□ L0650 – Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L0642 – Lumbar Brace (Waist:)			race (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) race (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:)		
□ L0457 – Lumbar Brace (Waist:)			race (Side: \square L \square R) (Size:)		
L0648 – Lumbar Brace (Waist:))		leeve (Size:) (Qty:)		
□ E0100 – Electric Heat Pad □ L1690 – Hip Brace (Side: □ L □	□ B) (Waiet:)		□ E0100 – Cane □ L2425 – Dial Lock Hinge ROM		
☐ L1686 – Hip Brace (Side: ☐ L ☐		□ L2820 – Lower E	9		
□ L2624 – Hip Joint Adjustable Fle	xion, Extension (Side: ☐ L ☐ R)		□ L1906 – Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size:)		
□ L3760 – Elbow Brace (Side: □ I	L □ R)		, , , , , ,		
		□ L0174 – Cervica □ L3170 – Heel Sta	abilizer (Side: □ L □ R)		
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MEDICAL INFORMATION					
ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):					
M54.50- Low back pain, unspecified		⊠ M25.532- Pai			
 ☐ M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee ☐ M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee 		✓ M25.531 - Pai✓ M19.072- Ost	in in right wrist reoarthritis Left Ankle		
☐ M25.512-Pain in the left shoulder			eoarthritis Right Ankle		
☐ M25.511-Pain in the right shoulder			in left elbow		
☐ M25.552- Pain in Left Hip			=		
☐ M25.551- Pain in Right Hip		☐ M54.2-Cervica	algia Pain in Neck		

MEDICAL HISTORY

Previous treatments: TAKING MEDICATION

Doctor's Notes: The patient reports chronic RIGHT ELBOW, LEFT ELBOW, RIGHT WRIST, LEFT WRIST pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is ACHY, SHARP with a pain scale of 7 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 SIGNATUR

LINDA BONVISSUTO, M.D.

Patient Name: DIANE GEORGE

Patient Address: 2605 SOUTH HIGHLANDS DRIVE NASHVILLE TN 37221

Patient Phone: 6154039702

Physician Name: LINDA BONVISSUTO, M.D. Address: 4230 HARDING PIKE STE 500 NASHVILLE TN 37205

Telephone: **6292552118** Fax: **6292554092**

Address: 4230 HARDING PIKE STE 500 NASHVILLE TN 37205
Telephone: 6292552118

Patient: **DIANE GEORGE**Date of Birth: **04/14/55**Visit Date: **3 MONTHS AGO**

Reason for visit: REGULAR CHECK-UP

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

Patient Name:	DIANE GEORGE	Date of Birth:	04/14/55
Age:	69	Phone Number:	6154039702
Address:	2605 SOUTH HIGHLANDS DRIVE	City:	NASHVILLE
State:	TN	Zip Code:	37221
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'2
Weight:	181	Waist Size	LARGE

Patient Insurance

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	5E23KQ2KT95
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Medications

Current Medication	TYLENOL
Medical History	ARTHRITIS AND HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

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 MORE THAN A YEAR

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced **SOMETIMES**

The patient has attempted the following previous treatments/therapies: TAKING MEDICATION

The patient described their pain as the following: ACHY, SHARP

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

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

The patient's pain is caused by WEAR AND TEAR

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on 3 MONTHS AGO

Chief Complaint

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

Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic RIGHT ELBOW, LEFT ELBOW, RIGHT WRIST, LEFT WRIST pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is ACHY, SHARP with a pain scale of 7 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 MORE THAN A YEAR located in their RIGHT ELBOW, LEFT ELBOW, RIGHT WRIST, LEFT WRIST related to M25.522 Pain in left elbow, M25.521 Pain in right elbow, 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**, **SHARP** 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: **WALKING**. Patient needs a **RIGHT ELBOW**, **LEFT ELBOW**, **RIGHT WRIST**, **LEFT 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) L3761: ELBOW ORTHOSIS (EO), WITH ADJUSTABLE POSITION LOCKING JOINT(S), PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF, L3916 (WRIST HAND ORTHOSIS, INCLUDES ONE OR MORE NONTORSION JOINT(S), ELASTIC BANDS, 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)

M25.522 Pain in left elbow, M25.521 Pain in right elbow, 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: LINDA BONVISSUTO, M.D.

Address: 4230 HARDING PIKE STE 500 NASHVILLE TN 37205

Physician's Signature:

Patient Name: DIANE GEORGE

Patient Address: 2605 SOUTH HIGHLANDS DRIVE NASHVILLE TN 37221

Patient Phone: 6154039702

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: **DIANE GEORGE**

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 09/26/2024

Height: **5'2** Weight: **181** DOB: **04/14/55**

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

Ms GEORGE reports chronic **RIGHT ELBOW**, **LEFT ELBOW**, **RIGHT WRIST**, **LEFT WRIST** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY**, **SHARP** with a pain scale of 7 and pain worsens with **WALKING**. Pain is experienced **SOMETIMES**. Previous treatments with heat, ice, medication and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain levels.

Diagnosis includes: M25.522 Pain in left elbow, M25.521 Pain in right elbow, M25.532- Pain in left wrist, M25.531- Pain in right wrist. Based on my conversation with Ms GEORGE and evaluation of his/her condition, I am ordering the following: L3761: ELBOW ORTHOSIS (EO), WITH ADJUSTABLE POSITION LOCKING JOINT(S), PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF, L3916 (WRIST HAND ORTHOSIS, INCLUDES ONE OR MORE NONTORSION JOINT(S), ELASTIC BANDS, TURNBUCKLES, MAY INCLUDE SOFT INTERFACE, STRAPS, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF)

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

Re: DIANE GEORGE...... DOB: April 14, 1955

I, **LINDA BONVISSUTO**, **M.D.**, 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.

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Signature

Date Signed: 9-27-24