RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATION				
MILLER	SUSIE			
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	 MI		
FEMALE	01/31/1954	4135627469	SHIPPING METHOD:	
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	☒ SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS☐ SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC	
16 BRIARWOOD PL	WESTFIELD,	MA 01085		
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE		
INSURANCE INFORMAT	ON			
MEDICARE			_	
PRIMARY INSURANCE	_	SECONDARY INSURANCE		
2M55Q20TJ71		MEMBER ID		
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID		
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	ON			
FREDERICK TORIO, MD		1295726966		
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI #		
		4138317950		
57 UNION ST WESTFIELD MA	01085	PHONE NUMBER		
PRACTICE LOCATION		4137958085		
		FAX NUMBER		
PRESCRIPTION SELECT	ION			
□ L3670 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3761 - Elbow Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3960 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3916 - Wrist Hand Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3915 - Wrist Hand Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3915 - Wrist Hand Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L0650 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L1852 - Knee Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size: LARGE) □ L0642 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L1833 - Knee Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size: LARGE) □ L0648 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L2397 - Knee Sleeve (Size: LARGE) (Qty: 2) □ L0648 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ E0100 - Cane □ L2425 - Dial Lock Hinge ROM □ L1690 - Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Waist:) □ L2820 - Lower Extremity Ortho □ L1686 - Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Waist:) □ L1971 - Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size:) □ L3760 - Elbow Brace (Side: □ L □ R) □ L1906 - Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R)				
MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	ried arthritis left knee arthritis right knee		in right wrist earthritis Left Ankle earthritis Right Ankle n left elbow n right elbow	
Length of Need: ⊠ 12+ mon	ths (long term) \square # of mo	nths (1-11)		

MEDICAL HISTORY

Previous treatments: TAKING TYLENOL

Doctor's Notes: The patient reports chronic LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE pain for 10 YEARS. Patient states pain is THROBBING with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with movements. Pain is caused by ARTHRITIS and is experienced CONSTANTLY. 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:

FREDERICK TORIO, MD

Patient Name: SUSIE MILLER

Patient Address: 16 BRIARWOOD PL WESTFIELD MA 01085

Patient Phone: 4135627469

Physician Name: FREDERICK TORIO, MD Address: 57 UNION ST WESTFIELD MA 01085

Telephone: 4138317950 Fax: 4137958085

Patient: SUSIE MILLER
Date of Birth: 01/31/1954
Visit Date: 08/14/2024
Reason for visit: CHECK-UP

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

Patient Name:	SUSIE MILLER	Date of Birth:	01/31/1954
Age:	70	Phone Number:	4135627469
Address:	16 BRIARWOOD PL	City:	WESTFIELD,
State:	MA	Zip Code:	01085
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'3
Weight:	186	Waist Size	18

Patient Insurance

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	2M55Q20TJ71

Medications

Current Medication	TYLENOL
Medical History	NONE

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 10 YEARS

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced **CONSTANTLY**

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

The patient described their pain as the following: THROBBING

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

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

The patient's pain is caused by ARTHRITIS

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on 08/14/2024

Chief Complaint

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

Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** pain for **10 YEARS**. Patient states pain is **THROBBING** with a pain scale of **8** and pain worsens with movement. The pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** and is experienced **CONSTANTLY**. 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 10 YEARS located in their LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE related to M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee,. 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 **CONSTANTLY**. 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: **WALKING**, **STANDING AND GETTING UP**. Patient needs a **BACK**, **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE**, **RIGHT WRIST AND LEFT WRIST** Brace to provide support and reduce pain level.

09-20-2024

ADDICKS MEDICAL SUPPLY

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), 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,

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: FREDERICK TORIO, MD

Address: 57 UNION ST WESTFIELD MA 01085

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: SUSIE MILLER

Patient Address: 16 BRIARWOOD PL WESTFIELD MA 01085

Patient Phone: 4135627469

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: SUSIE MILLER

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 09/20/2024

Height: 5'3 Weight: 186 DOB: 01/31/1954

Ms MILLER 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.

Ms MILLER reports chronic LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE pain for 10 YEARS. Patient states pain is THROBBING with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with WALKING, STANDING AND GETTING UP. Pain is experienced CONSTANTLY. 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, Based on my conversation with Ms MILLER 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)

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

Re: SUSIE MILLER..... DOB: January 31, 1954

I, FREDERICK TORIO, 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.

9-20-2024

REDERICK TORIO, M

Signature

Date Signed:

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