RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATIO	N				
PERKINS	BETTY				
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI			
FEMALE	06/05/1935	4074166307	SHIPPING METHOD: SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS		
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC		
129 SPANISH BAY DR	SANFORD	FL 32771			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE			
INSURANCE INFORMA	TION				
PRIMARY INSURANCE	<u> </u>	SECONDARY INSURANCE			
4V90MJ7UU43					
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID			
PHYSICIAN INFORMAT CHRISTOPHER CAGGIANO,		1447241443			
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI#			
		4073023119			
725 RODEL COVE LAKE MAI	RY FL 32746	PHONE NUMBER			
PRACTICE LOCATION		4073027038			
		FAX NUMBER	FAX NUMBER		
PRESCRIPTION SELECTION □ L3671 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3960 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3660 - Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L0650 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L0642 - Lumbar Brace (Waist: SMALL □ L0648 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ L0648 - Lumbar Brace (Waist:) □ E0100 - Electric Heat Pad □ L1690 - Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Waist:) □ L1686 - Hip Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Waist:)		□ L3761 − Elbow Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3916 − Wrist Hand Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L3915 − Wrist Hand Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L1852− Knee Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L1851 − Knee Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L1833 − Knee Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size:) □ L2397 − Knee Sleeve (Size:) (Qty:) □ E0100 − Cane □ L2425 − Dial Lock Hinge ROM □ L2820 − Lower Extremity Ortho			
L2624 – Hip Joint Adjustable L3760 – Elbow Brace (Side:	Flexion, Extension (Side: □ L □ R) □ L □ R)	□ L1971 – Ankle Br □ L0174 – Cervical	ace (Side:		
MEDICAL INFORMATIC 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 coarthritis Left Ankle coarthritis Right Ankle in left elbow in right elbow		

MEDICAL HISTORY

Previous treatments: TAKING MEDICATION

Doctor's Notes: The patient reports chronic **Back** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of **8** 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.

CHRISTOPHER CAGGIANO, D.O.

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:_

_ PHYSICIAN NAME: _

Patient Name: BETTY PERKINS

Patient Address: 129 SPANISH BAY DR SANFORD FL 32771

Patient Phone: 4074166307

Physician Name: CHRISTOPHER CAGGIANO, D.O. Address: 725 RODEL COVE LAKE MARY FL 32746

Telephone: **4073023119** Fax: **4073027038**

Patient: **BETTY PERKINS**Date of Birth: **06/05/1935**Visit Date: **WITHIN 12 MONTHS**Reason for visit: **Check-up**

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

Patient Name:	BETTY PERKINS	Date of Birth:	06/05/1935
Age:	89	Phone Number:	4074166307
Address:	129 SPANISH BAY DR	City:	SANFORD
State:	FL	Zip Code:	32771
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'2
Weight:	124	Waist Size	s

Patient Insurance

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	4V90MJ7UU43
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Medications

Current Medication	DIABETES PILL, TYLENOL
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 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

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

The pain is located in the patient's Back

The patient's pain is caused by WEAR AND TEAR

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on WITHIN 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 **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of **8** 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 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 **SOMETIMES**. 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: **SIITING**, **BENDING**. 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: CHRISTOPHER CAGGIANO, D.O.

Address: 725 RODEL COVE LAKE MARY FL 32746

Physician's Signature:

Date: DOLL - 1014

Patient Name: BETTY PERKINS

Patient Address: 129 SPANISH BAY DR SANFORD FL 32771

Patient Phone: 4074166307

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: BETTY PERKINS

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 09/16/2024

Height: 5'2 Weight: 124 DOB: 06/05/1935

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

Ms PERKINS reports chronic Back pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is ACHY with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with SIITING, BENDING. Pain is experienced SOMETIMES. Previous treatments with heat, ice, medication and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain levels.

Diagnosis includes: M54.50- Low back pain, unspecified. Based on my conversation with Ms PERKINS 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 SIITING, BENDING, 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 PERKINS 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 PERKINS continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

Re: BETTY PERKINS...... DOB: June 05, 1935

I, CHRISTOPHER CAGGIANO, D.O., 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.

CHRISTOPHER CAGGIANO, D.O.

Date Signed: DO-16 - WW