# **RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM**

PATIENT INFORMATION				
BULLIS	ROBERT			
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI		
MALE	12/09/1958	8455642317	SHIPPING METHOD:  SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS	
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC	
568 LAKESIDE RD	NEWBURGH	NY 12550		
ADDRESS	СІТҮ	STATE & ZIPCODE		
INSURANCE INFORMATION	ON			
MEDICARE				
PRIMARY INSURANCE		SECONDARY INSURANCE		
6TT5UQ2RG98				
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID		
PHYSICIAN INFORMATIO	N			
NICHOLAS BAMBINO, MD		1417967514		
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI#		
		845-534-7080		
19 LAUREL AVE CORNWALL N	Y 12518	PHONE NUMBER		
PRACTICE LOCATION		845-534-4171		
		FAX NUMBER		
PRESCRIPTION SELECTI	ON			
L3670 - 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: )   L0457 - 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: )   L2624 - Hip Joint Adjustable Flexion, Extension (Side: □ L □ R)   L3760 - Elbow Brace (Side: □ L □ R)				
MEDICAL INFORMATION  ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):  M54.50- Low back pain, unspecific M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoa M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoa M25.512-Pain in the left shoulder M25.511-Pain in the right shoulder M25.552- Pain in Left Hip M25.551- Pain in Right Hip	rthritis left knee thritis right knee	<ul> <li>         □ M19.071- Oste         □ M25.522 Pain i         □ M25.521 Pain i         □ M54.2-Cervical     </li> </ul>	n in right wrist oarthritis Left Ankle oarthritis Right Ankle n left elbow	

## **MEDICAL HISTORY**

**Previous treatments: NONE** 

**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 **DULL** 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**

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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: \_

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**NICHOLAS BAMBINO, MD** 

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Patient Name: ROBERT BULLIS

Patient Address: 568 LAKESIDE RD NEWBURGH NY 12550

Patient Phone: 8455642317

Physician Name: **NICHOLAS BAMBINO, MD** Address: 19 LAUREL AVE CORNWALL NY 12518

Telephone: 845-534-7080 Fax: 845-534-4171

Patient: ROBERT BULLIS
Date of Birth: 12/09/1958
Visit Date: WITHIN 12 MONTHS
Reason for visit: REGULAR CHECK-UP

# **Clinical Summary**

**Patient Demographics** 

Patient Name:	ROBERT BULLIS	Date of Birth:	12/09/1958
Age:	65	Phone Number:	8455642317
Address:	568 LAKESIDE RD	City:	NEWBURGH
State:	NY	Zip Code:	12550
Gender:	MALE	Height:	5'9
Weight:	180	Waist Size	34

#### **Patient Insurance**

Provider: MEDICARE	Member ID:	6TT5UQ2RG98
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#### **Medications**

Current Medication	HIGHBLOOD PRESSURE PILLS 1X A DAY
Medical History	HIGHBLOOD PRESSURE

## **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 CONSTANTLY

The patient has attempted the following previous treatments/therapies: NONE

The patient described their pain as the following: DULL

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

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

The patient's pain is caused by ARTHRITIS

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): 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 **DULL** 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 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 **DULL** 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: **DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES**. 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: NICHOLAS BAMBINO, MD

Address: 19 LAUREL AVE CORNWALL NY 12518

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: ROBERT BULLIS
Patient Address: 568 LAKESIDE RD NEWBURGH NY 12550

Patient Phone: 8455642317

## LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: ROBERT BULLIS

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 09/18/2024

Height: **5'9** Weight: **180** DOB: **12/09/1958** 

Mr BULLIS 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.

Mr BULLIS reports chronic RIGHT ELBOW, LEFT ELBOW, RIGHT WRIST, LEFT WRIST pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is DULL with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES. Pain is experienced CONSTANTLY. 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 Mr BULLIS 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 DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES, 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. **Mr BULLIS** has been provided a phone number to call if there are any additional comments or questions regarding this examination, and I have recommended that **Mr BULLIS** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

Re: ROBERT BULLIS...... DOB: December 09, 1958

I, **NICHOLAS BAMBINO**, **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.

NICHOLAS BAMBINO, MD

Signature

Date Signed:

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