# **RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM**

PATIENT INFORMATION					
RANDAZZO	ANGELA				
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI			
FEMALE	05/23/1945	2018539615	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>		
299 TEANECK RD # A	RIDGEFIELD PARK	NJ 07660			
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE			
INSURANCE INFORMATION MEDICARE PRIMARY INSURANCE	ION -	SECONDARY INSURANCE			
7R51N90DP15		MEMBER ID			
MEMBER ID					
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	DN	1699906354			
PHYSICIAN NAME		- NPI #			
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991 MAIN ST APT 2A PATERSO	JN NJ 07503	2018337138			
PRACTICE LOCATION		FAX NUMBER			
PRESCRIPTION SELECT	TION				
□       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: )         □       L0457 - Lumbar Brace (Waist: 3 XL         □       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)		□ L3916 − Wrist Har □ L3915 - Wrist Har □ L1852− Knee Brac □ L1851 − Knee Brac □ L1833 − Knee Brac □ L2397 − Knee Stac □ E0100 − Cane □ L2425 − Dial Lock □ L2820 − Lower Ex □ L1906 − Ankle Brac □ L1971 − Ankle Brac □ L0174 − Cervical Brac	□       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         □       L1906 - Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size: )         □       L1971 - Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size: )         □       L0174 - Cervical Brace		
MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	fied arthritis left knee arthritis right knee r	☐ M25.532- Pain ☐ M25.531 - Pain ☐ M19.072- Ostec ☐ M19.071- Ostec ☐ M25.522 Pain ii ☐ M25.521 Pain ii ☐ M54.2-Cervical	in right wrist parthritis Left Ankle parthritis Right Ankle n left elbow n right elbow		

#### **MEDICAL HISTORY**

**Previous treatments: TAKING MEDICATION** 

**Doctor's Notes:** The patient reports chronic **Back** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **DULL** 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.

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:

SAMIR ZAINA, MD

PHYSICIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: 0 0

Patient Name: ANGELA RANDAZZO

Patient Address: 299 TEANECK RD # A RIDGEFIELD PARK NJ 07660

Patient Phone: 2018539615

Physician Name: SAMIR ZAINA, MD

Address: 991 MAIN ST APT 2A PATERSON NJ 07503

Telephone: **201-833-3000** Fax: **2018337138** 

Patient: ANGELA RANDAZZO
Date of Birth: 05/23/1945
Visit Date: WITHIN 12 MONTHS
Reason for visit: Check-up

# **Clinical Summary**

**Patient Demographics** 

Patient Name:	ANGELA RANDAZZO	Date of Birth:	05/23/1945
Age:	79	Phone Number:	2018539615
Address:	299 TEANECK RD # A	City:	RIDGEFIELD PARK
State:	NJ	Zip Code:	07660
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'7
Weight:	300	Waist Size	3 XL

#### **Patient Insurance**

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	7R51N90DP15
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# 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 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: DULL

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 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 **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **DULL** 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 **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 **DULL** 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: **DOING 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: SAMIR ZAINA, MD

Address: 991 MAIN ST APT 2A PATERSON NJ 07503

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: ANGELA RANDAZZO

Patient Address: 299 TEANECK RD # A RIDGEFIELD PARK NJ 07660

Patient Phone: 2018539615

#### LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: ANGELA RANDAZZO

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 10/04/2024

Height: **5'7** Weight: **300** DOB: **05/23/1945** 

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

Ms RANDAZZO reports chronic Back pain for A YEAR. Patient states pain is DULL with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES. 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 RANDAZZO 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 **DOING 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 self-adjustment. **Ms RANDAZZO** 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 RANDAZZO** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

Re: ANGELA RANDAZZO...... DOB: MAY 23, 1945

I, **SAMIR ZAINA, 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.

SAMIR ZAINA, ME Signature Date Signed: DD4 2004