## **RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM**

PATIENT INFORMATION						
HUNTER	JANICE					
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI				
FEMALE	12/20/1938	2819802277	SHIPPING METHOD:  SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS			
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS     SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC			
4102 THISTLE HILL CT	SUGAR LAND	TX 77479				
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE				
INSURANCE INFORMATI	ON					
MEDICARE		SECONDARY INSURANCE				
PRIMARY INSURANCE	-					
3KW3YT5WH72		MEMBER ID				
MEMBER ID						
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	ON					
M SCURRIA M.D.		1093761637				
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI #				
		281-661-5901				
6565 WEST LOOP S SUITE 300	BELLAIRE TX 77401	PHONE NUMBER				
PRACTICE LOCATION		281-661-5720				
		FAX NUMBER				
L3671 – Shoulder Brace (Side: Dagger L3960 – Sho	□ L3960 – Shoulder Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Size: ) □ L3916 – Wrist Hand Finger (Side: □ L □ R) (Size: )					
L0630 - Lumbar Brace (Waist: )  L0642 - Lumbar Brace (Waist: )  L0457 - Lumbar Brace (Waist: SMALL  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)		□       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         □       L3170 - Heel Stabilizer (Side: □ L □ R)				
MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	ied arthritis left knee arthritis right knee	<ul><li> M25.522 Pain i</li><li> M25.521 Pain i</li><li> M54.2-Cervical</li></ul>	in right wrist parthritis Left Ankle parthritis Right Ankle n left elbow n right elbow			

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**Previous treatments: ADVIL** 

**Doctor's Notes:** The patient reports chronic **Back** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **SHARP, ACHY** with a pain scale of **8** and pain worsens with movements. Pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** and is experienced **SOMETIMES**. 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.			
		M SCURRIA M.D.	
PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	PHYSICIAN NAME:		DATE:

Patient Name: JANICE HUNTER

Patient Address: 4102 THISTLE HILL CT SUGAR LAND TX 77479

Patient Phone: 2819802277

Physician Name: M SCURRIA M.D.

Address: 6565 WEST LOOP S SUITE 300 BELLAIRE TX 77401

Telephone: **281-661-5901** Fax: **281-661-5720** 

Patient: JANICE HUNTER Date of Birth: 12/20/1938 Visit Date: WITHIN A YEAR Reason for visit: Check-up

# **Clinical Summary**

**Patient Demographics** 

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Patient Name:	JANICE HUNTER	Date of Birth:	12/20/1938
Age:	85	Phone Number:	2819802277
Address:	4102 THISTLE HILL CT	City:	SUGAR LAND
State:	тх	Zip Code:	77479
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'2
Weight:	96	Waist Size	s

## **Patient Insurance**

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	3KW3YT5WH72
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#### **Medications**

Current Medication	TYLENOL 3X A DAY, TRAMADOL 1 A DAY ASPIRIN, IBUPROFEN, ESCITALOPRAM
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 MORE THAN A YEAR

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced **SOMETIMES** 

The patient has attempted the following previous treatments/therapies: ADVIL

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

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 ARTHRITIS

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on WITHIN A YEAR

#### **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 **SHARP, ACHY** with a pain scale of **8** and pain worsens with movement. The pain is caused by **ARTHRITIS** 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 **SHARP**, **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: **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.

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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:	M SCURRIA M.D.	
Address:	6565 WEST LOOP S SUITE 300 BELLAIRE TX 77401	
Physician's Signature:		
Date:		

Patient Name: JANICE HUNTER

Patient Address: 4102 THISTLE HILL CT SUGAR LAND TX 77479

Patient Phone: 2819802277

#### LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: JANICE HUNTER

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 08/17/2024

Height: **5'2** Weight: **96** DOB: **12/20/1938** 

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

Ms HUNTER reports chronic Back pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is SHARP, ACHY 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 HUNTER 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 HUNTER** 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 HUNTER** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

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assessment of the patient for the p	<b>DB: December 20, 1938</b> firm this order for the above-named patient, and certify that I have personally performed the escribed treatment and device and verify that it is reasonably and medically necessary, medical practice within the community, for this patient's medical condition.
<i>M SCURRIA M.D.</i> Signature	Date Signed: