RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATION			
LUNT	DAVID		
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI	
MALE	08/01/1936	5082265012	SHIPPING METHOD:
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	 ☑ SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS ☐ SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC
48 MARJORIE ST	ATTLEBORO	MA 02703	
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE	
INSURANCE INFORMAT	ION		
MEDICARE		SECONDARY INSURANCE	
PRIMARY INSURANCE	_		
3G35FC3WH88		MEMBER ID	
MEMBER ID			
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	ON		
KENNETH BISHOP MD		1598925091	
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI #	
		5082859500	
28 STURDY ST ATTLEBORO N	IA 02703	PHONE NUMBER	
PRACTICE LOCATION		5082853388	
		FAX NUMBER	
PRESCRIPTION SELECT	TION		
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MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	fied parthritis left knee arthritis right knee r		in right wrist oarthritis Left Ankle oarthritis Right Ankle n left elbow n right elbow

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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 **5** 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 th	e items listed above ar	nd certifying that the above-prescribe	ed item(s) is medically
indicated and necessary and consistent with current accepted	d standards of medical	practice and treatment of this patier	nt's physical condition.
	1	KENNETH BISHOP MD	
PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	PHYSICIAN NAME: _		DATE:

Patient Name: DAVID LUNT

Patient Address: 48 MARJORIE ST ATTLEBORO MA 2703

Patient Phone: 5082265012

Physician Name: **KENNETH BISHOP MD**Address: **28 STURDY ST ATTLEBORO MA 02703**

Telephone: **5082859500** Fax: **5082853388**

Patient: **DAVID LUNT**Date of Birth: **08/01/1936**Visit Date: **WITHIN A YEAR**Reason for visit: **Check-up**

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

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Patient Name:	DAVID LUNT	Date of Birth:	08/01/1936
Age:	87	Phone Number:	5082265012
Address:	48 MARJORIE ST	City:	ATTLEBORO
State:	MA	Zip Code:	02703
Gender:	MALE	Height:	5'6
Weight:	125	Waist Size	32

Patient Insurance

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	3G35FC3WH88
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Medications

Current Medication	LISINOPRIL (2X A DAY), ATORVASTATIN (2X A DAY), TYLENOL (AS NEEDED)
Medical History	HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

Medical Diagnosis

The pain level was indicated on a scale of 1-10 as the following: 5	5
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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: 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 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 **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **DULL** with a pain scale of **5** 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 **5**. The following activities make the patient's pain worse: **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.

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: **KENNETH BISHOP MD**

Address: 28 STURDY ST ATTLEBORO MA 02703

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: DAVID LUNT

Patient Address: 48 MARJORIE ST ATTLEBORO MA 2703

Patient Phone: 5082265012

FIRST STEP DME INC.

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: DAVID LUNT

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 08/14/2024

Height: **5'6** Weight: **125** DOB: **08/01/1936**

Signature

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

Mr LUNT reports chronic Back pain for A YEAR. Patient states pain is DULL with a pain scale of 5 and pain worsens with 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 Mr LUNT 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 **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 self-adjustment. **Mr LUNT** 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 LUNT** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.