RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATION	DN			
LANE	CAMILLE			
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI		
FEMALE	11/14/1943	6313697192	SHIPPING METHOD: SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS	
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC	
207 16TH ST	WEST BABYLON	NY 11704		
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE		
INSURANCE INFORMA	ATION			
MEDICARE				
PRIMARY INSURANCE		SECONDARY INSURANCE		
5CV0QW3PA05		MEMBER IR		
MEMBER ID		MEMBER ID		
PHYSICIAN INFORMA	ΓΙΟΝ			
VERONA YOUNG MD		1437656030		
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI #		
		6313863500		
889 E MAIN ST RIVERHEAD	NY 11901	PHONE NUMBER		
PRACTICE LOCATION		9294559628		
		FAX NUMBER		
DDESCRIPTION SELEC	CTION			
PRESCRIPTION SELE □ L3670 – Shoulder Brace (Sic □ L3960 – Shoulder Brace (Sic □ L0650 – Lumbar Brace (Wai: □ L0642 – Lumbar Brace (Wai: □ L0457 – Lumbar Brace (Wai: □ L0648 – Lumbar Brace (Wai: □ L0648 – Lumbar Brace (Wai: □ E0100 – Electric Heat Pad □ L1690 – Hip Brace (Side: □ □ L1686 – Hip Brace (Side: □ □ L2624 – Hip Joint Adjustable □ L3760 – Elbow Brace (Side: □	le:	□ L3916 − Wrist Han □ L3915 - Wrist Han □ L1852 − Knee Bra □ L1851 − Knee Bra □ L1833 − Knee Bra □ L2397 − Knee Bra □ L2425 − Dial Lock □ L2620 − Lower Ex □ L1906 / L1971 − A □ L0174 − Cervical	xtremity Ortho Ankle Brace (Side: □ L □ R) (Shoe Size:)	
MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	ecified steoarthritis left knee seoarthritis right knee lder ulder	☐ M25.522 Pain i☐ M25.521 Pain i	n in right wrist oarthritis Left Ankle oarthritis Right Ankle n left elbow	

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MEDICAL HISTORY

Previous treatments: NONE

Doctor's Notes: The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **THROBBING** 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			
Physician Verification: By my signature, I am prescribing the indicated and necessary and consistent with current accepted	, ,	, , , ,	
	VERON	A YOUNG MD	
PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	PHYSICIAN NAME:	DATE:	

Patient Name: CAMILLE LANE

Patient Address: 207 16TH ST WEST BABYLON NY 11704

Patient Phone: 6313697192

Physician Name: **VERONA YOUNG MD** Address: 889 E MAIN ST RIVERHEAD NY 11901

Telephone: 6313863500 Fax: 9294559628 Patient: CAMILLE LANE Date of Birth: 11/14/1943 Visit Date: 05/10/2024

Reason for visit: REGULAR CHECK-UP

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

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Patient Name:	CAMILLE LANE	Date of Birth:	11/14/1943
Age:	80	Phone Number:	6313697192
Address:	207 16TH ST	City:	WEST BABYLON
State:	NY	Zip Code:	11704
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5'1
Weight:	180	Waist Size	м

Patient Insurance

Provider: MEDICARE	Member ID:	5CV0QW3PA05
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Medications

Current Medication	TYLENOL
Medical History	HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

Medical Diagnosis

The	paın	level	was	inc	dicate	on a scale of 1-10 as the following: 8	
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The patient's pain started on or around MORE THAN A YEAR AGO

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced **SOMETIMES**

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

The patient described their pain as the following: THROBBING

The activities that make the patient's pain worse is as follows: WALKING

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

The patient's pain is caused by ARTHRITIS

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on 05/10/2024

Chief Complaint

The patient's main complaint is that they experience chronic pain located in the following location(s): LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE

Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **THROBBING** 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 LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE related to M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee. Patient has been to a physical therapist and hasn't had previous surgery to treat this pain.

Patient's chronic pain is described **THROBBING** 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: **WALKING**. Patient needs a **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** 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) L1852 KNEE BRACE - KNEE ORTHOSIS (KO), DOUBLE UPRIGHT, THIGH AND CALF, WITH ADJUSTABLE FLEXION AND EXTENSION JOINT (UNICENTRIC OR POLYCENTRIC), MEDIAL-LATERAL AND ROTATION CONTROL, WITH OR WITHOUT VARUS/VALGUS ADJUSTMENT, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF WHICH INCLUDES L2397 SUSPENSION SLEEVE., 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)

M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee

Agreements

We understand that you are choosing to use our professional medical services to receive a prescription for your new brace.

Physician Information	n
Provider Name:	VERONA YOUNG MD
Address:	889 E MAIN ST RIVERHEAD NY 11901
Physician's Signature:	
Date:	

Patient Name: CAMILLE LANE

Patient Address: 207 16TH ST WEST BABYLON NY 11704

Patient Phone: 6313697192

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: CAMILLE LANE

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 08/09/2024

Height: **5'1** Weight: **180** DOB: **11/14/1943**

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

Ms LANE reports chronic LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is THROBBING with a pain scale of 8 and pain worsens with WALKING. Pain is experienced SOMETIMES. Previous treatments with heat, ice, medication and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain levels.

Diagnosis includes: M17.11-Unilateral primary osteoarthritis right knee, M17.12- Unilateral primary osteoarthritis left knee. Based on my conversation with Ms Lane and evaluation of his/her condition, I am ordering the following: L1852 KNEE BRACE - KNEE ORTHOSIS (KO), DOUBLE UPRIGHT, THIGH AND CALF, WITH ADJUSTABLE FLEXION AND EXTENSION JOINT (UNICENTRIC OR POLYCENTRIC), MEDIAL-LATERAL AND ROTATION CONTROL, WITH OR WITHOUT VARUS/VALGUS ADJUSTMENT, PREFABRICATED, OFF-THE-SHELF WHICH INCLUDES L2397 SUSPENSION SLEEVE.

Patient is ambulatory and has weakness of the **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** requiring stabilization for improvement of functionality. I am prescribing this **KNEE** orthosis for the following indication(s): to aid when the patient is **WALKING**, to aid in stabilization of the **KNEE**. My treatment goal(s) for the use of the prescribed **KNEE** 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 LANE** 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 LANE** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

regarding this examination, and I have	recommended that Ms Lane continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.
assessment of the patient for the preso	November 14, 1943 nfirm this order for the above-named patient, and certify that I have personally performed the bribed treatment and device and verify that it is reasonably and medically necessary, edical practice within the community, for this patient's medical condition.
VERONA YOUNG MD Signature	Date Signed:

<u>Comprehensive Knee Laxity Test (Check All Applicable)</u>

Objective Tests: (Check ALL applicable, a minimum of 2 tests is required for each knee with a brace prescribed.)

Caution: Advise Patients to stabilize themselves properly during any standing test to avoid a fall injury.

Pivot Shift Test (Stabilization to avoid fall advised for this test. Patient can stabilize themselves by holding onto a chair or kitchen counter.)

Positive: Patient knee gives out while pivoting or twisting indication joint laxity

Negative: Patient knee DOES NOT give out while pivoting or twisting.

LEFT:	Positive
RIGHT:	Positive

Cabot's Maneuver (figure of "4" knee bend)

Positive: Patient indicates lateral joint line pain, LCL instability and ligament laxity

Negative: Patient knee DOES NOT produce lateral knee pain

(Leave positive and negative both unchecked for the knee if did not perform this test on the knee.)

LEFT:	Positive
RIGHT:	Positive