RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM

PATIENT INFORMATION				
BLACK	HATTIE			
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI		
FEMALE	01/11/1934	7324220985	SHIPPING METHOD: SHIP TO PATIENT'S HOME ADDRESS	
GENDER	DATE OF BIRTH	PHONE NUMBER	SHIP TO PATIENT'S PHYSICIAN CLINIC	
3500 BARRETT DR APT 5J	KENDALL PARK	NJ 08824		
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE		
INSURANCE INFORMATI	ON			
MEDICARE				
PRIMARY INSURANCE	-	SECONDARY INSURANCE		
3KF7FW0HM52		MEMBER ID		
MEMBER ID		WEWDER ID		
PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	ON			
SEAN NAINI DO		1295765188		
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI#		
		(609) 497-2211		
281 WITHERSPOON ST PRINC	ETON NJ 08540	PHONE NUMBER		
PRACTICE LOCATION		(609) 921-2576		
		FAX NUMBER		
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MEDICAL INFORMATION ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)): □ M54.50- Low back pain, unspecit M17.12- Unilateral primary osteo M17.11-Unilateral primary osteo □ 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	ried arthritis left knee arthritis right knee	☐ M25.532- Pain i ☐ M25.531 - Pain i ☐ M19.072- Ostec ☐ M19.071- Ostec ☐ M25.522 Pain ir ☐ M25.521 Pain ir ☐ M54.2-Cervical	in right wrist parthritis Left Ankle parthritis 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 **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** 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.

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PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE			
Physician Verification: By my signature, I am prescribing the indicated and necessary and consistent with current accepted		, ,	` '
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PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	PHYSICIAN NAME:		DATE:

Patient Name: HATTIE BLACK

Patient Address: 3500 BARRETT DR APT 5J KENDALL PARK NJ 08824

Patient Phone: 7324220985

Physician Name: SEAN NAINI DO

Address: 281 WITHERSPOON ST PRINCETON NJ 08540

Telephone: (609) 497-2211 Fax: (609) 921-2576

Patient: HATTIE BLACK Date of Birth: 01/11/1934 Visit Date: WITHIN A YEAR

Reason for visit: REGULAR CHECK-UP

Clinical Summary

Patient Demographics

Patient Name:	HATTIE BLACK	Date of Birth:	01/11/1934
Age:	90	Phone Number:	7324220985
Address:	3500 BARRETT DR APT 5J	City:	KENDALL PARK
State:	NJ	Zip Code:	08824
Gender:	FEMALE	Height:	5`2
Weight:	120	Waist Size	м

Patient Insurance

Provider: MEDICARE	Member ID:	3KF7FW0HM52
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Medications

Current Medication	TYLENOL (AS NEEDED), HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE PILLS (ONCE A DAY)
Medical History	HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

Medical Diagnosis

The pain level was indicated on a scale of 1-10 as the f	following: 5
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The patient's pain started on or around A YEAR AGO

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: ACHY

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 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): LEFT KNEE, RIGHT KNEE

Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** 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 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 **ACHY** 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: **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.

<u>Physician Information</u> 0	
Provider Name:	SEAN NAINI DO
Address:	281 WITHERSPOON ST PRINCETON NJ 08540
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Physician's Signature:	
Date:	

Patient Name: HATTIE BLACK

Patient Address: 3500 BARRETT DR APT 5J KENDALL PARK NJ 08824

Patient Phone: 7324220985

LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: HATTIE BLACK

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 08/14/2024

Height: **5`2** Weight: **120** DOB: **01/11/1934**

Ms BLACK 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 BLACK reports chronic **LEFT KNEE**, **RIGHT KNEE** pain for **A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **ACHY** with a pain scale of 5 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 BLACK 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 BLACK** 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 BLACK** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

assessment of the patient for the	onfirm this order for the above-na e prescribed treatment and device	amed patient, and certify that I have personally performed the and verify that it is reasonably and medically necessary, ommunity, for this patient's medical condition.	;
SEAN NAINI DO Signature	Date Signed:		

Comprehensive Knee Laxity Test (Check All Applicable)

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