# **RX / MEDICAL NECESSITY FORM**

PATIENT INFORMATION	I			
PEDERSEN	BRUCE			
LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MI		
MALE	08/06/1946	3365252286	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	
2757 QUAKENBUSH RD	SNOW CAMP	NC 27349		
ADDRESS	CITY	STATE & ZIPCODE		
INSURANCE INFORMAT	ION			
MEDICARE				
PRIMARY INSURANCE	_	SECONDARY INSURANCE		
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PHYSICIAN INFORMATION	ON			
AMY FORD PA		1336440312		
PHYSICIAN NAME		NPI#		
		273446790		
163 MEDICAL PARK DR STE 2	10 SILER CITY NC 27344	PHONE NUMBER		
PRACTICE LOCATION		9197426032		
		FAX NUMBER		
PRESCRIPTION SELECT	TION			
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MEDICAL INFORMATION	N			
ICD 10 (Diagnosis Code(s)):	oarthritis left knee arthritis right knee ır	☐ M19.071- Ost☐ M25.522 Pain☐ M25.521 Pain☐ M54.2-Cervice	in in right wrist eoarthritis Left Ankle eoarthritis Right Ankle in left elbow in right elbow	
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#### DV MEDICAL SUPPLY

# **MEDICAL HISTORY**

Previous treatments: HEATING PAD, TAKING MEDICATION

**Doctor's Notes:** The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE AND RIGHT KNEE** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **SHARP**, **THROBBING** with a pain scale of **7** and pain worsens with movements. Pain is caused by **AN ACCIDENT** and is experienced **CONSTANTLY**. Previous treatments with heat, ice and rest have been unsuccessful to control pain level.

PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE			
<b>Physician Verification:</b> 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.			
		AMY FORD PA	
PHYSICIAN SIGNATURE:	PHYSICIAN NAME: _		DATE:

Patient Name: BRUCE PEDERSEN

Patient Address: 2757 QUAKENBUSH RD SNOW CAMP NC 27349

Patient Phone: 3365252286

Physician Name: AMY FORD PA

Address: 163 MEDICAL PARK DR STE 210 SILER CITY NC 27344

Telephone: 273446790 Fax: 9197426032 Patient: **BRUCE PEDERSEN**Date of Birth: **08/06/1946**Visit Date: **05/16/2024**Reason for visit: **CHECK-UP** 

# **Clinical Summary**

**Patient Demographics** 

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Patient Name:	BRUCE PEDERSEN	Date of Birth:	08/06/1946
Age:	77	Phone Number:	3365252286
Address:	2757 QUAKENBUSH RD	City:	SNOW CAMP
State:	NC	Zip Code:	27349
Gender:	MALE	Height:	6'1
Weight:	240	Waist Size	38

#### **Patient Insurance**

Provider:	MEDICARE	Member ID:	8KU6PX6CE77
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#### Medications

Current Medication	ADVIL, LISINOPRIL, METROPROLOL, ASPIRIN
Medical History	HIGH BLOOD PRESSURE

# **Medical Diagnosis**

The pain level was indicated on a scale of 1-10 as the following: 7

The patient's pain started on or around MORE THAN A YEAR

The surgery addressed the following: NA

The pain is experienced CONSTANTLY

The patient has attempted the following previous treatments/therapies: HEATING PAD, TAKING MEDICATION

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

The activities that make the patient's pain worse is as follows: DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES

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

The patient's pain is caused by AN ACCIDENT

The last time the patient has seen the doctor was on 05/16/2024

#### **Chief Complaint**

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

### Subjective Notes

The patient reports chronic **LEFT KNEE AND RIGHT KNEE** pain for **MORE THAN A YEAR**. Patient states pain is **SHARP**, **THROBBING** with a pain scale of **7** and pain worsens with movement. The pain is caused by **AN ACCIDENT** and is experienced **CONSTANTLY**. 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 AND 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 **SHARP**, **THROBBING** and occurs **CONSTANTLY**. The patient rated their pain on a scale of 1-10 (10 being the worst) on a level **7**. The following activities make the patient's pain worse: **DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES**. Patient needs a **LEFT KNEE AND 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), MEDIALLATERAL 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**

Provider Name: AMY FORD PA

Address: 163 MEDICAL PARK DR STE 210 SILER CITY NC 27344

Physician's Signature:

Date:

Patient Name: BRUCE PEDERSEN

Patient Address: 2757 QUAKENBUSH RD SNOW CAMP NC 27349

Patient Phone: 3365252286

#### LETTER OF MEDICAL NECESSITY

Re: BRUCE PEDERSEN

Orthotic Device Need Assessment

Exam Date: 07/03/2024

Height: **6'1** Weight: **240** DOB: **08/06/1946** 

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

Mr PEDERSEN reports chronic LEFT KNEE AND RIGHT KNEE pain for MORE THAN A YEAR. Patient states pain is SHARP, THROBBING with a pain scale of 7 and pain worsens with DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES. Pain is experienced CONSTANTLY. 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 Mr PEDERSEN 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 AND 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 **DOING DAILY ACTIVITIES**, 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. **Mr PEDERSEN** 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 PEDERSEN** continue medical follow-up as part of an ongoing plan of care.

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assessment of the patient for the prescrib	B: August 06, 1946 order for the above-named patient, and certify that I have personally performed the ped treatment and device and verify that it is reasonably and medically necessary, cal practice within the community, for this patient's medical condition.
<b>AMY FORD PA</b> 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