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PATIENT NAME:

MERIZALDE, WASHINTON

DATE OF BIRTH:

05/22/1977

MRN #:

BR48245

DATE OF SERVICE: REFERRING PHYSICIAN:

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EXAM: MRI OF THE LEFT KNEE

INDICATION: 45-year-old male with a history of trauma with left knee pain. Rule out internal derangement.

TECHNIQUE: MRI of the left knee was performed using multiplanar and multisequence imaging.

FINDINGS: There is grade II signal noted in the body and posterior horn of the medial meniscus. The anterior horn of the medial meniscus and lateral meniscus outlines normally. There is no evidence of a meniscal tear. There is a small joint effusion. There is a tiny popliteal cyst. The anterior and posterior cruciate as well as the medial and lateral collateral ligaments are intact. The quadriceps and patellar tendons are intact. The infrapatellar fat pad is unremarkable. The hyaline cartilage appears intact. The patella is normally seated on this static imaging study. There is thinning of the medial patellar facet cartilage. There is no abnormal marrow signal.

IMPRESSION:

- 1. Grade II signal in the medial meniscus. No evidence of meniscal tear.
- 2. Small joint effusion. Small popliteal cyst.
- 3. Thinning of the medial patellar facet cartilage.

Thank you for the opportunity to participate in the care of this patient.

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