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Re: Tillett, Dolly DOB: 02/15/1997 DOA: 04/14/2022

INITIAL ORTHOPEDIC CONSULT EXAMINATION

CHIEF COMPLAINT: Left shoulder, left knee, left elbow, left hip, left wrist, neck, mid-back, and low-back pain.

HISTORY OF PRESENT ILLNESS: A 25-year-old right-hand dominant female involved in a motor vehicle accident on 04/14/2022. The patient was a rear passenger and was wearing a seatbelt. The vehicle was T-boned on the passenger's side by another car. The police were called to the scene of the accident. The patient was transported via ambulance to Brookdale University Hospital Medical Center and was treated and released the same day. The patient presents today complaining of left shoulder, left knee, left elbow, left hip, left wrist, neck, mid-back, and low-back pain sustained in the motor vehicle accident. The patient was attending physical therapy for 2 months with little relief.

WORK HISTORY: The patient is currently working at LPM part-time.

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: Vitamin deficiency, anemia, and vertigo. There is no previous history of trauma.

PAST SURGICAL HISTORY: Noncontributory.

DRUG ALLERGIES: NO KNOWN DRUG ALLERGIES.

MEDICATIONS: The patient is not taking any medication at this time.

SOCIAL HISTORY: The patient is a nonsmoker. The patient does not drink alcohol. The patient does use recreational drugs.

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ADL CAPABILITIES: The patient states that she can walk for 4 blocks. She can stand for 3 minutes before she has to sit. She can sit for 1 hour before needing to change positions secondary to pain. As a direct result of the injuries sustained in this accident, the patient states that she is unable to do the following activities: play sports, driving, lifting heavy objects, childcare, laundry, shopping, running errands, kneeling, squatting, negotiating stairs, jogging and exercising.

PRESENT COMPLAINTS: Left shoulder: Left shoulder pain is 8/10, described as intermittent, sharp, stabbing, dull, achy pain. The patient has stiffness, weakness, and clicking. The patient is unable to reach overhead, unable to reach behind the back, and unable to sleep at night due to pain.

Left knee: Left knee pain is 6/10, described as intermittent, sharp, stabbing, dull, achy pain. The patient has stiffness and weakness. The patient has difficulty rising from a chair and has difficulty going up and down stairs. The patient also notes clicking, popping, buckling, and intermittent locking.

Left elbow: Left elbow pain is 8/10, described as intermittent, dull, achy pain. Denies weakness, numbness, tingling. The patient has pain with lifting, carrying, and driving.

REVIEW OF SYSTEMS: Temperature taken at the time of exam was 98.6 degrees Fahrenheit.

General: No fever, chills, night sweats, weight gain, or weight loss.

HEENT: No double vision, eye pain, eye redness, decreased hearing, earache, ear ringing, nosebleeds, sore throat or hoarseness.

Endocrine: No cold intolerance, appetite changes or hair changes.

Skin: Clear, no rashes or lesions.

Neuro: No headaches, dizziness, vertigo or tremor.

Respiratory: No wheezing, coughing, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing. Cardiovascular: No chest pain, murmurs, irregular heart rate or hypertension.

GI: No nausea, vomiting, diarrhea, constipation, jaundice or changes in bowel habits. **GU**: No blood in urine, painful urination, loss of bladder control or urinary retention.

Hematology: No active bleeding, bruising, anemia or blood clotting disorders. **Psychiatric:** No anxiety, change in sleep pattern, depression or suicidal thoughts.

PHYSICAL EXAMINATION: The patient's height is 5 feet 4 inches, weight is 149 pounds, and BMI is 25.6. The left shoulder reveals tenderness to palpation over supraspinatus tendon region. There is no heat, swelling, erythema, crepitus or deformity appreciated. Negative drop arm test. Negative cross-over test. Negative empty can test. Negative Yergason test. Negative deltoid atrophy. Positive O'Brien test. Positive impingement sign. Negative Lift-off test. Positive Hawkins test. Range of motion, as per goniometer, abduction 120/180 degrees, adduction 40/45 degrees, forward flexion 145/180 degrees, extension 50/60 degrees, internal rotation 70/90 degrees, and external rotation 75/90 degrees. Internal rotation to the sacrum. The patient has no motor or sensory deficit of the left upper extremity.

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The left elbow reveals negative Varus test. Negative Valgus test. Negative Tinel sign. Range of motion reveals flexion 140/150 degrees, extension 0/150 degrees, supination 90/90 degrees, pronation 90/90 degrees.

DIAGNOSTIC TESTING: The patient had MRI of the left shoulder which was nonspecific.

ASSESSMENT:

- 1. M24.812 Internal derangement, left shoulder.
- 2. M75.02 Adhesive capsulitis, left shoulder.
- 3. M75.82 Shoulder tendinitis, left shoulder.
- 4. S43.432A Labral tear, left shoulder.
- 5. M75.42 Impingement, left shoulder.
- 6. M65.812 Tenosynovitis, left shoulder.
- 7. M75.52 Bursitis, left shoulder.
- 8. M75.22 Bicipital tendinitis, left shoulder.
- 9. M25.512 Pain, left shoulder.
- 10. S49.92XA Injury, left shoulder.
- 11. M67.212 Hypertrophic synovitis, left shoulder.
- 12. M89.312 Acromioclavicular joint hypertrophy, left shoulder.
- 13. M25.412 Joint effusion, left shoulder.
- 14. M23.92 Internal derangement, left knee.
- 15. S83.512A Anterior cruciate ligament sprain, left knee.
- 16. S83.412A Medial collateral ligament sprain, left knee.
- 17. M94.262 Chondromalacia, left knee.
- 18. S83.32XA Tear articular cartilage, left knee.
- 19. M22.2X2 Patellofemoral chondral injury, left knee.
- 20. M25.462 Joint effusion, left knee.
- 21. M12.569 Traumatic arthropathy, left knee.
- 22. S80.912A Injury, left knee.
- 23. M25.562 Pain, left knee.
- 24. M65.162 Synovitis, left knee.
- 25. M24.662 Adhesions, left knee.
- 26. Sprain, left elbow.

PLAN:

- 1. Imaging studies and clinical examinations were reviewed with the patient.
- 2. All treatment options discussed with the patient.
- 3. Cold compresses for left shoulder, left knee, and left elbow.
- 4. Continue anti-inflammatory and muscle relaxant medications p.r.n.
- 5. Continue physical therapy for left shoulder, left knee, and left elbow 3 days/week.
- 6. The patient will go for MRI of the left elbow.
- 7. Follow up in 2 weeks.

<u>CAUSALITY</u>: It is within a certain degree of medical certainty, that the history presented by the patient, the objective physical findings as well as the diagnosis rendered

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is causally related to the injury the patient incurred on the specified date. These current symptoms were nonexistent prior to the accident. Findings were discussed with the patient.

AFFIRMATION: Being duly licensed to practice medicine in the state of New York, pursuant to the applicable provisions of the Civil Practice Laws and Rules, I hereby affirm under penalty of perjury that the statements contained herein are true and accurate.

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