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Re: Barr, Adam
DOB: 04/15/1976
DOA: 07/12/2021

INITIAL ORTHOPEDIC CONSULT EXAMINATION

CHIEF COMPLAINT: Right shoulder and left shoulder pain.

HISTORY OF PRESENT ILLNESS: A 45-year-old right-hand dominant male involved in a work-related accident on 07/12/2021. The patient was working as a clerical associate. While at work, the patient sustained a slip and fall accident. The EMS arrived on the scene. The patient was transported via ambulance to CI ER and was treated and released the same day. The patient presents today complaining of right shoulder and left shoulder pain sustained in the work-related accident. The patient was attending physical therapy 2 to 3 times per week with little relief.

WORK HISTORY: The patient is currently working full-time since 07/21/2022 as ER supervisor.

PAST MEDICAL HISTORY: Hypertension and diabetes. There is no previous history of trauma.

PAST SURGICAL HISTORY: Right ankle surgery.

DRUG ALLERGIES: NO KNOWN DRUG ALLERGIES.

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

SOCIAL HISTORY: The patient is a nonsmoker.

ADL CAPABILITIES: The patient states that he can walk for 1/2 block. He can stand for 5 minutes before he has to sit. He can sit for 5 minutes before needing to change positions secondary to pain. As a direct result of the injuries sustained in this accident, the patient states

that he is unable to do the following activities: driving, lifting heavy objects, carrying heavy objects, reaching overhead, laundry, shopping, running errands, kneeling, squatting, negotiating stairs, jogging and exercising.

PRESENT COMPLAINTS: Right shoulder: Right shoulder pain is 6/10, described as intermittent, sharp, stabbing, dull, achy pain. The patient has stiffness, weakness, popping, and clicking. The patient is unable to reach overhead or behind the back and unable to sleep at night due to pain.

Left shoulder: Left shoulder pain is 6/10, described as intermittent, sharp, stabbing, dull, achy pain. The patient has stiffness, weakness, popping, and clicking. The patient is unable to reach overhead or behind the back and unable to sleep at night due to pain.

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 right 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 150/180 degrees, adduction 40/45 degrees, forward flexion 150/180 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 right upper extremity.

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 95/180 degrees, adduction 40/45 degrees, forward flexion 100/180 degrees, extension 40/60 degrees, internal rotation 45/90 degrees, and external rotation 65/90 degrees. Internal rotation to the sacrum. The patient has no motor or sensory deficit of the left upper extremity.

DIAGNOSTIC TESTING: MRI of the right shoulder, done on 08/04/2021, shows supraspinatus and infraspinatus tendons demonstrate tendinosis/tendinopathy with diffuse intrasubstance signal abnormality. Tear and sublabral recess anterior-superior glenoid labrum extending from the approximate 2:00 to 3:00 position. Trace fluid within the glenohumeral joint and subscapula recess. MRI of the left shoulder, done on 08/04/2021, shows supraspinatus and infraspinatus tendons demonstrate tendinosis/tendinopathy with diffuse intrasubstance signal abnormality distally. Trace fluid tracking within the long head biceps tendon sheath consistent with tenosynovitis.

ASSESSMENT:

1. M24.811 Internal derangement, right shoulder.
2. M75.01 Adhesive capsulitis, right shoulder.
3. M75.81 Shoulder tendinitis, right shoulder.
4. S43.431A Labral tear, right shoulder.
5. M75.41 Impingement, right shoulder.
6. M65.811 Tenosynovitis, right shoulder.
7. M75.51 Bursitis, right shoulder.
8. M75.21 Bicipital tendinitis, right shoulder.
9. M25.511 Pain, right shoulder.
10. S49.91XA Injury, right shoulder.
11. M67.211 Hypertrophic synovitis, right shoulder.
12. M89.311 Acromioclavicular joint hypertrophy, right shoulder.
13. M25.411 Joint effusion, right shoulder.
14. M24.812 Internal derangement, left shoulder.
15. M75.02 Adhesive Capsulitis, left shoulder.
16. M75.82 Shoulder tendinitis, left shoulder.
17. S43.432A Labral tear, left shoulder.
18. M75.42 Impingement, left shoulder.
19. M65.812 Tenosynovitis, left shoulder.
20. M75.52 Bursitis, left shoulder.
21. M75.22 Bicipital Tendinitis, left shoulder.
22. M25.512 Pain, left shoulder.
23. S49.92XA Injury, left shoulder.
24. M67.212 Hypertrophic synovitis, left shoulder.
25. M89.312 Acromioclavicular joint hypertrophy, left shoulder.
26. M25.412 Joint effusion, left shoulder.

PLAN:

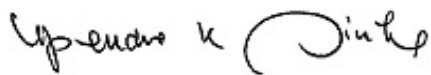
1. Imaging studies and clinical examinations were reviewed with the patient.
2. All treatment options discussed with the patient.
3. Cold compresses for right shoulder and left shoulder.
4. Continue anti-inflammatory and muscle relaxant medications p.r.n.
5. Continue physical therapy for right shoulder and left shoulder 3 days/week.

6. Discussed right shoulder and left shoulder arthroscopy versus conservative management with the patient. The patient states that due to continual pain and lack of relief with physical therapy and the inability to perform day-to-day activities due to pain, the patient wants to think about surgery.
7. Workers' Compensation Board authorization needed prior to surgery.
8. It is medically necessary to perform the suggested surgery to properly diagnose the patient's condition and to objectively verify presence and severity of internal derangement and other right shoulder and left shoulder pathology in quantitative and qualitative terms and achieve better prognosis. This surgery is crucial to provide most specific and maximally effective treatment to this patient.
9. Discussed the length of the arthroscopy, the postoperative instructions, and the option of continuing with conservative management alternatives to surgery, including no surgery.
10. All the benefits and risks of the right shoulder and left shoulder arthroscopy have been discussed with the patient. The risks include, but not limited to bleeding, infection, pain, stiffness, muscle injury, nerve injury, DVT, and recurrence.
11. All the questions in regard to the procedure were answered.
12. Follow up in 2 weeks.

IMPAIRMENT RATING: 50 %.

CAUSALITY: 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 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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