

Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA

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PATIENT INFORMATION

NAME: _____ SEX: _____ AGE: _____ DOB: ____/____/____
ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____
SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER: _____ MARITAL STATUS: M S D W
HOME PHONE: () _____ OTHER PHONE: () _____
EMERGENCY CONTACT: _____ RELATIONSHIP: _____
PHONE: () _____ EMAIL: _____
REFERRING DOCTOR: _____ PHONE: () _____
EMPLOYER: _____ OCCUPATION: _____
RACE: American Indian/Alaska Native ETHNICITY: Hispanic/Latino
Asian Non Hispanic/Latino
Black/African American Other: _____
Native Hawaiian
Pacific Islander
White/Caucasian
Other: _____ HEIGHT _____ WEIGHT _____

INSURANCE INFORMATION

(primary)

INSURANCE CARRIER: _____ PHONE: () _____
INSURANCE ID#: _____ GROUP#: _____
NAME OF INSURED: _____ RELATIONSHIP _____
DOB ____/____/____

(secondary)

INSURANCE CARRIER: _____ PHONE: () _____
INSURANCE ID#: _____

IS THIS VISIT RELATED TO A WORKMANS COMPENSATION/MOTOR VEHICLE

ACCIDENT: Y / N

INSURANCE: _____ PHONE: _____ DOA: ____/____/____
CLAIM #: _____ ADJUSTER: _____

OPEN/CLOSED-Please circle

Assignment of Benefits: I assign Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA, all my rights and benefits under any/all insurance carrier payments to any/all services rendered. I also authorize all information regarding my benefits regarding claims submitted by Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA to file insurance claims on my behalf for all services rendered to me. I also direct any/all insurance carriers listed to make payment directly to Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA. This assignment has been explained to my full satisfaction and with my signature, I allow this assignment of benefits.

Print Name: _____
Signature: _____

Date: _____
Date: _____

PATIENT INITIAL FORM

PATIENT'S NAME: _____ Age: _____ Date of Birth: _____
PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN: _____ PHONE: _____
REFERRED BY: _____

DESCRIBE IN DETAIL HOW THE PAIN STARTED:

WHERE IS YOUR PAIN LOCATED? NECK UPPER BACK LOW BACK ARM LEG
 SHOULDER KNEE HIP CHEST WALL HEADACHE ABDOMEN
 OTHER: _____

WHEN DID PAIN BEGIN: _____

RATE YOUR PAIN: no pain (-) 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 (+) worst pain

How much time during the day are you in pain? few hours less than 1/3rd of time 2/3rd of time
 all the time

Describe your pain: sharp burning achy knife like pressure heavy twisting
 throbbing pulsating numbness weakness other: _____

What makes your pain worse? walking standing sitting bending driving coughing
 sneezing twisting other: _____

What makes your pain better? heat ice lying down sitting standing walking
 bending medication other: _____

Are you or have you ever received treatment for your pain? yes no
If so what Type? spinal injections physical therapy chiropractic medication massage
 acupuncture other: _____

What medications have you tried to treat this pain? _____
How much relief do/did u get from medications? _____
Duration of relief: _____ **side effects:** _____

List all medical problems: _____

Allergies: Yes No If yes list them: _____

Latex Allergy: Yes No

Previous surgeries: _____

REVIEW OF SYSTEMS

Musculoskeletal: Spasms/cramps Back/Neck/Joint Pain Sore Muscles
 Balance Problems

Neurological: Weakness Numbness Memory loss Pain in limb Sexual Dysfunction
 speech changes

Gastrointestinal: Bowl or bladder incontinence Choking Abdominal Pain

Respiratory: Shortness of breath chest pain Dizziness Fainting

Psychological: Depression anxiety irritability suicidal substance abuse

Genitourinary: pain with urination urgency hesitancy blood in urine

Special Senses: double vision blurred vision blindness hard of hearing

Recent weight changes: Yes No

FAMILY HISTORY

Is there any history of you/family (mother/father/grandparents) having had the following:

heart attack heart failure high blood pressure stroke kidney disease cancer
 bleeding problems diabetes liver Other: _____

PERSONAL/SOCIAL HISTORY

Hobbies: _____ Hours of sleep per night: ___ Trouble falling asleep: Y/N

Do you Smoke? ___ per day I consume ___ alcoholic beverages per day wk month

History of substance/illicit drugs: Y/N

PRINT NAME: _____

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RELEVANT OFFICE POLICY AND AGREEMENT

Dear valued patient,

Welcome to Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA for your health care. In order to provide the best possible care for you and avoid any confusion, please take a little time to read "PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION AND INFORMATION RELEASING AGREEMENT", "FINANCIAL POLICY", "NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICE" AND "CANCELLATION POLICY AND PATIENT NO SHOW OR LATE SHOW AGREEMENT".

I. PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION AND INFORMATION RELEASING AGREEMENT

I, patient, hereby authorize the payment of medical benefits to Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA for services rendered. I also authorize Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA to release any medical information necessary to complete and process my insurance claims. I understand that I must present my insurance ID, which can be scanned as part of the claim processing information.

I understand that I am financially responsible for any services not covered by my insurance carrier. I agree to pay all collections costs, attorney fees, and other collections costs that may be incurred to enforce the collection of any amount outstanding.

II. FINANCIAL POLICY

Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA believes that part of good healthcare practice is to establish and communicate a financial policy to our patient. We are dedicated to providing the best possible care for you, and we want you to completely understand our financial policy.

1. **PAYMENT** is expected at the time of your visit. We will accept cash, check or credit card. Payment will include any unmet deductible, co-insurance, co-pay amount or non-covered charges from your insurance company. If you do not carry insurance, or if your coverage is currently under a pre-existing condition clause, payment in full is expected at the time of your visit.
2. **INSURANCE:** We are participating providers with several insurance plans. We will file all of these insurance claims. A list of these insurance plans is available upon request. Please remember that **insurance is a contract between the patient and the insurance company. Ultimately, the patient is responsible for the payment in full.**

If your insurance information is found to be incorrect or invalid, the balance will be transferred to self pay. If you forward the correct insurance information, and your claims are rejected for time filing limits, you acknowledge that the balance will remain self pay. Also, if your insurance requires a referral and you do not have one, you may be asked to reschedule. If you choose to be seen, you agree that the fee for that visit will become self pay as you do not have a referral as required by your contract with your insurance company.

Not all insurance plans cover all services. In the event your insurance plan determines a service to be "not covered", you will be responsible for the complete charge. Payment is due upon receipt of a statement from our office.

3. **COPYS** are due at the time of service as per your contract with your insurance company. If the copay is not paid at the time of service, you may be asked to reschedule your appointment. Please understand that the contract is between you and your insurance company. Our contract with the insurance company states that we must collect copay at the time of service.

4. **RETURNED CHECKS** will incur a \$25.00 service charge. You will be asked to bring cash or a money order to cover the amount of the check plus the service charge. Returned checks that are not settled within 10 days will be forwarded to appropriate enforcement program where you will incur fees and court costs.

5. **ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES:** Payment and credits are applied to the oldest charge first, except for insurance payments which are applied to the corresponding dates of service.

6. **BILLING STATEMENT:** If you have questions in regard to any of your billing statements, our account receivable staff is available to assist you.

III. NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

We keep a record of the health care services we provide to you. You may ask to see and copy that record. There is a service charge for medical record copy. We will not disclose your record to others (except your treating or referral physician) unless you direct us to do so, or unless the law authorizes or compels us to do so. By the signature below, you acknowledge receipt of the Notice of Privacy Practices.

IV. CANCELLATION POLICY AND PATIENT NO SHOW OR LATE SHOW AGREEMENT

I, patient, understand that it is very important that I attend the scheduled appointment for my health reason and scheduling for Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA as well. Any necessary cancellation should be made in advance at least 24 hours prior to that appointment.

Should any cancellation with less than 24 hours' notice or no show for my appointment, I agree that Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA will bill me personally (not an insurance company) \$30.00 for the missed or canceled appointment.

I understand that I may be asked to reschedule my appointment if I am late 15 minutes for my appointment.

I have read and understand all above completely, and I agree to be bound by the terms.

Signature of patient or authorized representative: _____

Date: _____

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DISCLOSURE OF FINACIAL INTEREST IN MEDICAL PRACTICE

Public law/rule of the State of New Jersey/Board of Medical Examiners mandates that a physician, podiatrist and all other licensees of the Board of Medical Examiners inform patients of any significant financial interest held in a health care service.

Accordingly, take notice that practitioners in this office do have a financial interest in the following health care service(s) to which patients are referred:

Spine and Osteoarthritis Center of New Jersey
Suite 203
7 Ridgedale Avenue
Cedar Knolls, New Jersey 07927

New Jersey Advanced Pain Management
1081 Parsippany Blvd.
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054

Morris County Surgical Center
3695 Hill Road
Parsippany, New Jersey 07054

You may of course, seek treatment at a healthcare service provider of your own choice. A listing of alternate health care service providers can be found in the classified section of your telephone directory under the appropriate heading.

Additionally, please take note that the services may be considered to be, and reimbursed at, and "out-of-network" level by your insurance company. Please speak with the office administrator for more information.

Please sign below to acknowledge that I have informed you of the ownership interest in the above entities prior to or at the time I referred you to the above entity.

Patients Name: _____ Date: _____
Patients Signature: _____ Date: _____

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ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF PRIVACY PRACTICE NOTICE AND DESIGNATION OF DISCLOSURE

I. Acknowledgment of Privacy Practice Notice

I have received a copy of the Pain and Neuropathy Center of Pa Notice of Privacy Practices.

Patients Name: _____ Date of Birth: ____/____/____

Signature of Patient, Parent/Guardian: _____ Date: _____

II. Designation of certain relatives, close friend, and other caregivers

I agree that Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA may disclose certain health information to the family member, close friend, attorney, or other caregivers because such person is involved in my health care. In that case, Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA will disclose only information that is directly relevant to the person's involvement with my health care or payment relating to my health care. I also understand that my insurance carriers are entitled to my medical record for health care operations or for payment of any/all claims.

I designate the following persons listed below as persons involved with my health care or payment relating to my health care for the purpose of Pain and Neuropathy Center of PA. I understand that I am not required to list anyone. I also understand that I may change this list at any time in writing.

Print Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Print Name: _____ Relationship: _____

SOAPP®-R

The following are some questions given to patients who are on or being considered for medication for their pain. Please answer each question as honestly as possible. There are no right or wrong answers.

	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Very Often
	0	1	2	3	4
1. How often do you have mood swings?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
2. How often have you felt a need for higher doses of medication to treat your pain?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
3. How often have you felt impatient with your doctors?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
4. How often have you felt that things are just too overwhelming that you can't handle them?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
5. How often is there tension in the home?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
6. How often have you counted pain pills to see how many are remaining?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
7. How often have you been concerned that people will judge you for taking pain medication?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
8. How often do you feel bored?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
9. How often have you taken more pain medication than you were supposed to?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
10. How often have you worried about being left alone?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
11. How often have you felt a craving for medication?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
12. How often have others expressed concern over your use of medication?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

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	Never	Seldom	Sometimes	Often	Very Often
	0	1	2	3	4
13. How often have any of your close friends had a problem with alcohol or drugs?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
14. How often have others told you that you had a bad temper?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
15. How often have you felt consumed by the need to get pain medication?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
16. How often have you run out of pain medication early?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
17. How often have others kept you from getting what you deserve?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
18. How often, in your lifetime, have you had legal problems or been arrested?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
19. How often have you attended an AA or NA meeting?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
20. How often have you been in an argument that was so out of control that someone got hurt?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
21. How often have you been sexually abused?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
22. How often have others suggested that you have a drug or alcohol problem?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
23. How often have you had to borrow pain medications from your family or friends?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
24. How often have you been treated for an alcohol or drug problem?	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Please include any additional information you wish about the above answers.
Thank you.

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