

RHEUMATOLOGY CENTER OF NEW JERSEY  
56 UNION AVENUE | SOMERVILLE, NEW JERSEY 08876

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**PATIENT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Email: (Required)** \_\_\_\_\_

SSN: \_\_\_\_\_ Marital Status: S M D W DP Sex:  M  F

Primary Care Physician: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Pharmacy Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**ACCOUNT INFORMATION**

Responsible Party:  Self  Spouse  Parent  Other

Guarantor (if other than self): \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Address (if different from above): \_\_\_\_\_

Home Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Work Ph: (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**INSURANCE INFORMATION**

Insurance Company: \_\_\_\_\_

Subscriber: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ SSN: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex:  M  F

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number : (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Preferred Language: \_\_\_\_\_ Ethnicity: \_\_\_\_\_ Race: \_\_\_\_\_

Ethnicity Options: Hispanic/Latino, Non-Hispanic/Non-Latino, Not Reported, Declined

Race Options: White, African American, Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, American Indian/Alaska Native, Multiple Races, Not Reported, Declined

**ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFIT AND RELEASE OF INFORMATION**

I certify that the information provided herein is correct and accurate and hereby authorize Rheumatology Center of New Jersey to submit claims to Medicare, Medigap and commercial payers on my behalf. I assign any payment and/or benefit from these payers for these services to Rheumatology Center of New Jersey. I further authorize the release of any medical records necessary for the adjudication and payment of these claims or any authorizations for services or procedures rendered or to be rendered. I understand balances for deductibles, co-insurance, co-payments and non covered services are my financial responsibility. If any balances become delinquent and are referred for further further collection activity, I may become liable for any cost of collection including collections fees, court fees and legal fees.

Signature

Date

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ DOB: \_\_\_\_\_  M  F

**Reason for Today's Visit:**

**Present Medications:**

**Past Medical History:**  
 (Briefly list unusual CHILDHOOD diseases, MAJOR SURGERY, and MAJOR ILLNESS, other than your current complaint.)

**Family History:** (indicate any major medical conditions that run in your family, especially a history of Gout or Psoriasis)

**Allergies to Medications?**

**Social History:**  
 Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Children (how many): \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you smoke? \_\_\_\_\_ How Long? \_\_\_\_\_  
 Do you drink alcohol? \_\_\_\_\_ How much? \_\_\_\_\_

Condition	Y	N	Condition	Y	N
Skin rash or Psoriasis			Recurrent chest pain		
Pitting or infection of nails			Pleurisy		
Hardening or tightening of skin			Asthma or bronchitis		
Recent of Unexplained hair loss			Recurrent cough or vomiting of blood		
Recurrent sores on/in penis or vagina			Recent nausea or vomiting		
Frequent or recurring mouth sores			Stomach ulcer or intestinal trouble		
Recurrent conjunctivitis or pink eye			Stomach pain or heartburn		
Iritis, Uveitis or red eye			Hemorrhoids or colitis		
Anemia or blood disease			Frequent loose bowel movements		
Severe bleeding problems			Hepatitis, liver trouble or jaundice		
Frequent headache			Kidney or bladder disorder		
New excessive fatigue			Psychiatric or psychological treatment		
Emotional or nervous problems			Epilepsy, fits or convulsions		
Depression			History of recurrent cancer or tumors		
Recent progress or recurrent back pain other than the occasional lower back ache?					
Inability to produce normal amounts of saliva?					
Difficulty in making tears, dryness or gritty feeling of the eyes on awakening?					
On exposure to sunlight, do you become ill, develop aching joints or severe skin rash?					
Have you experienced a miscarriage? If so how many?					
Raynaud's Syndrome (hands turn blue on exposure to the cold)?					
Have you been bitten by or removed any ticks?					
Inflammation of your veins or blood clots?					
Is there any compensation claim pending as a result of an injury or accident?					
Have you recently been out of the United States?					
Have you been seen by a Rheumatologist before?					
If so, Name:				Phone:	

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Patient Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Patient Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
 Date

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Initials

## OFFICE POLICIES

- \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that if I fail to cancel my appointment within 24 hours of my scheduled time, I will be charged a \$50.00 fee. I understand that Medicare and other commercial insurance companies will not reimburse me for this fee. By signing I am agreeing to these terms.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that if my check is returned, there will be a \$35 charge in addition to the money owed.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that it is my responsibility to pay any co-pays, co-insurance and deductibles at the time of service.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that it is my responsibility, if required by my insurance, to bring a valid referral with me at the time of service. If I do not, I understand that the insurance company may not pay RCNJ and therefore I will be fully responsible for the cost of my visit. By signing I am agreeing to these terms.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I understand that RCNJ will make every effort to explain the cost of visits, medication and procedures but it is my responsibility to be aware of my insurance companies reimbursement policies and guidelines. I understand and acknowledge that I am fully responsible for anything they do not cover. By signing I am agreeing to these terms.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I give permission to leave detailed messages (appointments, payments etc) on the phone number on file.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I give permission to leave test results (treatment, labs) on the phone number on file.
- \_\_\_\_\_ I understand all test results must be reviewed by a physician during an office visit before copies of results are given.
- \_\_\_\_\_ If another doctors office requires a copy, I will have them call RCNJ directly to make the request.

I authorize the release of information including diagnosis and/or records including examinations rendered to me and claim information. This information may be released to the following people:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Do not release my information to anyone.

(This release of information will remain in effect until terminated by me in writing)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Patient Acknowledgement of Receipt of Privacy Practices Notice**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, hereby acknowledge that I have reviewed and received a copy of this offices Notice of Privacy Practice explaining:

- How this office will use and disclose my protected health information.
- My privacy rights in regards to my protected health information.
- This offices obligation concerning the use and disclosure of my protected health information.

I understand that this Notice of Privacy Practices may be revised and that I am entiltild to recieve a copy of any revised Notice of Privay Practices upon request.

I also understand that if I have any concerns, I may contact:

Rheumatology Center of New Jersey  
56 Union Avenue  
Somerville, New Jersey 08876

Phone No. (908) 722-5380

For additonal information, visit [www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/](http://www.hhs.gov/ocr/privacy/)

Patient or Patient Representative

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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**OFFICE USE ONLY:**

We made a good faith effort to obtain an acknowledgment of \_\_\_\_\_'s receipt of our Notice of Privacy Practices. In spite of our efforts, we were unable to obtain a signed acknolwedgement for the following reason:

- Patient refused to sign (date of refusal) \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_
- Communication barriers prevented obtaining acknowledgement
- An emergency situation prevented us from obtaining acknowledgment
- Other:

Attempt made by: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



**BONE HEALTH (OSTEOPOROSIS/OSTEOPENIA)**  
**SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE**

TODAYS DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

FIRST NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

DOB: \_\_\_\_\_ AGE: \_\_\_\_\_ GENDER: \_\_\_\_\_

WHICH PROVIDER ARE YOU SEEING TODAY? [ ] Dr.Megid // [ ] Dr. Adenwalla  
[ ] Dr. Borham // [ ] Jennifer Sidiropoulos, PA-C // [ ] Biagio Como, PA-C

**RISK FACTORS:**

Have you ever fractured/broken a bone? [ ] YES [ ] NO

Has your mother/father ever fractured/broken a bone? [ ] YES [ ] NO

Do you smoke or use tobacco products? [ ] YES [ ] NO

Do you drink three or more alcoholic drinks a day? [ ] YES [ ] NO

Are you on steroids/immunosuppressants? [ ] YES [ ] NO

Do you have rheumatoid arthritis? [ ] YES [ ] NO

Have you ever had a bone density test (DEXA) to check for Osteoporosis/Osteopenia? [ ] YES [ ] NO

If you had a bone density test:

Where? \_\_\_\_\_

Date of test: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you know the results? [ ] normal // [ ] osteopenia // [ ] osteoporosis

**FOR STAFF USE ONLY:**

no risk factors

F AGE 50-64 / M AGE 50-69 → NO DEXA REQUIRED

WITH RISK FACTORS FROM ABOVE

F AGE 50-64 / M AGE 50-69 → PROCEED TO ORDER DEXA