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Dear New Patient,

Welcome to our practice! We are grateful that you have chosen us to take care of your health care needs. The following information is provided to introduce you to our practice and practice policies.

Please complete the included forms and bring them to your first appointment.

If you are unable to complete your paperwork prior to arrival, please arrive 45 minutes early and a staff member can assist you with completing it. If your paperwork is completed, please arrive at least 15 minutes to allow our office time to prepare your charts and complete the administrative portion of your appointment. *Please be aware, if you do not arrive early for your initial appointment, we may be forced to reschedule.*

Be sure to bring all updated insurance cards and a photo ID. It is also necessary for you to be prepared to pay any copays, co-insurance, or deductibles, according to your health insurance benefits, at check in. We accept cash, credit/debit cards, and checks.

If for any reason, you will not be able to come to your appointment, kindly give at least 24 hours' notice to avoid a \$25 cancellation fee.

Thank you, we look forward to meeting you!

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PATIENT REGISTRATION

Patient First Name: _____ **Last Name:** _____ **MI:** _____

Address: _____ APT# _____ City: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____

Mailing Address: _____ City: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____

Home: (____) _____ - _____ Work: (____) _____ - _____ Cell: (____) _____ - _____

Birthdate: ____/____/____ Gender: Male Female SSN: _____ - _____ - _____

Email Info: _____ @ _____ . _____ Primary Care Physician: _____

Marital Status: Married Single Divorced Language Preference: _____ Referring Physician: _____

Work related Injury Yes No Date of Injury: _____ **Auto Accident** Yes No Date of Accident: _____

Employment: Employed Not Employed Self-employed Retired Race: _____ Declined

Employer name: _____ Ethnicity: Hispanic/Latino Not Hispanic/Latino Declined

Primary Insurance Information (Please provide card – for copy of front and back)

Indicate patient's relationship to primary insured: Self Spouse Child Other (POA, Attorney, etc)

POLICY HOLDER'S NAME (If self, write self): _____

Policy Holder's Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Policy Holder's SSN#: _____ - _____ - _____

Insurance Company Name: _____

Policy Number: _____ Group Number: _____ Copay Amt: \$ _____ .

Secondary Insurance Information (Please provide card – for copy of front and back)

Indicate patient's relationship to primary insured: Self Spouse Child Other (POA, Attorney, etc)

POLICY HOLDER'S NAME (If self, write self): _____

Policy Holder's Date of Birth: ____/____/____ Policy Holder's SSN#: _____ - _____ - _____

Insurance Company Name: _____

Policy Number: _____ Group Number: _____ Copay Amt: \$ _____ .

Emergency Notification Information: (Person to notify in case of emergency, other than parents)

Name: _____ Relationship to Patient: _____

Address: _____ Home number: (____) _____ - _____

City: _____ ST: _____ ZIP: _____ Other Number: (____) _____ - _____

NOTICE:

Our office provides the service of "reminder calls". To protect your privacy, please indicate how you would prefer this to be done.

- You prefer that staff does not confirm your appointment. Home Number (Leave message? Yes No)
 Cell Phone (Leave message? Yes No) Work number (no message)

Please read and sign:

I authorize the release of any of my medical, psychiatric, or other information necessary to process any claim and to provide information to another health care provider when necessary to coordinate treatment. I also authorize payment of benefits to **SOUTHWEST SPORTS AND SPINE LLC**. I fully understand that if my insurance denies payment for any service defined as "non-covered", I will be responsible for that amount due. . In the event this account must be placed with Surety Acceptance Corporation for collection; patient or responsible party agrees to pay all collection costs.

SIGNATURE: _____

Patient / Parent or Guardian

DATE: _____

Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC

Privacy Practices and HIPAA

Our practice is committed to educating our patients about the healthcare issues that affect them. As a result, we are providing you with general information about the Privacy Rules, a federal regulation of the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 (HIPAA) along with a brief overview of our new Notice of Privacy. Our practice is complying with HIPAA regulations.

What is HIPAA and how does the privacy rule affect you?

When the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) was passed in August of 1996 this gave the Federal Government the ability to mandate how healthcare plans, providers, and clearinghouses store and send a patient's personal information as it relates to healthcare. The Privacy Rule was created to protect your rights as a patient of our practice, and we are required by law to be compliant with this regulation on April 14, 2003. Under the Privacy Rule you are guaranteed access to your medical records, allowed control over how your protected health information is used and disclosed and allowed to take action if your privacy is compromised by following the practice's policy. Our practice is dedicated to maintaining the privacy of your personal information.

What is individually identifiable health information (IIHI)?

Any health information you provide, including your mailing address is IIHI. Information that is created and retained by our practice or received by another healthcare provider that relates to treatment, payment and/or that identifies you as an individual is also IIHI. What is the Notice of Privacy Practice? Our practice has an official Notice of Privacy Practice posted in our treatment areas informing our patients about their rights surrounding the protection of your IIHI and our obligations concerning the use and disclosure of your IIHI. This notice applies to all records created or retained by our treatment areas and you can ask for a copy of the current notice at any time.

The following categories describe the different ways in which we may use and disclose your IIHI:

- Treatment
- Appointment Reminders
- Release of information to family/friends
- Payment
- Treatment Options
- Disclosures Required by Law
- Healthcare Operations
- Health related benefits & services

The following categories describe unique situations in which we may use or disclose your individually identifiable health information:

- Public risks
- Health oversight activities
- Lawsuits
- Law enforcement
- Deceased patient's organ and tissue donation
- Serious health threats/safety
- Research

What are your rights concerning your individually identifiable health information (IIHI)?

You have rights regarding the IIHI that we maintain about you. In our Notice of Privacy Practices you can view the policies and procedures you will need to follow for the areas listed below:

1. Confidential communications
2. Requesting restrictions
3. Inspection and copies
4. Amendment
5. Accounting of Disclosures
6. Right to a paper copy of this notice
7. Right to file a complaint
8. Right to provide and authorization for other uses

ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES

I, _____ do hereby acknowledge receipt of a
Please Print
copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices, Policies and procedures.

Signature of Patient: _____ Date: _____

In the event this request is made by the individual's personal representative:

Signature of Personal Representative: _____ Date: _____

ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFITS AGREEMENT

I hereby authorize my insurance company, including Medicare if I am a Medicare Beneficiary, to make payments to Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC for medical or surgical services or items rendered to me or my dependents by Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC. Should my insurance carrier deny Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC payment, I understand that I am financially responsible for the charges. I authorize Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC to release any and all of my records to my insurer, or any other third party payer, legally responsible for the payment of my/our medical expenses. I certify that the information provided or to be provided by me/us is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. It is my/our responsibility to update any and all personal, insurance health information.

It is our office policy to collect specialist office visit copays at the time of service. Be advised, however, that certain services, including but not limited to: Mri readings, Fluoroscopy guidance, or injection procedures may apply towards your deductible and/or coinsurance. It is the patient's responsibility to verify their plan benefits.

Signature of Patient

Date



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Consent for Release of Medical Information To **Family Members**

Patient Name: _____ Date of Birth: _____

I do not authorize Southwest Sports and Spine to release any or all information concerning my medical care to any individual.

I, _____, give my permission to have any/and or all of my medical information, including financial, released to the following persons:



Name _____ Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

Phone _____ Phone _____

Relationship _____ Relationship _____



Name _____ Name _____

Address _____ Address _____

Phone _____ Phone _____

Relationship _____ Relationship _____



Patient Signature: _____ Date: _____



Patient Financial Responsibility Policy

Patient Name: _____ DOB: _____

I understand and agree that I will be financially responsible for any and all charges for services rendered. This includes any evaluation/visit, procedure, lab or diagnostic testing, screening services, requested legal documentation, and all other medical services ordered by the physician or the physician's staff. I understand that it is my responsibility and not the responsibility of the physician or staff to know if my insurance will pay for such medical services. I understand that an estimate for services may be given but the true cost will not be known until after insurance has processed the claim.

I understand that it is Southwest Sports and Spine's policy that I must pay my current copay, maintain my account balance below \$250, and make monthly payments in order to reduce any remaining balance. I understand that if I do not keep my balance below \$250, my future appointments may be cancelled, and my medication management may be placed on hold.

I understand and agree that it is my responsibility to know if my insurance has any deductible, co-payment, co-insurance, out-of-network, or any other type of benefit limitation for the services I receive, and I agree to make full payment. I understand that it is my responsibility to update my insurances' coordination of benefits (COB) and that I am liable for claims denied for this reason. I agree to notify Southwest Sports and Spine within 30 days of any insurance changes.

I understand and agree that it is my responsibility to know if the physician I am seeing is a contracted, in-network, or preferred provider recognized by my insurance company or plan. If the physician I am seeing is not, it may result in claims being denied or higher out of pocket expenses to me and I understand this and agree to be financially responsible and make full payment.

If my visits are due to a motor vehicle accident, I understand and agree that Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC will be processing all claims through my medical health insurance. I understand that my claims may be denied by my insurance and I agree to be responsible for all charges deemed to be patient responsibility by my insurance. I understand that Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC will not delay billing due to any litigation and I will be financially responsible for any and all charges for services rendered.

I hereby authorize payment of medical benefits directly to Southwest Sports and Spine, LLC, for services rendered. Authorization is hereby granted to release information contained in my medical record to my insurance company or its employees/agents as may be necessary to process and complete my medical insurance claim(s). I further understand should my account become delinquent, I shall pay the reasonable attorney fees, if any. The duration of this authorization is indefinite and continues until revoked in writing.

Signature: _____ Date: _____



Medical History

Patient Name: _____

DOB: _____

<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Alcoholism	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Allergic rhinitis
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Alzheimer's disease	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Anemia
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Anxiety	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Arthritis
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Asthma	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Atrial fibrillation
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Carpal tunnel syndrome	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Cerebral palsy
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Chest pain	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Circulatory system disorder
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Congestive heart failure	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Depression
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Diabetes	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Emphysema
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Fibromyalgia	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Fracture of unspecified parts of lumbosacral spine and pelvis, sequela
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Gout	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Guillain-barre syndrome
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Headache	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Hearing loss
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Heart attack	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Heartburn
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Herniated Disc	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	High blood pressure [hypertension]
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	High cholesterol	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	High lipids
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Hypothyroid	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Insomnia
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Irritable bowel syndrome	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Kidney failure
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Leptospirosis icterohemorrhagica	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Low back pain
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Migraine	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Mitral valve disorder
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Multiple sclerosis	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Osteoporosis
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Other bursitis, not elsewhere classified, unspecified site	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Other cervical disc degeneration, unspecified cervical region
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Other intervertebral disc degeneration, lumbar region	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Pain in unspecified elbow
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Pain in unspecified joint	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Pain in unspecified knee
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Raynaud's syndrome	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Sciatica
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Sinusitis	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Skin disorder
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Smoking	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Spondylosis without myelopathy or radiculopathy, cervical region
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Stroke	<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Trigeminal neuralgia
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	Visual impairment		
<input type="radio"/> Present <input type="radio"/> Absent	<input type="text"/>		



Family History

Patient Name: _____ DOB: _____

Please indicate with a check mark family members who have had any of the following:

Medical Condition	Mom	Dad	Sist.	Bro.	Medical Condition	Mom	Dad	Sist.	Bro.
Alcoholism					Allergic rhinitis				
Anemia					Anxiety				
Arthritis					Asthma				
Atrial fibrillation					Carpal Tunnel Syndrome				
Chest Pain					Circulatory system disorder				
Congestive heart failure					Depression				
Diabetes					Emphysema				
Fracture: Spine, Pelvis					Gout				
Headache					Hearing loss				
Heart Attack					Heartburn				
Herniated Disc					High blood pressure				
High cholesterol					High Lipids				
Hypothyroid					Insomnia				
Irritable bowel Syndrome					Kidney failure				
Low back pain					Migraine				
Mitral valve disorder					Osteoporosis				
Pain in elbow					Pain in joint				
Pain in knee					Sinusitis				
Skin disorder					Smoking				
Stroke					Visual impairment				

Social History

Tobacco Use

Cigarettes:

Quit: Date _____

Never

Current smoker: Packs/Day _____ # of yrs _____

Other Tobacco: Pipe _____ Cigar _____ Snuff _____ Chew _____

Are you interested in quitting? Yes _____ No _____

Alcohol Use

Do you drink alcohol? Yes _____ No _____ # drinks/wk _____

Is alcohol use a concern for you or others? _____

Drug Use

Do you use recreational drugs? Yes _____ No _____

Have you ever used needles? Yes _____ No _____

Exercise

Do you exercise regularly? Yes _____ No _____

Opioid Risk Tool

Patient Name: _____ DOB: _____

This tool should be administered to patients upon an initial visit prior to beginning opioid therapy for pain management. A score of 3 or lower indicates low risk for future opioid abuse, a score of 4 to 7 indicates moderate risk for opioid abuse, and a score of 8 or higher indicates a high risk for opioid abuse.

<u>Circle each box that applies</u>	Female	Male
Family history of substance abuse		
Alcohol	1	3
Illegal drugs	2	3
Rx drugs	4	4
Personal history of substance abuse		
Alcohol	3	3
Illegal drugs	4	4
Rx drugs	5	5
Age between 18-45	1	1
History of preadolescent sexual abuse	3	0
Psychological disease		
ADD, OCD, Bipolar, Schizophrenia	2	2
Depression	1	1
Scoring Totals		

CHECK BOX IF NONE OF THE ABOVE APPLY TO YOU.



Patient Name:	
Date of Birth:	
Phone #:	
Date:	

Cognitive Assessment

Have you ever experienced:

If yes, please select how often below symptoms are occurring

- Sensation of not feeling right, being a little confused or unsteady? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Spells you would describe as feeling faint or as if you might pass out? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Events where you've experienced altered awareness? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly

Have you ever experienced:

If yes, please select how often below symptoms are occurring

- Episodes of temporary confusion or brain fog? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Dizziness accompanied by loss of awareness or confusion? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Difficulty finding the right words or expressing yourself? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Lapse of time or zoning out? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Difficulty recalling the details of conversations you just had or TV shows you just watched? Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly

Have you ever experienced:

Are you experiencing migraines associated with the following symptoms?

- Aura or flashing/shimmering lights, zigzagging lines, or stars Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Dizziness Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Loss of awareness/consciousness Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly
- Nausea Yes No | Daily Weekly Monthly

Do you have a history of:

- Sensation of not feeling right, being a little confused or unsteady? Yes No
- Sensation of not feeling right, being a little confused or unsteady? Yes No
- Spells you would describe as feeling faint or as if you might pass out? Yes No
- Events where you've experienced altered awareness? Yes No

Patient Signature

Date