





## Patient Consent & Financial Agreement

### Authorization for Treatment

Physical therapy services offered at FYZICAL includes, but not limited to evaluation techniques, soft tissue techniques, manual therapy techniques, heat, cold, electrical stimulation, electrical modalities, paraffin, stretching activities, strengthening exercises, cervical/lumbar traction, and the use of gym and/or other fitness equipment.

I have been informed that if any soft tissue technique, particularly Graston technique / active release/ cross-fiber friction mobilization, are used, it may cause bruising and tenderness in the region that is/was treated. If the technique is too uncomfortable, I will bring it to the attention of my physical therapist so that the procedure can be modified or ceased.

I understand that I have the right to refuse any physical therapy service(s) offered if I so choose. I understand that physical therapy may involve some risk and I hereby release FYZICAL from liability now or in the future.

### Assignment of Insurance Benefits and Release of Information

I authorize the release of any medical or other information necessary to process my claims. I also request payment of government benefits; insurance payments be made to FYZICAL and its affiliates. I authorize payment of medical benefits to FYZICAL and its affiliates. I agree to reimburse FYZICAL for any and all funds that the insurance may send to me directly. I additionally agree to provide the related Explanation of Benefits to FYZICAL, if I'd like any adjustments to be considered.

### Personal Valuables/Dependents/Visitors

It is understood and agreed that FYZICAL is not responsible for loss or damage to any personal valuables or properties. In order to maximize safety, if children are present, please keep them off the exercise equipment in order to prevent injuries.

### Financial Agreement

I, the undersigned agree, to be responsible for all deductibles, coinsurance and non-covered portions of services performed. I understand that FYZICAL and its affiliates bill insurance companies as a courtesy. I understand that all co-payments, co-insurance, and deductibles are due at the time of service. I understand that benefits quoted to me are only an estimate. I understand that it is my responsibility to know and understand my health plan. I understand that FYZICAL is not responsible for any inaccurate information they receive from my insurance. I understand that it is my responsibility to obtain necessary referrals from my doctor prior to coming to FYZICAL. Should my account be referred to an agency or attorney for collections, I may be responsible for any and all attorney and collection fees charged to FYZICAL associated with collecting the debt. I agree to pay an insufficient funds fee for any returned checks.

Credit Card/Debit Card Payments by signing this form I authorize FYZICAL and its affiliates to keep my credit card on file for future payments. I will be required to sign each receipt approving the charge. You have the option to decline this convenience and physically produce your card at every visit. If you would like to decline this option, please initial here

### Notice of Privacy Practices

Our Notice of Privacy Practices provides information about how we may use and disclose medical information about you. As indicated in our notice, the terms of our notice may change. If we change our notice, you may request a revised copy. By signing below, you are stating that you have reviewed the Notice of Privacy Practice and do not want a paper copy at this time. You may request a copy of the Notice and/or ask any questions about the Notice at any time.

My signature below is acknowledging the above consent and agreeing to the terms in its entirety.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient or Legal Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



# Cancellation & No-Show Policy

We strive to provide each patient with the highest quality of care while attempting to accommodate your schedule for your convenience. Therefore, we provide reserved time slots for each patient with a specific therapist in order to minimize your waiting and assure continuity of your treatment. Your consistent attendance of the planned treatment regimen is paramount to your full recovery. We believe that this policy is necessary for the benefit of all our patients, so that we may continue to provide high quality treatment and service to everyone. All of us at FYZICAL appreciate your adherence and cooperation with this policy. We are here to help you attain all of your goals and optimize your return to all of your highly anticipated activities.

What is considered a cancellation? An appointment that is cancelled less than 24 hours from the appointment time is considered a cancelled appointment. If you are unable to make your appointment, please provide more than a 24-hour notice so that we may offer your appointment time to another patient in need.

What is considered a No Show? When a patient does not show for a scheduled appointment.

Will I be charged a fee if I cancel less than 24 hours or if I no show for my appointment? There is a penalty that may be assessed. The fee is not billable to insurances. The fee will be due on or before the next appointment. To avoid the fee, see if an earlier or later appointment time is available that day or give more than a 24 hours' notice.

Are there exceptions? Yes! We understand unforeseen things do happen and we most definitely do not want patients coming to an appointment if they are ill or feel unsafe to drive. A fee will not be charged for certain circumstances, but the occurrence will count towards your cancellation or no-show count.

What happens if I continue to cancel or no show for my appointments? If you cancel your appointment or no show 3 times in a 30-day span, we will place you on a "Same Day Scheduling" option. At that point you will need to call the day you are available to attend therapy to see if we have an opening. No appointments will be made days in advance.

What if I'm going to be late for my appointment? If you are more than 10 minutes late, we may need to modify your appointment time (if we are able to do so) or cancel your appointment in which a fee will be charged.

By signing below, I agree to adhere to the above policy and fully commit to my plan of care so that I can reach my goals!

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

Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

## Client Health Questionnaire

Patient Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_

Please describe your Current Complaint or Limitation: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe how your problem began: \_\_\_\_\_

Please tell us how long ago your condition started: \_\_\_\_\_

List tests or other interventions for this condition that you have had: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate the daily activities that you cannot perform: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate your level of functioning prior to the onset of this condition: \_\_\_\_\_

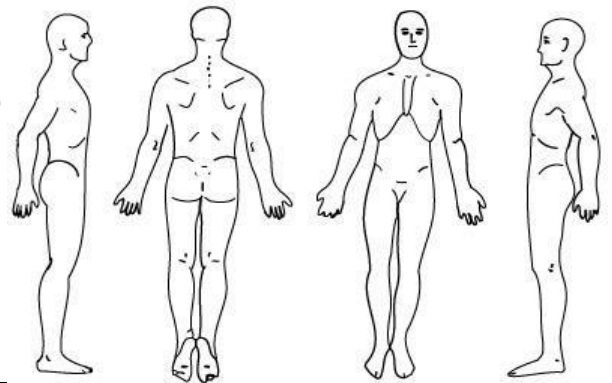
Please inform us of any environmental or living conditions that may have difficulties with: \_\_\_\_\_

Did you have surgery?  No  Yes Date: \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

Please describe the nature of your symptoms (check all that apply):

- |   |   |   |
|---|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vertigo                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Sharp Pain       | <input type="checkbox"/> Constant (76 – 100%)         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lightheadedness          | <input type="checkbox"/> Dull (Pain) Ache | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent (51 – 75%)          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Imbalance                | <input type="checkbox"/> Throbbing        | <input type="checkbox"/> Occasional (26 – 50%)        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Feeling "off"            | <input type="checkbox"/> Numbness         | <input type="checkbox"/> Intermittent (25% - or less) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ear Pressure/Pain        | <input type="checkbox"/> Shooting         |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Motion intolerant        | <input type="checkbox"/> Burning          |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Migraine/Headaches       | <input type="checkbox"/> Tingling         |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Head Injury/Concussion   |   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tinnitus (ear ringing)   |   |   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sudden change in hearing |   |   |

Please Mark on the picture locations of pain



Level of symptoms at rest from 0 (No symptoms) to 10 (Unbearable symptoms) \_\_\_\_\_

Level of symptoms with activity from 0 (None) to 10 (Unbearable) \_\_\_\_\_

Since this condition began your symptoms have:  decreased  not changed  increased

Your symptoms are worse in:  morning  afternoon  night  increased during the day  same all day

Activities or positions that increase symptoms: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities or positions that decrease symptoms: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Has your work status changed because of this condition  Yes  No

**Pelvic Health Questionnaire**  N/A

Please describe your current complaint or limitation: \_\_\_\_\_

Please tell us how long ago your condition started: \_\_\_\_\_

List tests or other interventions for this condition that you have had: \_\_\_\_\_

Did you have surgery?  Yes  No Procedure: \_\_\_\_\_

# of Pregnancies: \_\_\_\_\_ Vaginal Births: \_\_\_\_\_ C-Sections: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of last Pelvic Exam: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of last Menstruation: \_\_\_\_\_

Your symptoms are worse in the  Morning  Afternoon  Night  increased During the Day

Activities or positions that increase symptoms: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities or positions that decrease symptoms: \_\_\_\_\_



If you have ever had a listed condition in the past, please check it in the PAST column. If you are presently troubled by a particular condition, check it in the PRESENT column. The information you provide concerning past and present conditions, and diseases assists your therapist in more thoroughly understanding your state of health.

PAST	PRESENT	CONDITION	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	High Blood Pressure	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Angina	Present: Weight: _____ Height: _____ ft _____ in.
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Heart Attack	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stroke	Have you fallen in the last year? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes-
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Asthma	If yes, how many falls? _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	HIV/AIDS	If you fell, did you have an injury? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cancer: Location: _____ Date: _____	Type of Injury: _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tumor	Are you diabetic? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Systemic Lupus/	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hepatitis	Do you use tobacco products? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Epilepsy	If yes, packs/day? _____/_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Rheumatoid Arthritis	Pain 0 (no symptoms) to 10 (unbearable symptoms):
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Arthritis	Current: _____ Best: _____ Worst: _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pregnancy	
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Drug or Alcohol Dependence	Hospitalization/Surgical Procedures
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hearing Loss	(list if not described elsewhere): _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Pace Maker	_____
<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other _____	_____

Please fill in the following list of your medications (including supplements and over the counter medications)

Medication Name	Dosage	Frequency	Route

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient/Legal Guardian's Signature

\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_  
Date



## **PATIENT FINANCIAL RESPONSIBILITY AGREEMENT REGARDING CONCURRENT HOME HEALTH CARE SERVICES**

### **Purpose:**

**This Agreement sets forth the terms under which the Patient agrees to be financially responsible for charges incurred for outpatient physical therapy services in situations where such services are denied by the Patient's insurance due to concurrent receipt of home health services.**

### **1. Understanding of Insurance Limitations**

The Patient acknowledges and understands that Medicare and most insurance providers will NOT cover outpatient physical therapy services at FYZICAL, if the Patient is receiving any form of home health care services simultaneously.

If a patient is receiving home health care services, they are considered home bound and not eligible for outpatient physical therapy coverage under most insurances.

This is typically demanded in the form of repayment from FYZICAL to the insurance company AFTER initial payments have been made for the patients outpatient physical therapy services and upon the insurance company determining that both outpatient and home health care services were provided simultaneously.

These home health care services may include, but are not limited to, nursing care, physical therapy, occupational therapy, or speech therapy delivered in the home setting for any condition that's related or non-related to the condition treated in outpatient physical therapy.

### **2. Patient Obligation to Disclose Home Health Services**

- The Patient agrees to promptly notify FYZICAL **BEFORE** their initial outpatient physical therapy first visit evaluation, if they are under any form of home health care services and without [written] evidence of Patient being discharged from ALL home health care services if applicable.
- The Patient also agrees to promptly notify FYZICAL **BEFORE** their next scheduled visit with FYZICAL, if any of their medical providers initiated any type of home health care service at any point **DURING** the course of their outpatient physical therapy treatment.
- This notification by the patient to FYZICAL must be made immediately and therefore timely upon the initiation of any home health care service in order to avoid any insurance denial and/or repayment of concurrent outpatient physical therapy services by FYZICAL to any insurance provider.

### **3. Financial Responsibility**

If the Patient fails to notify FYZICAL of concurrent home health care services and the Patient's insurance provider denies coverage through their demand for repayment for outpatient physical therapy services by FYZICAL due to the overlap, the Patient agrees to be fully and personally responsible for all charges associated with the denied services. This includes, but is not limited to, charges for evaluations, treatments, and any other related services provided by FYZICAL.

#### **4. No Waiver of Charges**

FYZICAL is under no obligation to waive any charges resulting from denied claims due to undisclosed concurrent home health care services. FYZICAL is not responsible nor has the capacity to track all of the patient's medical providers and their prescribed medical care and this is the sole responsibility of the Patient. The Patient agrees that failure to timely disclose such home health care services to FYZICAL is a breach of this Agreement and shall not constitute grounds for dispute or appeal against FYZICAL for reimbursement or debt forgiveness.

#### **5. Entire Agreement**

This Agreement constitutes the entire understanding between the parties with respect to the subject matter herein and supersedes all prior discussions, agreements, or understandings of any kind.

#### **6. Amendments**

No amendment or modification of this Agreement shall be effective unless made in writing and signed by both the Patient and the Provider.

#### **7. Governing Law**

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the STATE OF FLORIDA in which the Provider operates.

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