

Center for Hand Surgery
Michelle R. Ritter, MD Orthopaedic Hand Surgery

PLEASE USE BLACK INK

Patient Name _____ Date of Birth _____

Address _____

Male ___ Female ___ SSN _____ - _____ - _____ First visit? Yes ___ No ___

Home telephone (____) _____ Work (____) _____ Cell (____) _____

*E-mail address (required for patient portal) _____

Occupation/Type of Work: _____ Full time ___ Part time ___ Student ___ Retired ___

CONSENT TO TREATMENT AND ASSIGNMENT OF BENEFITS

I consent to examination and treatment for my problem, and by mutual agreement, diagnostic procedures or other services deemed necessary. I agree to assign the Center for Hand Surgery, Inc. any benefits due me by the insurance carriers for services rendered. Should my benefits be insufficient, I authorize the release of any information required to facilitate payment. I also authorize the release of any information necessary to complete work restriction or disability forms pertinent to my treatment.

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|---|-----------------------------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| Please circle all that apply to your problem: | Hand R L | Wrist R L | Forearm R L | Elbow R L |
| Finger(s): Left: | index middle ring | | little | thumb |
| Right: | index middle ring | | little | thumb |

My Primary Care Physician? (PCP): Name _____ Phone _____

Referred by a doctor other than PCP? Name _____ Phone _____

Payment agreement: I understand that I am responsible for payment to the Center for Hand Surgery Inc and Dr. Michelle Ritter for co-insurance, deductibles, or for any other charges deemed my responsibility by my insurance carrier. If I have no insurance, I agree to pay in full, any services I receive or for whom I am responsible for payment, such as a child, etc.

Our office is not in the **MEDICAID** network and you may be responsible for payment of any services for you or your dependant.

IF YOU ANSWER YES TO ANY QUESTIONS BELOW, PLEASE FILL OUT THE INJURY FORM ALSO

Work related? Yes ___ No ___

Slip & Fall Yes ___ No ___

Auto Accident? Yes ___ No ___

Attorney involved? Yes ___ No ___

Injury Date ____ / ____ / ____

Attorney Name _____

Attorney Phone Nbr _____

Work related injuries are covered by Workers Compensation, not Health Insurance. We do not bill Auto Insurance.

My signature indicates that I have read above and fully understand.

Patient or Guardian _____ Date _____

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AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF MEDICAL INFORMATION

*Current privacy regulations (HIPAA) preclude us relaying information to anyone other than our patients, including spouse and children and relatives or friends, unless you authorize it below. This means that if you need to confirm or make an appointment for the office or surgery, **WE WILL NOT TALK TO ANYONE WHO IS NOT ON THIS LIST**, unless you give permission. We cannot discuss test results or prescriptions with family members who call on your behalf, unless you designate them below.*

*This authorization is valid until revoked with a new form signed by you. **Please use black ink***

| Name/Relationship | Phone | appts Info | billing info | medical info | surgery info | Rx |
|----------------------------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|----|
| <i>Example: Jane Doe /Sister</i> | 318-555-5555 | ✓ | | ✓ | | ✓ |
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| 4. | | | | | | |

IF YOU DO NOT WISH ANYONE TO HAVE ANY INFORMATION, CHECK THE BOX BELOW.

I do not authorize the release of information to any other individuals.
This includes family and friends who call on your behalf.

Please read the privacy statement at www.centerforhand.com or request a copy at appt time.

I have received or read a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices

In case of a medical emergency while in our office, who would you like us to notify?

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Relationship: _____

My signature automatically revokes any previous authorizations of this form.

 PRINT Patient Name

_____/_____/_____
 Date of birth

 Signature

_____/_____/_____
 Date

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Patient Name _____ DOB _____ / _____ / _____

PHARMACY Preference _____ Phone (_____) _____

Location _____

Do you take any prescription or non-prescription medications, vitamins or herbals? Yes _____ No _____

EXAMPLE: Atenolol 25 mg 1/day; blood pressure

| PRESCRIPTION DRUGS | DOSAGE | HOW MANY TIMES PER DAY | REASON |
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EXAMPLE: Aspirin 81 mg once a day Vitamin E 500 IU Once a day

| ASPIRIN, VITAMINS, MINERALS, SUPPLEMENTS, | DOSAGE: (mcg, mg, IU) | HOW MANY A DAY? |
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If female, are you currently pregnant? Yes _____ No _____ How many weeks? _____

****Please know that we are required to send a copy of your treatment plan to the doctor who referred you to our office for treatment. If the referring doctor is not your physician (e.g. a family friend or employer) please tell the nurse.**

YOU MAY WANT TO BRING YOUR MEDICATION, VITAMINS AND HERBALS TO YOUR APPT.