

**PATIENT INFORMATION FORM
(PLEASE PRINT)**

Date: _____

Patient Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** _____ **Age:** _____ **Sex:** _____
Last First MI
Home Address: _____ **City / State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

May we Leave a Message?

Home Phone #: (____)____-____ Yes No **Work Phone #:** (____)____-____ Yes No
Cell Phone #: (____)____-____ Yes No **Other Phone #:** (____)____-____ Yes No
Soc-Sec No. ____-____-____ **E-Mail:** _____

Do you have a legal guardian or healthcare power of attorney? Yes No

If Yes, Name: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: (____)____-____

Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____ Phone: (____)____-____

Primary Care Doctor: _____ Phone: (____)____-____

Is there a family member or other person you would like for us to share your medical information?

____ Yes Name(s) _____ No

Who referred you to our office? _____

Insurance Information

Primary Insurance Company Name:

Insured Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** __/__/__

Employer: _____

Contract Number: _____ **Group Number:** _____

Secondary Insurance Company Name: -Empty-

Insured Name: _____ **Date of Birth:** __/__/__

Employer: _____

Contract Number: -Empty- **Group Number:** _____

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Allergies: _____
Pharmacy: _____ **Location:** _____ **Phone:** (____)____-_____

Please list all medications you are currently taking (including prescriptions, over-the-counter meds and herbal supplements):

Name	Dose	Name	Dose
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Please list all prior surgeries:
Type of Surgery

Date **Type of Surgery** **Date**

Type of Surgery	Date	Type of Surgery	Date
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Please list all prior hospitalizations (other than surgery):

Reason for Hospitalization **Date** **Reason for Hospitalization** **Date**

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_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Social History

Marital Status: Single Married Partnered Separated Divorced Widowed

Use of Alcohol: Never No longer use History of alcohol abuse

Current USE - Type _____ Rare Occasional Moderate Daily

Use of Tobacco: Never Quit - How long ago? _____

Smoke _____ packs / Day for _____ years

Use of recreational drugs: Never Quit - How long ago? _____ Type _____

Current USE - Type _____ Rare Occasional Moderate Daily

Employer: _____ **Occupation:** _____

How much are you on your feet at work? 10% 25% 50% 75% 100%

Exercise: Never Rare Occasional Weekly Several times a week Daily

Types of Exercise: _____

Parent History

Do either of your parents have a history of:

Mother: Diabetes Cancer Heart Disease High blood Pressure

Stroke Coronary Artery Disease Thyroid Disease Rheumatoid arthritis
 Alzheimer's Disease Other _____

Father: Diabetes Cancer Heart Disease High blood Pressure

Stroke Coronary Artery Disease Thyroid Disease Rheumatoid arthritis
 Alzheimer's Disease Other _____

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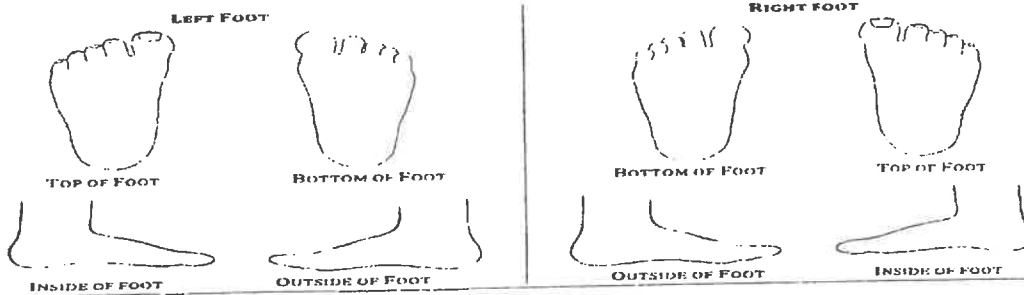
Please choose "Y" for yes if you have ever had any of the following, or choose "N" for no if you have not.

Acid Reflux	Y	N	Fibromyalgia	Y	N	Neuropathy	Y	N
Anemia	Y	N	Gout	Y	N	Open Sores	Y	N
Arthritis	Y	N	Heart Attack	Y	N	Pneumonia	Y	N
Asthma	Y	N	Heart Disease / Failure	Y	N	Polio	Y	N
Back Trouble	Y	N	Hepatitis	Y	N	Rheumatic Fever	Y	N
Bladder Infections	Y	N	HIV + /AIDS	Y	N	Sickle Cell Disease	Y	N
Abnormal Bleeding	Y	N	High Blood Pressure	Y	N	Skin Disorder	Y	N
Blood Clots	Y	N	Kidney Disease	Y	N	Sleep Apnea	Y	N
Blood Transfusion	Y	N	Liver Disease	Y	N	Stomach Ulcers	Y	N
Bronchitis / Emphysema	Y	N	Low Blood Pressure	Y	N	Stroke	Y	N
Cancer	Y	N	Migraine Headaches	Y	N	Thyroid Disease	Y	N
Diabetes	Y	N	Mitral Valve Prolapse	Y	N	Tuberculosis	Y	N
Other Conditions:								

Current Problem

What specific problem brings you to our office today? _____

Where is the pain / problem located? Please mark on the pictures below



Shoe size: _____

How long ago did this problem first start? _____ Days Weeks Months Years

Did your pain or problem: Begin all of a sudden Gradually develop over time

How would you describe your pain? No pain Sharp Dull Aching Burning Radiating Itching
 Stabbing Other _____

How would you rate your pain on a scale from 0 to 10? (Please circle)
{no pain} 0 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 {worst pain possible}

Since the time your pain or problem began, has it: Stayed the same Become worse Improved

What makes your pain or problem feel worse? Walking Standing Daily activities Resting High heels Flat shoes Any closed toe shoe Running

What makes your pain feel better _____

What treatments have you had for this problem? _____ How has this problem affected your lifestyle or ability to work? _____

Was this problem caused by an injury? _____ If Yes, was it a work-related injury? Yes No

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To the best of my knowledge, I have answered the questions on this form accurately. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my health. I understand that it is my responsibility to inform the doctor and office staff of any changes in my medical status.

Print name of patient, parent or guardian	Signature of Doctor
If other than patient, relationship to patient	Date
Signature	

PATIENT and/or RESPONSIBLE PARTY - FINANCIAL AGREEMENT with Podiatry Associates, P.C.
We will file your insurance for services rendered. It is the responsibility of the patient and/or responsible party to provide the correct insurance information. No oral or written contract except for that of the patient and/or responsible party is acceptable in providing this information. Failure to provide correct information could result in denial of payment by your insurance company. In the event of non-payment by the insurance company you and/or responsible party will be responsible for this account.

I, hereby authorize consent for treatment necessary or desirable for my care/or the patient mentioned on this form. This includes, but is not restricted to, medicine, performance of operation/procedures, and conduct of laboratory or x-rays, dispensing of supplies, that may be use by the attending doctor. The services you receive including supplies that are possible covered by your insurance carrier will be filed to your insurance company, if your insurance does not cover charges filed; the patient, and/or responsible party is responsible for payment of all non-covered services and supplies.

I, hereby acknowledge responsibility for the payment of all services, and agree to pay all amounts due in full at the time of service, (copay, deductible, non-covered items, supplies given to you by doctor or nurses; put in your shoes, etc. or services performed by doctor not covered by insurance), unless other written arrangements are made.

I, hereby authorize my insurance company to remit payment of medical benefits directly to this office for services provided by our physicians. Verification of insurance does not guarantee payment of the claim. If insurance does not pay or respond to the bill; I am responsible to contact the insurance and I agree to pay all charges not paid.

If I, (the patient) change insurance carriers, (example - if I have Medicare Part B insurance and you sign up for *Healthsprings of Alabama, Viva, Secure Horizons, Advantra Freedom, Wellcare, Humana, Blue Advantage, United Healthcare, AARP, etc.*), we must be informed of this change with a copy of the insurance card. Some insurance companies require referrals from your primary care provider as well as strict guidelines on the timely filing of claims. When any patient becomes Medicare age and signs up for Medicare Part B, it is the patient's responsibility to show our office their Medicare Card. It is also the patient's responsibility to contact Medicare and inform them of any primary or secondary insurance updates / changes. I understand that it is my responsibility to make sure our office has the correct insurance information and a copy of the correct insurance card. I also understand that I am responsible for providing our office with a picture ID (such as a current drivers license), to keep on file as proof of who I am.

If my insurance requires prior authorization for visits to Podiatry Associates, PC: Dr. Robert I. Russell - Dr. James H. Bowman - it is the patients responsibility to call their primary care physician's office to obtain authorization. Podiatry Associates must receive authorization prior to the appointment date; if we do not receive the authorization by the appointment date, the patient will be require to pay for the visit in full or reschedule the appointment. In the event the correct insurance information for any of my visits and my insurance had changed and the correct information was not given to Podiatry Associates; it is the patient's responsibility to pay for services denied by insurance carrier. Some insurance companies have a 45 - 180 day filing limit. Medicare has only 12 months to file a claim from the date of service. Podiatry Associates must have the correct information to file charges within the filing period or the patient is responsible for the charges in full.

There are some services and items for maintenance of good health that may not be covered by my insurance carrier, (example: items that go into the patient's shoes or used on their feet or nails; services not considered medically necessary by some insurance company standards), I understand I (the patient) is responsible to pay for these items.

Not all insurance companies cover: Supplies, Orthotics and Therapeutic (Diabetic) shoes. All coverage of benefits are determined by insurance carrier/group: it is best to check with your insurance company on your coverage and exclusions on foot care or Podiatry services, copay and deductible amounts. Supplies and special ordered items such as: (Orthotics, Diabetic shoes) cannot be returned and payment is non-refundable.

I, hereby authorize the release of all medical records on the patient listed above to the referring and/or primary care physician, as well as all records necessary for the processing of insurance claims when or if requested.

I authorize information released to my Employer such as (Work Excuse, FMLA papers, etc). There is a fee for us to fill out papers for you, FMLA, disability, etc. if my account becomes delinquent, I the undersigned, accept the fee charged as a legal and lawful debt and agree to pay said fee, including any/all collection agency fees. The fee can be an additional (33.33%), attorney fees and/or court costs, if such be necessary. The debt will be reflected on your credit rating with any or all credit reporting agencies and you no longer will be able to be seen by our doctors until paid in full.

You agree, in order for us to service your account or to collect monies you may owe, Podiatry Associates, PC and/or agents may contact you by telephone at any telephone number associated with your account, including wireless telephone numbers, which could result in charges to you. We may also contact you by sending text messages or emails, using any email address you provide to use. Methods of contact may include using pre-recorded/artificial voice messages and/or use of automatic dialing device, as applicable.

I/We have read all of the above and understand my responsibility as the patient and/or responsibility party and have agreed to all the disclosures mentioned.

_____ Date _____ Podiatry Associates Employee Initials _____

Signature of Patient, Parent, Guardian or Responsible Party