

Legal Name:		Date:	
Date of Birth (_) Race () Gend	er () Marital Status ()	
Mailing Address:			
Physical Address:			
		Work:	
Email:		Employer:	
Social Security #	If Patient is a	Minor, Parent Name(s):	
Preferred Pharmacy (List Name a	nd Location)		
Emergency Contact:		Phone:	
Primary Insurance Plan:	Secondary Insurance:		
		name, if possible	
Primary Care Doctor:		Referring Physician:	
ls this a work related injury/ Work	man's Comp Case?	Date of Injury:	
Patient's Medical History	(Please fill out the following	ng information as thoroughly as possible)	
Previous Surgeries:	Tobacco Usage:	Currently Former Smoker Never A Smoker	
	Vaccinations	: Pneumonia Yes No Date:	
		Flu Shot Yes No Date:	
	Time Spent On Y	our Feet Daily (circle): Minimal 25% 50% 75% 100%	
	Drug Allergies:	() Penicillin ()Amoxicillin ()Bactrim ()Keflex	
	()Cipro () Sulfa () Erythromycin () Aleve () Advil () Aspirin		
	()lodine () NSAIDs ()Codeine () Tape () Latex () Contrast Dye	
Current Medications: (See	List)* ()Shellfish () Other	
Name:	Dose:	Frequency Per Day:	
Name:		Frequency Per Day:	
Name:		Frequency Per Day:	
Name:		Frequency Per Day:	



AIDS/HIVAmputation(s)AnemiaAsthmaAtrial FibrillationBlood Clot(s)BursitisCancerCharcot Foot	DiabetesDizzinessEpilepsyFoot/Ankle SwellingGERDGoutHeart AttackHeart ProblemsHepatitis	Joint PainJoint StiffnessKidney ProblemLeg CrampsLiver ProblemsMitral Valve Prolapse	umn to the left of the conditionNight CrampsNumbnessOrgan TransplantOsteoarthritisOsteoporosisPneumoniaRheumatoid ArthritisShortness of BreathStroke Tendonitis
Chest Pain COPD	Herpes Hypertension		Walking Leg Pain
Reason(s) for your vi	sit:		
Previous Treatment:_			
How would you rate you	r pain? Mild Mo	oderate Severe	
	•	Weeks Months	Years
	Suddenly Grad		
		rp Burning Aching _	Throbbing Shooting
	-	Wearing shoes Exer	cise Walking
Which foot are you having problems with? Right Left Both			
Height:\	Neight: Shoe Size:_	BP:/ Pulse:	
	Information Belov	v Is For Office Use Only:	
History of Present	Podiatric Issue/History and		
		Growth()Trophic Changes() Thick Na () Paresthesias ()	ails() Pigmentary Changes ()
Updated:			

Patient Name:_

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Name of Patient:	

- 1. **Consent for Treatment**: This is to certify that I, the patient or the patient's legal representative, hereby consent to and authorize the administration and performance of all treatments and/or diagnostic services which, in judgement of <u>Theodore McKee</u> DPM, the podiatrist, may be considered necessary or advisable including the administration of blood products or derivatives. I am aware that the practice of medicine and surgery is not an exact science and I acknowledge that no guarantees have been made to me as a results of examination, treatment, surgery, and/or diagnostic services to be performed.
- 2. **Permission for Release of Medical Information**: I hereby authorize Blue Ridge Footcare and Surgery, PLC to release any and all information obtained in the patient's medical record which may be requested by my insurance company or other third party payer in order to compete the processing of the patient's claim for benefits.
- 3. Assignment of Benefits: I hereby assign to Blue Ridge Footcare and Surgery, PLC to the extent necessary to satisfy the patient's outstanding indebtedness, if any, all sums payable by the patient pursuant to any health benefits policy, policy of insurance including, but not limited to: health, liability, uninsured, or underinsured motorist, workers compensation, or medical payment insurance and/or pursuants to any settlement or judgement arising out of or related to any incident which caused the patient's need for medical or surgical treatment. I understand and agree that neither Blue Ridge Footcare and Surgery, PLC, nor its physicians have any obligations to collect benefits covered by this assignment other than benefits payable by a health maintenance organization or patient responsibility amounts. For Medicare Patients: "I request that payment of authorized Medicare benefits be made on my behalf to Blue Ridge Footcare and Surgery, PLC for any services furnished to me by my podiatric physician. I authorize any holder of medical information about me to release to the Health Care Financing Administration and its agents any information needed to determine these benefits or the benefits payable for related services."
- 4. Notice of Deemed Consent for HIV, Hepatitis B/C and Blood Testing: I understand and acknowledge that Virginia Code 32.1-45.1 authorizes health care providers to test patients for HIV antibodies as well as Hepatitis B and C when the health care provider or any person employed by or under the direction of the health care provider is exposed to the bodily fluids of patients in a manner which may transmit blood borne pathogens. Pursuant to this law, the patient will be deemed to have consented to such testing and to have consented to the release of test results to the health care provider who may have been exposed. Positive test results will be disclosed as medically necessary for the patient's treatment or as required or permitted by law. I understand that the patient will be given an opportunity to have appropriate counseling in connection with such test results. The patient will make the provider aware per state law is they are positive for HIV, Hepatitis B or C.
- 5. **Use of Specimens and Tissues**: I hereby authorize Blue Ridge Footcare and Surgery, PLC to retain, photograph, preserve for scientific or teaching purposes, or dispose of at its convenience, any specimens taken from the patient's body during operation or procedure.
- 6. **Financial Policy**: Payment is requested at time of service, unless prior arrangements have been made. In the event that my account is turned over for collections, I agree to pay all costs related to collection, including court costs and 25% attorney fees that may ensue from collection proceedings. Any amounts that are patient responsibility will be collected at the time of service per our Office Financial Policy, which will be reviewed and signed by the patient.

Purpose of Content: By signing this form, you will consent to our use and disclosure of your protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities and healthcare operations.

Notice of Privacy Practices: You have the right to read our Notice of Privacy Practices (NPP) before you decide whether to sign this consent. Our notice provides a description of our treatment, payment activities and health care operations, of the uses and disclosures we may make of your protected health information (PHI), and of other important matters about your PHI. A copy of our notices is posted and a copy will be provided to the patient upon request. We encourage you to read it carefully and completely before signing this Consent. We reserve the right to change our privacy practices as described in our NPP. If we change our privacy practices, we will issue a revised NPP, which will contain the changes. Those changes may apply to any of your PHI we maintain. You may obtain a copy of our NPP, including any revisions, by contacting: Dr. Theodore B. McKee, 111 Fairway Lane, Staunton, VA 24401 Phone# 540-885-8891 or Fax# 540-885-0016.

Right to Revoke: You will have the right to revoke this Consent at any time by giving us written notice of your revocation submitted to the office. Please understand that revocation of the consent will not affect any action we took in reliance on the consent before we received your revocation, and that we may decline to treat your or to continue treating you if you revoke this consent. I have had full opportunity to read and consider the contents of this consent form and the Notices of Privacy Practices. I understand that by signing this form, I am giving my consent to your use and disclosure of my protected health information to carry out treatment, payment activities, and healthcare operations. I acknowledge receipt of having received a copy of the Notice of Privacy Practices.

Patient Signature:	Date:
Witness	Date:
grant permission to receive and dis	cuss my protected health and financial information with this office to the following person(s)
Name:	Is this your Power of Attorney?
By checking this box voicemails and/or to	x, I grant Blue Ridge Footcare and Surgery, PLC permission to leave ext reminders to the number provided.
I grant Blue Ridge Fo	potcare and Surgery. PLC to retrieve my prescription history.

Office Policy for Doctors Appointments, Surgery, & Patient Accounts

1. <u>Deductibles and Co-Payment</u>

We are committed to providing exceptional podiatric care for our patients. In order to do so, we must run the financial aspects of our practice as efficiently as possible; therefore, <u>deductible</u> <u>and co-payment amounts will be collected at the time of service.</u> Co-payments, coinsurance, and payment for non-covered services are due the day of the appointment unless prior arrangement have been made with the billing department. For your convenience we accept cash, credit card, or check.

2. Scheduled Appointments

Our office understands that delays can happen and life is hectic; however, we must try to keep other patient's appointments with our doctors on a timely schedule. If a patient is 20 minutes or more past their scheduled appointment time, we reserve the right to reschedule your appointment.

3. Cancellation/ No Show Policy for Doctor's Appointment

We understand there are times when you must miss an appointment due to emergencies or obligations for work or family; however, when you do not call to cancel an appointment, you may be preventing another patient from receiving much needed treatment. If an appointment is not cancelled with at least four hours advance notice OR you do not show for your appointment, you will be charged a \$50.00 fee per visit; this will not be covered by your insurance company. Cancellation/ No Show Policy for Surgery: Due to the large block of time needed for surgery, last minute cancellations can cause problems with our appointment schedule and prevent another patient from receiving treatment. If surgery is cancelled the same day or you do not show for a surgical appointment, you will be charged a \$200.00 fee; this will not be covered by your insurance company.

4. Account Balances

Our office requires that patients with self-pay accounts pay for their visit in full at the time of service. Patients with a balance over \$100.00 must make payment arrangement prior to future appointments being scheduled. Please contact the billing department with any questions.

5. FMLA/ Short Term Disability Paperwork

Effective June 1, 2013 there will be a **\$25.00** fee for FMLA or Short Term Disability paperwork to be filled out. This fee is to be paid *before* paperwork is filled out.

I have had the opportunity to read and consider the contents of this office policy and guidelines. I understand, that by signing this form, I am consenting to the policies carried out by Blue Ridge Footcare and
Surgery, PLC.

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Print Patient Name	Signature Patient/Guardian	Date