

The Center for the Functional Restoration of the Spine, LLC  
Marc S. Menkowitz, MD, LLC  
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DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

LAST NAME FIRST NAME MIDDLE INITIAL GENDER CELL PHONE

STREET ADDRESS CITY STATE ZIP

HOME PHONE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER DATE OF BIRTH AGE MARITAL STATUS

EMAIL ADDRESS (FOR PATIENT PORTAL)

EMPLOYER ADDRESS WORK PHONE

SPOUSE'S NAME (OR PATIENT ACCOMPANYING MINOR) SSN DATE OF BIRTH AGE

EMERGENCY CONTACT RELATION PHONE NUMBER

PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIAN ADDRESS PHONE NUMBER

PHARMACY ADDRESS PHONE NUMBER

ALLERGIES

INSURANCE INFORMATION: \_\_\_ Medicare \_\_\_ Private \_\_\_ Motor Vehicle \_\_\_ Worker's Compensation

Name of Company Address, City, State, Zip

Insurance Phone Number Insurance Policy Number Group Number

Subscriber Name Social Security Number Date of Birth Gender Relationship to Patient

Do You Have a Secondary Insurance? \_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_ No (If Yes, Complete Below)

Name of Company Address, City, State, Zip

Insurance Phone Number Insurance Policy Number Group Number

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**CONSENT TO USE AND DISCLOSURE OF  
PROTECTED HEALTH INFORMATION**

**Use and Disclosure of Your Protected Health Information**

Your protected health information will be used by Marc S Menkowitz, LLC (Marc S. Menkowitz, MD) or disclosed to others for the purpose of treatment, obtaining payment or supporting the day-to-day healthcare operations of the practice.

**Notice of Privacy Practices**

You should review the Notice of Privacy Practices for a more complete description of how your health information may be used or disclosed. You may review the notice prior to signing this consent.

**Requesting a Restriction on the Use or Disclosure of Your Information**

You may request a restriction on the use or disclosure of your protected health information.

Marc S Menkowitz, LLC (Marc S. Menkowitz, MD) may or may not agree to restrict the use or disclosure of your protected health information.

If Marc S Menkowitz, LLC agrees to your request, the restriction will be binding on the practice. Use or disclosure of protected information in violation of an agreed upon restriction will be a violation of the federal standards.

**Revocation or Consent**

You may revoke this consent to the use and disclosure of your protected health information. You must revoke this consent in writing. Any use or disclosure that has already occurred prior to the date on which your revocation of consent is received will not be affected.

**Reservation of Right to Change Privacy Practices**

Marc S Menkowitz, LLC reserves the right to modify the privacy practices outlined in the notice.

**Signature**

I have reviewed this consent form and give my permission to Marc S Menkowitz, LLC (Marc S. Menkowitz, MD) to use and disclose my health information in accordance with it.

Name of Patient (Print or Type) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Patient \_\_\_\_\_

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

Signature of Patient Representative \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship of Patient Representative to Patient \_\_\_\_\_

**The Center for the Functional Restoration of the Spine, LLC**

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**Legal Assignment of Benefits & Designation of Authorized Representative**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, represent that I have valid and in-force insurance and/or employee health care benefits coverage, and hereby assign and convey directly to Steve J. Paragioudakis, M.D. and/or Marc S. Menkowitz, M.D., the "provider(s)", as my designated Authorized Representative(s), all medical benefits and/or insurance reimbursement, if any, otherwise payable to me for services rendered from the provider(s), regardless of the provider's managed care network participation status. I understand that I am financially responsible for all charges regardless of any applicable insurance or benefit payments. I hereby authorize the provider(s) to release all medical information necessary to process my claims under HIPAA. I hereby authorize any plan administrator or fiduciary, insurer and my attorney to release to the provider(s) any and all plan documents, insurance policy and/or settlement information upon written request from the provider(s) in order to claim such medical benefits, reimbursement or any applicable remedies. I authorize the use of this signature on all my insurance and/or employee health benefits claim submissions.

I hereby convey to the provider(s), to the full extent permissible under the law and under any applicable employee group health plan(s), insurance policies or liability claim, any claim, chose in action, or other right I may have to such group health plans, health insurance issuers or tortfeasor insurer(s) under any applicable insurance policies, employee benefits plan(s) or public policies with respect to medical expenses incurred as a result of the medical services I received from the provider(s), and to the full extent permissible under the law to claim or lien such medical benefits, settlement, insurance reimbursement and any applicable remedies, including, but not limited to, (1) obtaining information about the claim to the same extent as the assignor; (2) submitting evidence; (3) making statements about facts or law; (4) making any request, or giving, or receiving any notice about appeal proceedings; and (5) any administrative and judicial actions by the provider(s) to pursue such claim, chose in action or right against any liable party or employee group health plan(s), including, if necessary, to bring suit by the provider(s) against any such liable party or employee group health plan in my name with derivative standing but at such provider(s) expenses. Unless revoked, this assignment is valid for all administrative and judicial reviews under PPACA, ERISA, Medicare and applicable federal or state laws. A photocopy of this assignment is to be considered as valid as the original. I have read and fully understand this agreement.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Insured / Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Name of Insured/Guardian

Date Completed: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

**WHAT IS THE MAIN REASON FOR YOUR VISIT?**

\_\_\_\_\_

**PAST MEDICAL HISTORY**

Circle YES or NO for any major, significant illnesses which apply to you.

Anemia	YES	NO	Hay Fever/Sinus Problems	YES	NO
Asthma/ Bronchitis/Emphysema	YES	NO	Heart Problems	YES	NO
Arthritis	YES	NO	Hepatitis	YES	NO
Bleeding/Bruising/Blood Disorder	YES	NO	High Blood Pressure	YES	NO
Cancer (type) _____	YES	NO	Immune Disorder	YES	NO
Depression	YES	NO	Kidney Disease	YES	NO
Diabetes			Liver Disease	YES	NO
Insulin Injection Dependent	YES	NO	Stroke	YES	NO
Non Insulin Dependent	YES	NO	Thyroid Disease	YES	NO
Drug Abuse/Alcohol Dependency	YES	NO	Tuberculosis (TB)	YES	NO
Epilepsy/Seizures	YES	NO	Stomach Ulcers	YES	NO
Other (please describe) _____					

Please list previous hospitalizations/major surgeries/serious injuries and approximate dates:

Medications- List all medications you are taking and their dosages (prescription and all over the counter drugs):

Have you had significant exposure to: Pesticides? YES/NO      Toxic Waste? YES/NO

Have you had previous treatment with or exposure to Radiation? YES/NO?

If YES, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAMILY HISTORY**

Some illnesses “run” in families. Please list health problems in your family.

	AGE	MEDICAL PROBLEMS	CAUSE OF DEATH
Father	_____	_____	_____
Mother	_____	_____	_____
Siblings	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
Spouse	_____	_____	_____
Children	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____
Grand-Parents	_____	_____	_____
	_____	_____	_____

**SOCIAL HISTORY**

Do you (or did you in past) use Tobacco? YES/NO

Cigarettes: Packs per day: \_\_\_\_\_ how many years: \_\_\_\_\_ if you quit, when? \_\_\_\_\_

Other Tobacco use: Amount per day: \_\_\_\_\_ How many years: \_\_\_\_\_ If you quit, When? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you drink alcohol? YES/NO How often and how much? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you use any drugs other than prescribed or over the counter medication? YES/NO

If yes, please list: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you eat a balanced diet? YES/NO Is your weight stable? YES/NO

Please indicate anything else of importance the Doctor should know about you:

\_\_\_\_\_

Birthplace: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship/Marital Status: \_\_\_\_\_

Who currently lives at home with you? \_\_\_\_\_

## REVIEW OF SYSTEMS

Do you presently have any problems or symptoms in the following areas?

Please Circle Yes for anything that applies

### GENERAL

Fatigue YES  
Decreased Appetite YES  
Fever YES  
Weight Loss YES  
Weight gain YES  
Insomnia YES

### CARDIOVASCULAR

Chest Pain YES  
Palpitations YES  
High blood pressure YES  
Stroke YES  
Swelling of legs YES  
History of blood clot YES

### NEUROLOGICAL

Headaches YES  
Numbness or Tingling YES  
Weakness YES  
Paralysis YES  
Change in memory YES  
Difficulty Walking YES  
Dizziness YES

### ENDOCRINE

Heat Intolerance YES  
Cold Intolerance YES  
Excess Thirst YES  
Excess Urination YES  
Thyroid Problems YES

### GASTROINTESTINAL

Change in Appetite YES  
Severe Heartburn YES  
Ulcers YES  
Nausea/Vomiting YES  
Frequent Diarrhea YES  
Constipation YES  
Bloody Stools YES  
Rectal Bleeding YES  
Abdominal Pain YES

### RESPIRATORY

Shortness of Breath YES  
Cough YES  
Wheezing YES

### SKIN

Rash YES  
Changing Moles YES  
Skin Cancer YES  
Non-healing Wound YES  
Breast pain/lump YES  
Change in hair/nails YES  
Itching YES

### HEMATOLOGICAL

Easy Bruising YES  
Frequent Bleeding YES  
Enlarged Lymph Nodes YES

### MUSCULOSKELETAL

Joint Stiffness YES  
Muscle Pain YES  
Muscle Cramping YES  
Weakness in muscles YES  
Back Pain YES  
Difficulty Walking YES

### Eyes/Ears/Nose/Throat

Visual Changes YES  
Hearing Loss YES  
Sore Throat YES  
Nasal Congestion YES  
Runny Nose YES  
Ear Pain YES

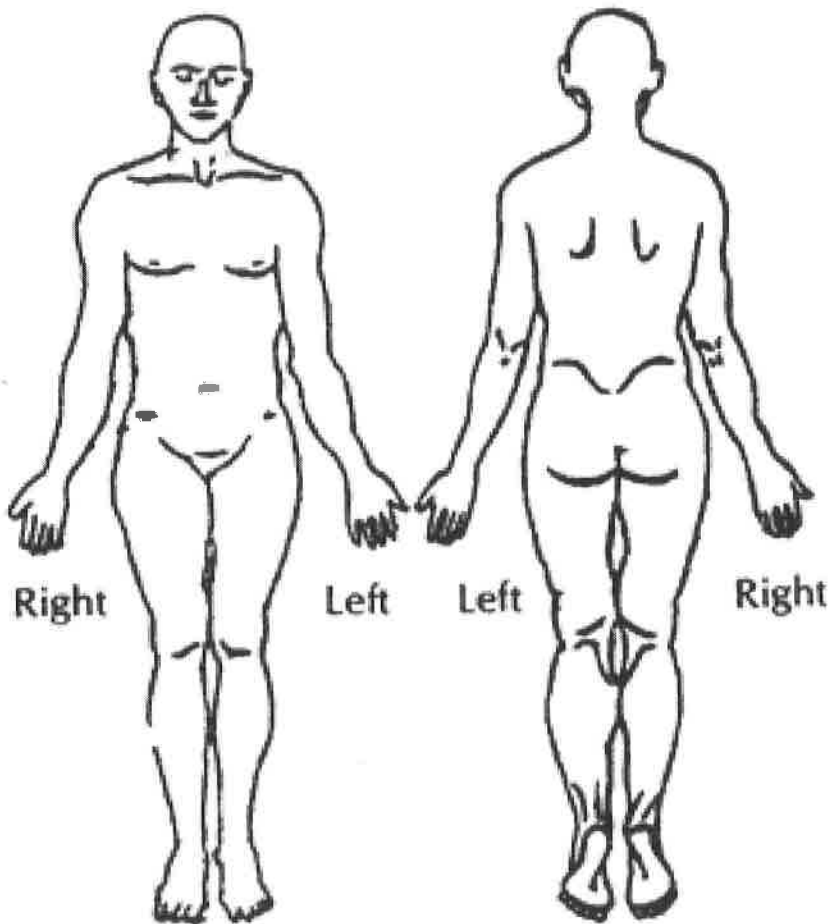
### GENITOURINARY

Painful Urination YES  
Bloody Urine YES  
Increased Urination YES  
Leaking Urine YES  
Erectile Dysfunction YES

# PAIN DRAWING

The pain drawing will help us understand the pain you have been experiencing. Please diagram your pain using the following symbols.

**NUMBNESS : -----**  
**BURNING: XXXX**  
**PINS & NEEDLES: OOOO**  
**STABBING: ////**  
**OTHER: \*\*\*\***



Height: \_\_\_\_\_ Weight: \_\_\_\_\_ Years of education completed: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of accidents (s): \_\_\_\_\_

Out of work: Days: \_\_\_\_\_ Months: \_\_\_\_\_ Years: \_\_\_\_\_

Partial days missed from work due to your problems: \_\_\_\_\_

**PATIENTS WITH BACK, HIP OR LEG PAIN, ANSWER THE FOLLOWING:**

How long have you had your present attack of back and/or leg pain? \_\_\_\_\_

When were you first aware there was something wrong with your back? \_\_\_\_\_

How many attacks of pack pain and/or leg pain have you had per year? \_\_\_\_\_

On a scale of 0-10, with 0 being no pain and 10 pain so severe that you could not live with it more than a few minutes, how would you rate NOW?

Back: \_\_\_\_\_ Right Leg: \_\_\_\_\_ Left Leg: \_\_\_\_\_ Right Hip: \_\_\_\_\_ Left Hip? \_\_\_\_\_

Did your back pain get better once the leg pain started? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your back and/or leg pain (Check one): \_\_\_\_\_ Constant \_\_\_\_\_ Intermittent (comes and goes)

Is your back and/or leg pain (Check one):

\_\_\_\_\_ Better \_\_\_\_\_ Staying the same \_\_\_\_\_ Getting worse

Does your pain in the back and/or leg affect your sleep in any of the following ways?

\_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Cannot sleep at all because of pain \_\_\_\_\_ Once I fall to sleep, I am OK

\_\_\_\_\_ I must get up and walk around to relieve the pain \_\_\_\_\_ I awake the same time every night

\_\_\_\_\_ I must take medicine to sleep \_\_\_\_\_ Cannot sleep on Right/or Left side

\_\_\_\_\_ Cannot sleep on stomach

How much time during the usual waking hours do you spend lying down? \_\_\_\_\_

What makes your pain worse? \_\_\_\_\_

What make the pain better? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pain worse on first arising in the morning? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pain worse toward the end of the day? \_\_\_\_\_

Is the pain worse when first changing position (i.e. standing after sitting)? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Feel like you must urinate and cannot \_\_\_\_\_ Dribbling \_\_\_\_\_ Loss of feeling of voiding

\_\_\_\_\_ Inability to void \_\_\_\_\_ Urgent desire to void and cannot hold it \_\_\_\_\_ Constipation

\_\_\_\_\_ Difficulty with sex

Do you have difficulty with walking? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you stumble? \_\_\_\_\_ Due to pain? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you limp? \_\_\_\_\_ Due to pain? \_\_\_\_\_

Which of your knees give way? RIGHT LEFT NONE

In which foot do you have weakness? RIGHT LEFT NONE

In which foot do you have numbness? RIGHT LEFT NONE

Who have you seen for your pain and when?

Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Doctor/Therapist \_\_\_\_\_

What treatments have you had for your pain? \_\_\_\_\_

Which treatments helped your pain the most? \_\_\_\_\_

How many times have you been hospitalized for your back? \_\_\_\_\_



Approximate dates: \_\_\_\_\_

Please list the dates and types of all back surgeries you have had:

\_\_\_\_\_

Other tests for your back? Number and date(s):

CT Scan \_\_\_\_\_

Myelogram \_\_\_\_\_

MRI \_\_\_\_\_

Bone Scan \_\_\_\_\_

Other (EMG, Epidural Venogram) \_\_\_\_\_

**CERVICAL SPINE QUESTIONARE:**How long have you had neck trouble?

\_\_\_\_\_

What started it? \_\_\_\_\_

TODAY: Rate pain 1-10/10 (10 being so severe it could be tolerated for only seconds)

NECK

HEADACHES

RIGHT SHOULDER

RIGHT ARM

LEFT SHOULDER

LEFT ARM

Does pain interfere with your sleep? Yes/ No

Weakness in \_\_\_ arms \_\_\_ hands \_\_\_ legs?

Clumsiness in \_\_\_ arms \_\_\_ hands \_\_\_ legs?

Numbness in hands? Yes/ No

Difficulty walking? Yes/ No How far can you walk? \_\_\_\_\_

Accident? \_\_\_\_\_

Law Suit? \_\_\_\_\_

Workers Comp? \_\_\_\_\_

Last day worked? \_\_\_\_\_

Current occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Injury history: \_\_\_\_\_

Neck/ Back surgeries: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Other tests for your NECK? Number and date(s):

CT Scan \_\_\_\_\_

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**Dr. Steve Paragioudakis**

**Dr. Marc Menkowitz**

**Courtney Ellenberger, NP**

### **Physician – Patient Pain Contract**

**Patient Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**The goals of this medicine are:**

- To improve my ability to work and function at home.
- To help my pain/anxiety as much as possible without causing dangerous side effects.

**I have been told that:**

1. The risks of addiction and overdose associated with opioid drugs and the dangers of taking opioid drugs with alcohol, benzodiazepines and other central nervous system depressants
2. The reasons as to why the prescription is necessary and the goals of treatment with this medication.
3. Alternative treatments that may be available including but not limited to interventional pain management
4. The risks associated with the use of the drugs being prescribed, specifically that opioids are highly addictive, even when taken as prescribed, that there is a risk of developing a physical or psychological dependence on the controlled dangerous substance, and that the risks of taking more opioids than prescribed, or mixing sedatives, benzodiazepines or alcohol with opioids, can result in fatal respiratory depression.
5. If I drink alcohol or use street drugs, I may not be able to think clearly and I could become sleepy and risk personal injury.

**I agree to the following:**

- I am responsible for my medicines. I will not share, sell, or trade my medicine. I will not take anyone else's medicine.
- I will not increase my medicine until I speak with my doctor or nurse. My medicine may not be replaced if it is lost, stolen, or used up sooner than prescribed.
- I will keep all appointments set up by my doctor (e.g., primary care, physical therapy, mental health, substance abuse treatment, pain management)
- I will bring the pill bottles with any remaining pills of this medicine to each office visit. I agree to give a blood or urine sample, if asked, to test for drug use.
- I understand that urine drug screening may be conducted in the office setting if found necessary by the prescribing provider.

**Refills**

Refills will be made only during regular office hours—Monday through Friday, 8:30AM-5:00 PM. No refills on nights, holidays, or weekends. I must call at least three (3) working days ahead (M-F) to ask for a refill of my medicine. No exceptions will be made. I will not come to the office for my refill until I am called by the office staff.

**Pharmacy:** I will only use one pharmacy to get my medicine. My doctor may talk with the pharmacist about my medicines.

The name & telephone number of my pharmacy is \_\_\_\_\_.

**Prescriptions from Other Doctors**

If I see another doctor who gives me a controlled substance medicine (for example, a dentist, a doctor from the Emergency Room or another hospital, etc.) I must bring this medicine to Orthopedic Office in the original bottle, even if there are no pills left.

**Privacy**

While I am taking this medicine, my doctor may need to contact other doctors or family members to get information about my care and/or use of this medicine. I will be asked to sign a release at that time.

**Termination of Agreement**

If I break any of the rules, or if my doctor decides that this medicine is hurting me more than helping me, this medicine may be stopped by my doctor in a safe way. I have talked about this agreement with my doctor and I understand the above rules.

**Provider Responsibilities**

As your doctor, I agree to perform regular checks to see how well the medicine is working. If deemed necessary, a urine drug screen will be performed in the office or outpatient setting.

**Patient's signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician / Provider's signature** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_