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PATIENT INFORMATION and FINANCIAL POLICY

An appointment for _____ is scheduled on _____
at _____. **Please plan on an hour appointment. Enclosed please find the paperwork to complete now and bring to your first appointment.**

I have elected to no longer be a preferred provider for most insurance companies. Instead, I provide physical therapy on a “fee at time of service” basis. By removing myself from a preferred provider/contracted status with the insurance companies, I do not have to limit the time or quality of treatment I provide because of insurance company restrictions or elevate my rates to pay for billing services. Additionally, I have the flexibility to assist patients in financial need.

Prior to your first scheduled appointment, call your insurance company to completely understand your physical therapy benefits. Enclosed please find an insurance company worksheet to help you ask the insurance company the right questions about your physical therapy benefits. At the time of service and payment, you will receive a written statement in which you can submit to your insurance company for their consideration of reimbursement to you. I will be happy to provide chart notes or other documentation at your—or your insurance company’s—request. The amount of reimbursement you receive will vary according to the terms of your insurance policy. Some companies may reimburse you at 80%, some at 60%, some at 40%, and some may not reimburse you at all. I cannot make guarantees or estimates regarding what reimbursement your plan allows.

I accept cash, checks or credit cards at the time of service. My fees are based on time spent with you and the treatments performed during your appointment. The fee ranges are as follows:

\$ 225 for initial evaluation

\$ 180 for follow up treatment appointments (50')

\$ 105 for follow up 30' appointment

\$ 75 for cancellations with less than 48 hours notice; full session charge for same day cancellations

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. I look forward to working with you.

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