

**RETURN TO WORK  
MEDICAL EVALUATION FORM**



NOTE TO PHYSICIAN: We need your assistance in protecting the health and wellbeing of the patient listed below. Your answers will help determine whether the employee needs to 1) be away from work for further rehab and/or recovery, or 2) if they could return – upon supervisor’s agreement, on a restricted basis, or 3) if they have been fully cleared by you and it has been determined they can resume their responsibilities with no restrictions or alterations to their work day and workplace, based on the job description provided. Please answer the following questions to the best of your knowledge.

Name of Patient \_\_\_\_\_

Date of injury/surgery/onset of illness \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Exam \_\_\_\_\_

Diagnosis/description of injury/surgery/illness \_\_\_\_\_

**The patient’s return to work status is:**

\_\_\_ Return to regular work. Effective \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Able to return to work with noted restrictions. Effective \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Unable to return to work until next evaluation, scheduled for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ Referred to another health care provide for additional evaluations – please provide name of health care provider \_\_\_\_\_

**Lifting Restrictions:**

\_\_\_ NONE    \_\_\_ 10 - 19 lbs    \_\_\_ 20 -29 lbs    \_\_\_ 30 – 39 lbs    \_\_\_ 40 – 50 lbs

**Follow-up Plan of Treatment:**

\_\_\_ NONE

\_\_\_ Return visit on \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ am/pm

Additional comments:

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Signature of physician

Printed Name

Date

Office Address

Office Phone Number