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We would like to thank you for selecting Northern Virginia Orthopaedic Specialists for your orthopaedic care. NVOS is the oldest orthopaedic group practice in western Prince William County and has been serving the area since 1995. All of our surgeons are board-certified specialists who provide care that is consistently recognized for quality and cost-effectiveness.

Attached is our registration packet. We would also like to thank you for downloading this paperwork so that we may begin to process your information prior to your appointment. Providing this information prior to your appointment allows our practice to save time which in turn increases the quality of the service we provide and decreases the cost of providing world-class care.

Please submit this paperwork to us prior to your appointment by fax to **703-369-9240**. We are in the process of upgrading our systems to accept registrations online and appreciate your understanding while we improve our business processes.



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## REGISTRATION FORM

(Please Print)

Today's Date:	Primary Care Physician:
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### PATIENT INFORMATION

Patients Last Name:	First:	M.I.:	Birth Date: / /	Age:	Sex: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F
Street Address (required even if you have a PO Box):		SSN:	Home Phone No.: ( )	Mobile Phone No.: ( )	
P.O. Box:	City:	State:	Zip Code:		
Employer:		Occupation:		Work Phone: ( )	

### Patient's Spouse (if any)

Name:	SSN:	Birth Date: / /
Employer:		Work Phone: ( )

### FOR MINOR PATIENTS OR PATIENTS UNDER PARENT'S INSURANCE POLICY

#### Patient's Mother

Mother Name:	Street Address:	City:	
State/ Zip Code:	Home Phone No.: ( )	SSN:	Birth Date: / /
Employer:		Occupation:	Work Phone No.: ( )

#### Patient's Father:

Father's Name:	Street Address:	City:	
State/ Zip Code:	Home Phone No.: ( )	SSN:	Birth Date: / /
Employer:		Occupation:	Work Phone No.: ( )

### Insurance REQUIRED

Primary Insurance:	Subscriber:	Group #	ID #	Co-Pay
Secondary Insurance:	Subscriber:	Group #	ID #	Co-Pay

### IN CASE OF EMERGENCY

Name of local friend or relative:	Relationship to patient:	Home Phone No.: ( )	Alternate Phone no.: ( )
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The above information is true to the best of my knowledge. I authorize my insurance benefits be paid directly to the physician. I understand that I am financially responsible for any balance. In the event this account must be placed with an attorney or collections agency, I agree to pay all collection, attorney, or interest fees. I also authorize Northern Virginia Orthopaedic Specialist or insurance company to release any information required to process my claims.

Patient/ Guardian Signature:	Date:
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We are happy to assist you with your insurance claims, however it is our policy that benefits for payment must be assigned to our office before your care here is initiated.

### **Assignment**

I hereby request and authorize my insurance company(s) to pay direct to Northern Virginia Orthopaedic Specialists (NVOS) for any surgical and/or medical benefits, otherwise payable to me for services rendered.

I further agree to pay any and all amounts that are not paid by any insurance carriers promptly when billed. I understand payment is due when services are rendered and I agree to pay the same promptly. If my account is forwarded for collections due to non-payment, I will be responsible for all collection, attorney, and interest fees.

I certify that the information I have reported with regard to my insurance coverage is correct. Additionally, I have received a copy of NVOS's practice policies and fees.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Patient/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

### **Important Notice Regarding Patient Information**

I understand that all health information gathered by Northern Virginia Orthopaedic Specialists as a result of my examination and treatment will be handled according to Northern Virginia Orthopaedic Specialists' Privacy Policy. I have received a paper copy of this policy. Furthermore, I understand that this policy may be updated from time to time and I may request a current copy for as long as Northern Virginia Orthopaedic Specialists maintains a record of my health information.

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Patient/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\*Many insurance companies require us to submit health information in order to receive payment. Accordingly we must share your health information when requested by your insurance company.





Severity of Pain  
 Mild  Moderate  Severe  Incapacitating

Frequency - the pain is:  
 Intermittent  Occasional  Rare  Constant

Does the pain radiate?  
 Yes  No

Is the pain:  
 Changing  Improving  Fluctuating  Resolved  Stable  Worse

If yes – to where does the pain radiate:

**Instructions:**

- On the body diagram below, please indicate where your pain is located **at the present time**, using the symbols below to show the particular types of pain. Please do not indicate areas of pain that are not related to your present injury or condition.

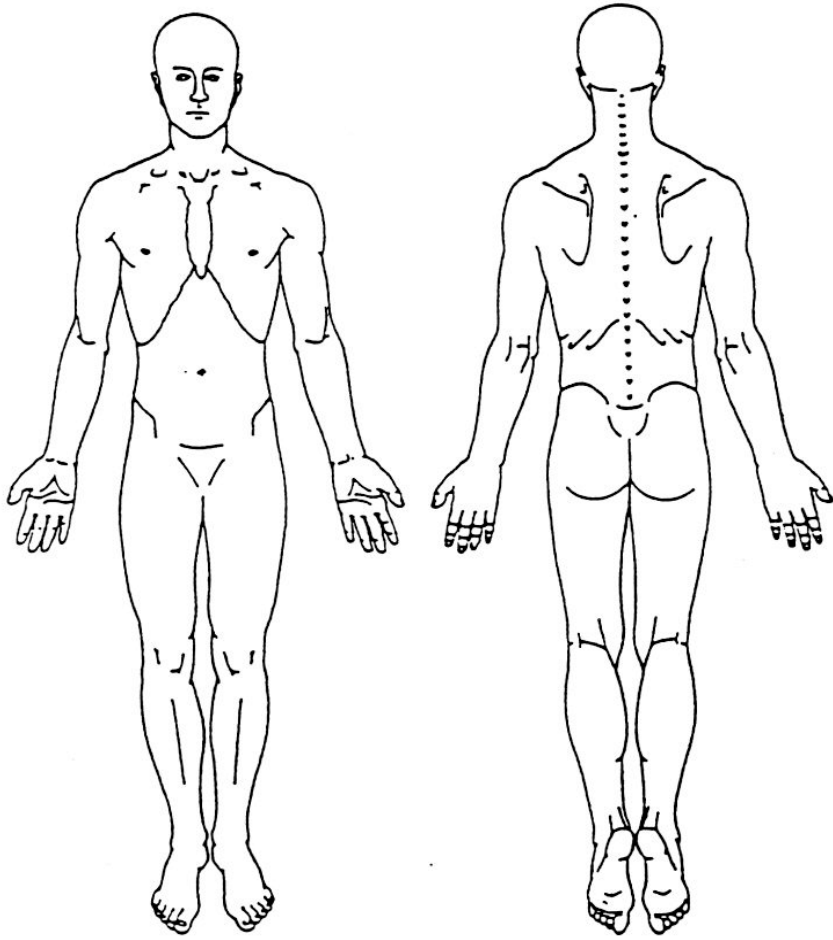
**Pins & Needles**  
O O O O O O

**Numbness**  
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**Burning**  
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**Stabbing**  
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**Ache**  
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Patient Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Physician Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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## **EFFECTIVE: OCTOBER 1, 2011**

### **Fees**

#### **Medical Records:**

First 50 pages	\$0.50 per page
Thereafter	\$0.25 per page
Search & Processing	\$10
Shipping Charges	Cost to ship records

\*Process time may take up to 2 weeks.

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#### **Forms:**

\$15 per form ( 1-2 pages )	\$25 per form ( 3 or more pages )
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#### **X-ray CD:**

\$5 per CD	Paid in advance
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\*Paper copies are free.

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#### **Bounce or Stopped Check:**

\$35 per check

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#### **Missed Appointment:**

\$25 per appointment

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#### **Patient Cancelled Surgery:**

\$300 per surgery

\* If you cancel your surgery within a week of your scheduled surgery date, you will be charged a cancellation fee.

\* If a physician has not medically cleared you for surgery, there is no fee.



## Practice Policies

### Copays:

- If your insurance policy has a copay, the copay must be paid before each visit or your appointment will have to be rescheduled.

### Referrals:

- If your insurance policy requires a referral, you must bring that referral with you to your visit.
- If you have a new injury, you will need a new referral.
- You must also keep track of the number of visits used for each referral. If you are unsure of the number of visits left on your referral, you may call our office 3 business days before your next appointment. If a new referral is needed, this will allow you enough time to contact your primary care physician and for them to process the referral, which may take several days.
- If you do not have your referral for your visit, you will have to be rescheduled.

### Surgery:

- If you are scheduled for surgery, please note that the process requires that we coordinate the doctor's schedule with availability at the hospital or surgery center, as well as getting approval for the surgery from your insurance company. It is our goal to expedite this process, but note that it can be a lengthy process.
- Depending on your insurance, you may be required to pay a copay, portion of your deductible, or a down payment.
- If you cancel your surgery within a week of your scheduled surgery date, you will be charged a cancellation fee. If a physician has not medically cleared you for surgery, you will not be charged a cancellation fee.

### MRIs:

- Please note that many insurance companies require authorizations for MRIs. Additionally, some of these companies require office notes from the physician or they may have to be reviewed by an insurance company nurse or physician. In any event, we will work hard to get these tests approved as quickly as possible, but in some cases this may take several days.
- When have scheduled your MRI, call our office so that we can schedule a follow-up appointment for your doctor to review those results with you. Unfortunately, this cannot be done over the phone, you must come in for a follow-up visit.
- If you have your MRI done at a facility other than Prince William Hospital, you must bring the actual films or CD, along with the radiologists report, to your visit.