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Laser Therapy Information and Consent

Laser Therapy is a safe and effective therapy that is FDA cleared for the temporary relief of pain and reduction of symptoms associated with mild arthritis and muscle pain. Laser also promotes relaxation of muscle spasm and promotes vasodilation. Pain relief from Laser therapy may be dramatic and substantial, lasting hours, days, or weeks. However, your results may be minimal or insignificant. Adverse effects of Laser therapy may occur from multiple causes including hypersensitivity, pre-existing health conditions, thermal effects, laser overstimulation. Laser light can damage the retina in your eye. Always wear the protective glasses provided.

The most common adverse effects are:
Temporary increase in pain the following day after Laser therapy, Mild bruising from vasodilation, Temporary dizziness, Reaction when photosensitizing drugs are used with Laser therapy, Temporary sleepiness.

Please check if any of the following medications, treatments, or conditions applies to you:

- ☐ Using Photosensitizing drugs such as steroids
- ☐ Recent cortisone injections (within a week)
- ☐ On Dialysis
- ☐ Pregnant Female
- ☐ Areas of large bruising and or hemorrhage
- ☐ Areas with decreased sensory perception
- ☐ Taking any cycline drugs such as tetracycline
- ☐ Taking Immunosuppressant drugs
- ☐ Meningitis or Encephalitis
- ☐ Pacemaker and or other electronic implants
- ☐ Tattoos

Attention:

You will need to double your water intake after having Laser therapy, this is going to flush out the toxins, hydrates your tissues, and lubricates your joints.

- *My signature acknowledges that I have read and understand the risks of Laser therapy and agree to the treatment program outlined by my doctor.*

Patient Name (print): ____

Patient Signature: ______________________________ Date: ____________________

For office use only:

Employee witness signature: ____