

Lower Limb

Outcomes Questionnaire

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Clinic ID _____

First six letter of patient's last name _____

Physician ID _____

Office Chart # _____

	Diagnosis & ICD-9 Code*	Procedure & CPT Code	CPT Date	Side of body procedure was performed on:
Primary DX	DX _____ ICD-9	Tx _____ ICD-9		<input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
Secondary DX	DX _____ ICD-9	Tx _____ ICD-9		<input type="checkbox"/> Right <input type="checkbox"/> Left <input type="checkbox"/> Both <input type="checkbox"/> N/A
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Today's Date / /

Thank you for completing this questionnaire!

This questionnaire will help us to better understand your general health and any problems related to bone and muscle conditions.

Your completion of this questionnaire is completely voluntary and your responses will be held in the strictest confidence.

Please answer every question. Some questions may look like others, but each one is different.

There are no right or wrong answers. If you are not sure how to answer a question, just give the best answer you can. You can make comments in the margin. We do read all your comments, so feel free to make as many as you wish.

Your Birth Date / /

Your Social Security Number _____

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Instructions

Please answer the following questions for the lower limb being treated or followed up. If it is BOTH lower limbs, please answer the questions for your **worse** side. All questions are about how you have felt, on average, during the **past week**. If you are being treated for an injury that happened less than one week ago, please answer for the period since your injury.

1. During the **past week**, how **stiff** was your lower limb? (Circle one response.)

1 Not at all 2 Mildly 3 Moderately 4 Very 5 Extremely

2. During the **past week**, how **swollen** was your lower limb? (Circle one response.)

1 Not at all 2 Mildly 3 Moderately 4 Very 5 Extremely

During the **past week**, please tell us about how painful your lower limb was during the following activities. (Circle ONE response on each line that best describes your average ability.)

	Not painful	Mildly painful	Moderately painful	Very painful	Extremely painful	Could not do because of lower limb pain	Could not do for other reasons
3. Walking on flat surfaces?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
4. Going up or down stairs?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
5. Lying in bed at night?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

6. Which of the following statements **best** describes your ability to get around most of the time during the **past week**? (Circle one response.)

- 1 I did not need support or assistance at all.
- 2 I mostly walked without support or assistance.
- 3 I mostly used one cane or crutch to help me get around
- 4 I mostly used two canes, two crutches or a walker to help me get around.
- 5 I used a wheelchair.
- 6 I mostly used other supports or someone else had to help me get around.
- 7 I was unable to get around at all.

7. How difficult was it for you to put on or take off socks/stockings during the **past week**? (Circle one response.)

1 Not at all difficult 2 A little bit difficult 3 Moderately difficult 4 Very difficult 5 Extremely difficult 6 Cannot do it at all