



Physician Return to Work Authorization – Physical Health

Directions: To be completed by the employee's health care provider in anticipation of employees return to work from medical leave.

Submit to: Ramapo College of New Jersey – Benefits Office, fax: 201-684-7508

Employee Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Job Title _____

Doctor's Name _____ Next Scheduled Appointment _____

Body Part(s) Involved _____

- The patient may return to work on _____ The patient may return to work _____
without any limitations on _____ Date *with limitations* on _____ Date
 The patient can return to work **Part-time** _____ hours/weeks for _____ (duration)

If there are any limitations, ALL boxes below must be filled out.

Limitations (if applicable)		No Limitations	Frequent (3-5 hours)	Occasionally (1-3 hours)	Not at all
1. Patient May	a. Sit				
	b. Stand				
	c. walk				
	d. Use of (R/L) Hand (none/as tolerated)				
	e. Use of (R/L) Foot (none/as tolerated)				
2. Patient may lift:	a. Sedentary to 10 lbs.				
	b. Light 10-20 lbs.				
	c. Medium 20-50 lbs.				
	d. Heavy 50-100 lbs.				
	e. Very heavy 100+ lbs.				
3. Patient may carry:	a. Light 0-10 lbs.				
	b. Medium 10-25 lbs.				
	c. Heavy 25-50 lbs.				
	d. Very heavy 50+ lbs.				
	4. Patient may:	a. Push			
b. Pull					
c. Twist					
d. Climb					
e. Balance					
f. Stoop					
g. Kneel					
h. Crawl					
i. Reach					
j. Grasp					
5. Patient may perform repetitive movement					
6. Patient may drive:	a. With clutch				
	b. Without clutch				
	c. Heavy equipment				

Please explain further any of the limitations marked above. Are these limitations: Temporary Permanent
 If temporary, for how long? _____

Specify any environmental requirements or assistive devices, e.g. crutches, sling, boot, cane, etc.

Signature of Doctor _____ Date _____ Phone Number _____

Address _____ Fax Number _____