



## DOCUMENT OF MEDICAL NECESSITY FOR ANKLE – FOOT ORTHOSIS

Note to Physicians: Your patient's insurance carrier requires completion of this form (In addition to your prescription) in order to consider the claim for the medical device that you have ordered. Please complete this form in it's' entirety to help your patient avoid a rejected claim and additional expenses.

**PATIENT NAME:**

**DOB:**

**DIAGNOSIS CODES:**

### DESCRIPTION OF ORTHOSIS AND BILLING CODES:

The following Ankle-Foot-Orthosis & Component Parts have been prescribed for the above patient.

- L1940 AFO, plastic solid shell, molded to patient model
- L1960 AFO, posterior solid ankle, molded to patient model
- L1970 AFO, plastic, molded to patient model with ankle joints
- L1990 AFO, double upright
- L2200 Limited motion ankle joint
- L2210 Dorsi assist ankle joint
- L2200 Double action ankle joint
- L2275 Addition to lower extremity, varus/valgus correction, plastic modification, padded/lined
- L2280 Molded inner boot
- L2330 Lacer/calf lacer molded
- L2340 Pre-tibial shell
- L2360 Extended – short steel shank
- L2755 Carbon fiber reinforcement
- L2820 Soft interface, distal

**TREATMENT GOALS:**

**DURATION OF TREATMENT WITH ANKLE FOOT ORTHOSIS:**

### NECESSITY OF ANKLE-FOOT-ORTHOSIS MOLDED TO PATIENT MODEL:

A custom (versus pre-fabricated) ankle-foot-orthosis has been prescribed based upon the following criteria which are specific to the condition of this patient. (check all that apply)

- The patient could not be fit with a prefabricated AFO
- The condition necessitating the orthosis is expected to be permanent or of longstanding duration (more than 6 months)
- There is need to control the ankle or foot in more than one plane
- The patient has documented neurological, circulatory, or orthopedic condition that requires custom fabrication over a model to prevent tissue injury
- The patient has a healing fracture which lacks normal anatomical integrity or anthropometric proportions

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(Signature of Physician)

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