

Orthopedic/Medical Equipment Orders for School

This form is to be completed when a student requires orthopedic and/or medical equipment, or activity limitations to accommodate his/her needs at school.



PLEASE RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO THE SCHOOL NURSE

Student's Name _____ Birth Date _____

Diagnosis _____

Release to return to school on (date) _____ Today's Date _____

PLEASE SELECT AND COMMENT ON ALL THAT APPLIES TO THE STUDENT

The school nurse may need to reach the prescribing physician to clarify these orders, when necessary, in order to properly accommodate the student's special need. Changes in student ability may require renewal of these written instructions.

• **Orthopedic equipment needs at school:**

Wheelchair Crutches Walker Other external support: _____

• **Weight-bearing status:**

Non-weight-bearing Partial weight-bearing Weight-bearing as tolerated Full weight-bearing

• **Immobilization:** No Yes

Explain _____

• **Length of time in cast:** _____

• **Follow-up evaluation in:** _____

• **Expected level of discomfort:**

None Occasional Mild Medium Severe

Other, please explain _____

• **Pain medication required at school:** No Yes (*Physician must complete [Medications Recommendation](#) form.*)

• **P.E. Restrictions:** (*If >10 days, physician must complete [Authorization for Physical Education Post Injury/Illness](#) form.*)

• **Other equipment needs/additional concerns:**

Physician's Signature _____ Date _____

Physician's Name (*print*) _____ Phone _____