## Welcome to Tri-County Rheumatology

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We are located on the campus of Holy Redeemer Hospital, in the Medical Office Building. Please use the hospital's address for GPS – 1648 Huntingdon Pike Meadowbrook, PA 19046

\*\*\* Please <u>ARRIVE 20 MINUTES BEFORE YOUR SCHEDULED TIME</u> so that we may complete the registration process. Failure to arrive early with your completed paperwork WILL require your appointment to be rescheduled. \*\*\*

Pleas	e prepare the following items to bring with you for this visit:
	□ Completed attached patient information sheets
	☐ Insurance Cards and Prescription Cards
	$\square$ <b>Referral</b> from your primary physician if required by your insurance (NPI# 1033311840)
	$\square$ <b>Co-pay</b> by check, cash or credit card (No bills larger than \$20)
	☐ Medical records faxed prior to your appointment. (Include blood work, imaging and doctor's office visit note—stating why you are being sent to Rheumatology.) These records are required prior to your appointment, or the appointment will need to be rescheduled.

# \*\*\* DON'T FORGET TO LOG ON TO OUR PORTAL FOUND ON OUR WEBSITE AT www.tricountyrheum.com TO COMPLETE THE DOCTOR'S QUESTIONAIRE PRIOR TO YOUR APPOINTMENT. CHECK YOUR EMAIL FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. \*\*\*

If you are unable to keep the above appointment, please call the office at least 24 hours in advance to cancel or reschedule. If you do not cancel in advance, you may be charged \$100 no show fee.

**INCLEMENT WEATHER**: Please note in case of inclement weather, kindly call the office before coming to your appointment. There will be a message stating if the office is closed, opening late, etc.

**LATE ARRIVALS:** Anytime you suspect you may arrive late for your appointment, please call to inform us as much in advance as possible. If you are more than 10 minutes late, it will be at the discretion of the front staff and providers to determine if there will be adequate time to see you without impacting patients whose appointments follow yours. We certainly take traffic and weather conditions into consideration, and we will always try to accommodate as we all run late sometimes.

**CANCELATIONS**: We request 24-hour notice. If notification prior to the appointment time is not provided, the appointment will be considered a no-show. There is a \$50 no-show fee.

**COMMUNICATIONS:** We kindly request up to 48 hours for all medication **REFILLS** and **RETURN CALLS**. (Do NOT send urgent communications through the portal or on our voicemail.)

**Disability/FMLA:** Paperwork will not be discussed and/or completed until you have become an established patient with our practice, receiving care for 6 months and seen in the office at least 3 times.



## TRI-COUNTY RHEUMATOLOGY

PATIENT NAME:		DOB:				
CURRENT MEDICATIONS/SUPPL	EMENTS:					
MEDICATION NAME	DOSAGE	FREQUENCY	PRESCRIBING MD			
ALLERGIES:						
MEDICATION NAME		REACTION				
SURGICAL HISTORY:						
SURGERY		DATE of S	URGERY			

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PATIENT NAME:				DOB:				
DOCTORS YOU	WISH US TO SHARE YOU	JR RECORDS W	ITH REG	ARDING	9 YOUR CAR	RE (ex- PCP, S	pecialists):	
MD NAME	TYPE OF MD	ADDRESS			PHONE	FAX		
Primary Insuran	ce:							
IC	D#:							
Secondary Insu	rance:							
IC	O#:							
Pharmacy Bene	fit Insurance:							
IC	D#:							
В	IN#:	PCN#: _			G	RP#:		
Local Pharmacy	:							
	macy:							
	nacy:							
MAY WE LEAVE	MESSAGES ON YOUR H	OME PHONE?	YES	or	NO			
MAY WE LEAVE	MESSAGES ON YOUR C	ELL PHONE?	YES	or	NO			
Patient Signatur	re:				Da	ite:		

## **RECORDS REQUEST**

### I AUTHORIZE THE USE / DISCLOSURE OF HEALTH INFORMATION ABOUT ME AS DESCRIBED BELOW.

Patient Name:			
Patient's D	ate of Birth:	_	
A. Per	rson(s) or Organization(s) authorized to provi	de the information (records are coming from):	
B. Pe	erson(s) or Organization(s) authorized to rec	eive the information:	
1	RI COUNTY RHEUMATOLOG 650 HUNTINGDON PK, STE 3 PH: 267-571-2151 FAX: 215-3	52, MEADOWBROOK PA 19046	
C. S	pecific description of the information that ma	y be used or disclosed (including dates):	
D. Spe	ecific description of how the information will	be used: CONTINUED MEDICAL TREATMENT	
<ul><li>2) I unde auth</li><li>3) I unde</li></ul>	horization) at any time by notifying the person or	ept to the extent that action was already taken in reliance on this signed	
5) I unde	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	ed under this agreement.  s the information is not a health care provider or plan covered by federal  may be re-disclosed and would <b>no longer be protected</b> by these	
Patient's S	ignature or Patient's Representative	Date	
Printed Na	me of Patient's Representative	Relationship to Patient	
	e right to know specifically what information you are at ord is included, "all health information.").	thorizing for release (e.g., "results of a lab test performed on 1/4/03" or, if your entire	
	e right to know the name(s) or other identification of th care provider(s)).	e person(s) or organization(s) authorized to release the information (e.g., the names o	
You have the	e right to know who is going to use it and what it is goi	ng to be used for. (e.g., John Smith, PhD / Research).	
You have the	e right to alter this request. We have preprinted option	s for your convenience. You may alter these items if needed	

You have the right to receive a copy of this form.

### **HAQ-II Health Assessment Questionnaire:**

# RATE YOUR ABILITY <u>OVER THE LAST WEEK</u>. PICK ONLY ONE ANSWER FOR EACH QUESTION.

### 1. GO UP 2 OR MORE FLIGHTS OF STAIRS?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- o WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- o WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

# 2. REACH ABOVE YOUR HEAD AND GET DOWN A 5 POUND OBJECT SUCH AS A BAG OF SUGAR?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

### 3. WAIT IN LINE FOR 15 MINUTES?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

### 4. WALK OUTDOORS ON FLAT GROUND?

- O WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

### 5. STAND UP FROM A STRAIGHT CHAIR?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

#### 6. OPEN CAR DOORS?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- o WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

### 7. GET ON AND OFF THE TOILET?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

# 8. DO OUTSIDE WORK SUCH AS YARD WORK OR SWEEPING?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

### 9. LIFT HEAVY OBJECTS?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- o COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)

### 10. MOVE HEAVY OBJECTS?

- WITHOUT ANY DIFFICULTY (0)
- WITH SOME DIFFICULTY (1)
- WITH MUCH DIFFICULTY (2)
- COMPLETELY UNABLE (3)