



Surgeons of Northern Illinois
20 Tower Court, Suite A
Gurnee IL 60031
847-244-3525

Thank you very much for contacting our office and scheduling an appointment. Enclosed please find your paperwork, which needs to be completed prior to your scheduled appointment time. Please complete the enclosed paperwork and bring with you to your scheduled appointment.

Your appointment is scheduled for: _____

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If you have any further questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Sincerely,

Maria

Thank you for selecting our healthcare Team! We will strive to provide you with the best possible care.

To help us meet all your healthcare needs, please fill out this form completely.

Your Driver's License and Social Security number is required in order to determine identity. It is the policy of our practice to implement an Identity Theft Prevention Program to detect, prevent and mitigate identity theft in connection with new and existing patient accounts.

Drivers License # _____

Patient Information (CONFIDENTIAL)

Soc. Security # _____

Last Name _____ First Name _____ MI _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Date of Birth _____ Sex _____ Phone# _____ Marital Status _____

Race: _____ Language Preference: _____

Pharmacy Preference and Location: _____

Occupation _____ Cell Phone # _____ Email: _____

Patient's Employer _____ Work # _____

Work Address _____ City, State, Zip _____

Spouse or Parent's Name _____ Employer _____ Work # _____

Whom May We Thank for Referring You? _____

Person to Contact in Case of Emergency:

Phone # _____ Relationship: _____

Name of Family Physician _____

Insured Information

Name of insured _____ Relationship to Patient _____

Address _____ Phone# _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____

Birthdate _____ Soc. Sec. # _____ Work # _____

Employer _____

Primary Insurance HMO _____ PPO _____ POS _____ Workman's Comp _____ Co-pay amt.\$ _____

Insurance Company _____ Group # _____

Policy / I.D. # _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

If Workers Compensation: Date of Injury _____ Contact Person: _____

Phone # _____

DO YOU HAVE ANY ADDITIONAL INSURANCE? () YES () NO If yes, complete the following

Name of Insured _____ Relationship to Patient _____

Birthdate _____ Soc. Sec. # _____ Employer _____

Insurance Company _____ Group # _____

Policy / I.D. # _____ Phone # _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Financial Arrangements: For your convenience, we offer the following methods of payment. Please check the option which you prefer. Payment is expected at the time of service unless other arrangements have been made with our office.

Cash _____ Personal Check _____ Visa _____ MasterCard _____

Authorization and Release

I authorize release of any information concerning my (or my child's) health care, advice and treatment provided for the purpose of evaluation and administering claims for insurance benefits. I also hereby authorize you to release and to receive any medical information to those you deem necessary. I hereby authorize my insurance company to pay directly to Surgeons of Northern Illinois benefits otherwise payable to me. I understand that my insurance carrier may pay less than the actual bill for services. I agree to be responsible for payment of all services rendered on my behalf or my dependents.

Signature of patient or parent if minor

Date

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FINANCIAL POLICY

The following is our financial policies, which we require you to read and sign prior to any treatment. As a courtesy to you, we will bill your insurance company if we are given necessary forms and information at the time of your initial service. All patients must complete our Patient Registration Form in full prior to being seen by any provider at Scheer and Liesen Surgical Associates.

All patient/guarantors are responsible for payment at the time of service of all co-payments, deductibles or co-insurance unless prior arrangements have been made.

We accept Cash, Check, MasterCard, Visa and Discover. You will be charged a \$35.00 bank fee for any returned checks for any reason.

Insurance Co-payments

Insurance co-payments are paid at the time of service.

Deductible/Co-Insurance

If your insurance deductible is not met, full payment will be collected at the time of service. If your insurance deductible is met, your co-insurance amount will be collected at the time of service. Your insurance is a contract between you (the Subscriber), your employer and the insurance company. We are not a party to that contract. Should your insurance fail to pay, for any reason, you are responsible for the balance. We will transfer liability of the claim to you if your insurance does not properly pay within 45 days. Scheer and Liesen Surgical Associates expects you to be interactive and responsible for communicating with your insurance carrier on any open claims

Private Pay

If you have no insurance coverage or have insurance that we do not participate with, full payment is expected at the time of service unless prior arrangements have been made with our office.

Bariatric Procedures

We will contact your insurance company regarding eligibility and benefits and notify you with an estimated out of pocket cost that will be your responsibility. A \$250.00 deposit is required prior to surgery which will be applied towards your account.

Collections

Once an account is placed in collections status, all future services must be paid in full at the time of service. Any balance assigned to our collection agency will be assessed a 40% fee, to offset the recovery expense.

I have read and agree to abide by this financial policy.

(Signature)

(Date)

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NOTICE OF PRIVACY PRACTICES ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND CONSENT FORM

I understand that, under the Health Insurance Portability & Accountability Act of 1996 (“HIPAA”), I have certain rights to privacy regarding my protected health information. I understand that this information can and will be used to:

- ❖ *Conduct, plan and direct my treatment and follow-up among the multiple healthcare providers who may be involved in that treatment directly and indirectly.*
- ❖ *Obtain payment from third-party payers.*
- ❖ *Conduct normal healthcare operations such as quality assessments and physician certifications.*

I have received, read and understand your **Notice of Privacy Practices** containing a more complete description of the uses and disclosures of my health information. I understand that Surgeons of Northern Illinois has the right to change its **Notice of Privacy Practices** from time to time and that I may contact this office at any time at the address above to obtain a current copy of the **Notice of Privacy Practices**.

I understand that I may request in writing that you restrict how my private information is used or disclosed to carry out treatment, payment or health care operations. I also understand you are not required to agree to my requested restrictions, but if you do agree then you are bound to abide by such restrictions.

Patient Name: _____ Relationship to Patient: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

In general, the HIPAA privacy rule gives individuals the right to request a restriction on uses and disclosures of their Protected Health Information (PHI). The individual is also provided the right to request confidential communications or that a communication of PHI be made by alternative means, such as sending correspondence to the individual’s office instead of the individual’s home.

I, _____, hereby request Surgeons of Northern Illinois to keep communication regarding my Protected Health Information confidential. To accomplish this request, please adhere to the following requests:

Communication Preference(s): ___ Letter ___ Cell ___ Home ___ Work

Phone: You can contact me by phone at _____ or _____
Leave messages on answering machine: ___ Yes ___ No

Can we send you e-mail reminders on appointments or account balances? ___ Yes ___ No

E-mail: You can contact me via e-mail @ _____

You may discuss my Protected Health Information with the following individuals:

Name _____	Relationship _____	Phone # _____
Name _____	Relationship _____	Phone # _____
Name _____	Relationship _____	Phone # _____

Other requests for Confidential Communications: _____

Patient Signature: _____ Date: _____

If you are not the patient, please specify your relationship to the patient: _____

Surgeons of Northern Illinois

Welcome to our practice. As a new or existing patient presenting with a new problem, please fill out the information to the best of your ability.

ACCT # _____

PATIENT NAME: _____ **DATE OF BIRTH:** _____ **Age:** _____

Office Use Only

Temp _____ **BP** _____ / _____ **Pulse** _____ **Height** _____ **Weight** _____ **Taken by:** _____

HISTORY OF PRESENT ILLNESS:

Where is the pain/problem? _____
How severe is the pain/problem on a scale of 1-5 with 5 being the most severe? 1 2 3 4 5 (please circle your choice)
Does the pain/problem occur at a specific time? _____
What makes the pain/problem worse or better? _____
Referring Physician: _____

Past Medical History: Have you ever had the following: (Please √ all that apply)

- | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Acid Reflux | <input type="radio"/> | Blood Clots | <input type="radio"/> | Heart Disease | <input type="radio"/> | Migraine Headaches | <input type="radio"/> |
| AIDS or HIV + | <input type="radio"/> | Bronchitis/COPD | <input type="radio"/> | Hemorrhoids | <input type="radio"/> | Mitral Valve Prolapse | <input type="radio"/> |
| Anemia | <input type="radio"/> | Cancer | <input type="radio"/> | Hernia | <input type="radio"/> | Pneumonia | <input type="radio"/> |
| Arthritis | <input type="radio"/> | Chickenpox | <input type="radio"/> | Hepatitis | <input type="radio"/> | Rheumatic Fever | <input type="radio"/> |
| Asthma | <input type="radio"/> | Depression | <input type="radio"/> | High Blood Pressure | <input type="radio"/> | Sleep Apnea | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bladder Infection | <input type="radio"/> | Diabetes | <input type="radio"/> | High Cholesterol | <input type="radio"/> | Thyroid Disease | <input type="radio"/> |
| Back Trouble | <input type="radio"/> | Epilepsy/Seizures | <input type="radio"/> | Hives or Eczema | <input type="radio"/> | Tuberculosis | <input type="radio"/> |
| Bleeding Tendency | <input type="radio"/> | Glaucoma | <input type="radio"/> | Kidney Disease | <input type="radio"/> | Venereal Disease | <input type="radio"/> |

Are you on any blood thinners?: Yes No (If yes, please list) _____
Can you walk up a flight of stairs without stopping? Yes NO

Prior Surgeries/Hospitalizations/Diseases

	When?	Hospital, City, State
None <input type="radio"/>		
Appendix (appendectomy) <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____
Gallbladder (cholecystectomy) <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____
Uterus (hysterectomy) <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____
_____ <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____
_____ <input type="radio"/>	_____	_____

Medications: None

	Please list dosage and frequency	Please list over-the-counter medications, Vitamins, Herbal supplements, etc.
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

LIST ANY KNOWN DRUG ALLERGIES: None

_____	Reaction: _____
_____	Reaction: _____
_____	Reaction: _____

Patient Social History:

Occupation: _____
Marital status: Single:___ Married:___ Separated:___ Divorced:___ Widowed:___
Use of alcohol: Never:___ Rarely:___ Moderate:___ Daily:___
Use of tobacco: Never:___ Previously, but quit:___ Current packs / day:_____, Approximate duration _____
Do you use street drugs? ___ Yes ___ No

Family Medical History:

	Age	Diseases	If Deceased, Cause of Death
Father	_____	_____	_____
Mother	_____	_____	_____
Siblings	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
Children	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

PATIENT NAME: _____

Review of Systems: Please indicate any personal history below:

CONSTITUTIONAL SYMPTOMS

- Good general health lately
- Recent weight gain
- Recent weight loss
- Fatigue
- Fever

EYES

- Eye disease or injury
- Wear glasses/contact lenses
- Blurred or double vision

EARS/NOSE/MOUTH/THROAT

- Mouth sores
- Bleeding gums
- Hearing loss or ringing
- Chronic sinus problem
- Nose bleeds
- Sore throat or voice change
- Swollen glands in neck

CARDIOVASCULAR

- Abnormal EKG
- Heart trouble
- Chest pain angina pectoris
- Palpitation
- Shortness of breath w/ walking or lying flat
- Swelling of feet, ankles or hands
- Heart murmur

RESPIRATORY

- Chronic or frequent coughs
- Spitting up blood
- Shortness of breath
- Wheezing
- Tuberculosis
- Asthma
- Emphysema

GASTROINTESTINAL

- Loss of appetite
- Change in bowel movement
- Nausea or vomiting
- Frequent diarrhea
- Painful bowel movements
- Gallbladder problems
- Rectal bleeding
- Blood in stool
- Hemorrhoids
- Abdominal pain
- Gastric Reflux

GENITOURINARY

- Frequent urination
- Burning or painful urination
- Blood in urine
- Change in force of stream when urinating
- Incontinence or dribbling
- Kidney stones
- Sexual difficulty
- Male – testicle pain
- Female – pain with periods
- Female – irregular periods
- Female – vaginal discharge
- Female - # of pregnancies _____
- Female - # of miscarriages _____
- Female – date of last pap smear _____
- _____
- Date of last menstrual period _____

MUSCULOSKELETAL

- Joint pain or stiffness
- Difficulty in walking
- Muscle weakness
- Muscle pain or cramps
- Back pain
- Cold extremities

INTEGUMENTARY (skin)

- Rash or itching
- Change in skin color
- Change in hair or nails
- Varicose veins

BREAST

- Breast pain
- Breast lump
- Nipple discharge
- Date of last mammogram _____
- Date of Breast Biopsy _____
- Breast Rash

NEUROLOGICAL

- Head injury
- Light headed or dizzy
- Convulsions or seizures
- Numbness or tingling sensations
- Stroke or mini-stroke
- Tremors
- Paralysis
- Headaches

PSYCHIATRIC

- Memory loss or confusion
- Nervousness
- Depression
- Insomnia
- Suicidal thoughts
- Violent or Unusual thoughts

ENDOCRINE

- Glandular or hormone prob
- Excessive thirst or urination
- Heat or cold intolerance
- Skin becoming drier
- Thyroid problems or goiter

HEMATOLOGIC/LYMPHATIC

- Enlarged glands
- Slow to heal after cuts
- Bleeding or bruising tendency
- Anemia
- Phlebitis/Blood clots

ALLERGIC/IMMUNOLOGIC

- History of skin reaction or other adverse reaction to:
 - Penicillin
 - Other Antibiotics _____
 - Novocain
 - Other Anesthetics _____
 - Aspirin
 - Other pain remedies _____
 - Iodine
 - Morphine
 - Demerol
 - Other narcotics _____
- Known food Allergies: _____
- Anesthesia problems: _____
- Environmental allergies: _____

LATEX ALLERGY

To the best of my knowledge, the questions on this form have been accurately answered. I understand that providing incorrect information can be dangerous to my health. It is my responsibility to inform the doctor's office of any changes in my medical status.

Signature of Patient or Guardian _____ Date: _____

Signature of Doctor _____ Date: _____